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Date: September 25, 2025

Subject: Important Reminder: Medication at School Requires a Physician's Order

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We wanted to provide you with updated information regarding nurse placements this year. Here is the contact information for each building:

Primary School: Michelle Opferman 412-429-7015 mopferman@cvsd.net

Intermediation School: Health Office 412-429-2283, contact building administration

Middle School: Rebecca Laverty 412-429-2228 rlaverty@cvsd.net

High School: Alexis Skees 412-429-2269 askees@cvsd.net

The health and safety of our students is our highest priority. To ensure that medications are administered safely and in compliance with state law and district policy, we must have a current standing order or prescription from a licensed healthcare provider on file for **all** medications—both prescription and over-the-counter-that students may need during the school day.

At this time, we do not have a physician's standing order for over-the-counter medication such as Tylenol, cough drops, Tums, etc. Until the required documentation is received, our school nurses are not permitted to administer this medication to any student. We will continue to work on this and update the family as this progresses, as this is a top priority for our department.

Thank you for your cooperation,

Pupil Service Department