

## New Hampshire Division for Children, Youth and Families Policy Manual

### 2263 SPECIAL HEALTH CARE

Chapter: Sununu Youth Services Center

Section: **Healthcare** 

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#### **References Of Note**

Federal Authority: 34 CFR 99.36
Statutes: RSA 621 and RSA 621-A
Administrative Rules: Ed 1114.18

Case Law:

This policy establishes the SYSC's response to special medical needs.

### **Required Practices**

Any deviations to the following information must be documented with Supervisory Approval.

- I. Youth who are identified as having special medical needs shall:
  - A. Be followed closely by medical and nursing staff;
  - B. Have a specific written treatment plan;
  - C. Receive instruction from the medical and nursing staff regarding their health needs (as necessary); and
  - D. Have provisions in place to ensure that they are able to continue with their educational programming, regardless of medical condition.
- II. Youth with special medical needs shall not be isolated from the general population, including within the SYSC School.
- III. Medical conditions that require special monitoring must be noted on the youth's Nursing Assessment (Form 2279), and on the Medication Kardex (Form 2255).
- IV. Nursing staff shall coordinate with the youth's parents/guardians around any necessary adaptive equipment.

Standard Operating Procedures			
SOP	Title	Applicable Disciplines	
2263.1	Special Healthcare Procedures	SYSC	

#### **Applicable Forms** Title Form Nursing Kardex 2255 2279 **Nursing Assessment**

# **Glossary and Document Specific Definitions**

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