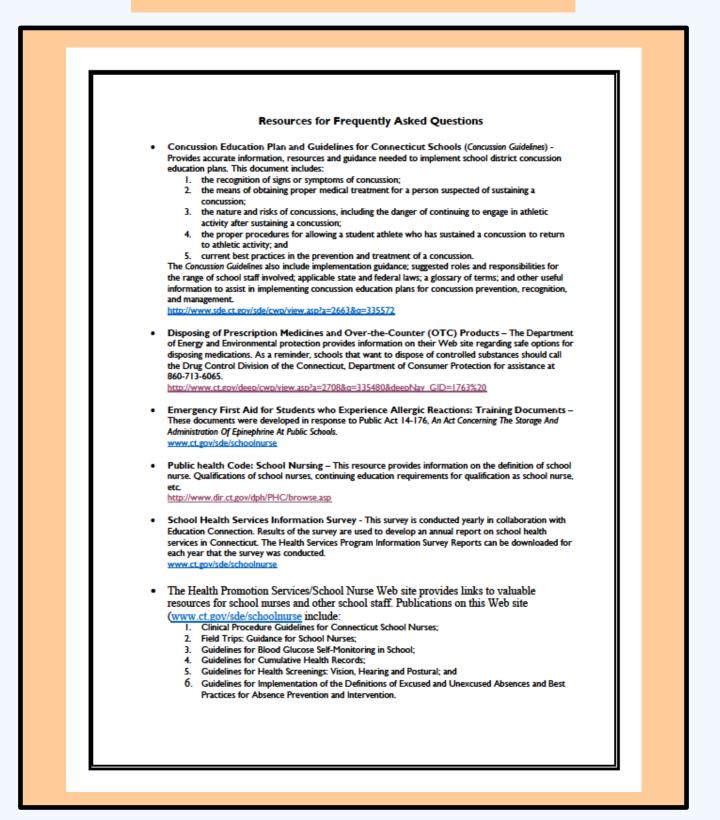


THE SCHOOL NURSE BULLETIN

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2015-16 School Health Services Information Survey **!! Volunteers Needed !!**

The School Health Promotion Services Office is looking for school nurse and school nurse supervisor volunteers to participate in the review of the School Health Services Information Survey. During the month of November 2015, meetings will be held every Friday morning from 9 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Please email Stephanie Knutson at <u>stephanie.knutson@ct.gov</u>, by November 1, 2015, if you are interested in participating in this process.



New School Nurse Conference

Wednesday, December 2, 2015 & Thursday, December 3, 2015

8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. (registration @ 7:30) Marquee, 960 Main Street, Hartford, CT (parking in the Morgan Street Garage, 155 Morgan Street)

Presented by: Stephanie Knutson, Education Consultant, CSDE & Other CT School Nurses

This professional learning opportunity, designed specifically for school nurses, will provide an overview of legal requirements, standards of practice and competencies for school nurses, supervisory issues, and the school nurse's role in student achievement, special education, and academic success.

Participants will learn state laws and regulations regarding school health; state mandates for immunizations, health assessments, and screenings; documentation in school health services; special education and Section 504; and academic achievement issues related to school health.

AUDIENCE:

School Nurses, School Nurse Supervisors, Director Special Education/Pupil Services Directors

\$160.00 per person (includes Breakfast & Lunch on both days)

To register, please visit:

https://16-23-096-000.eventbrite.com

QUESTIONS?

Registration: Nattaneal Wilson, Education Services Specialist, 860-632-1485, ext. 268 or wilson@ctserc.org Content: Stephanie Knutson, CSDE, Education Consultant, 860-807-2108 or stephanie.knutson@ct.gov

Full Attendance at both days is required.

1.2 CEUs will be awarded to participants who attend both full days of this conference (no partial CEUs will be granted).





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0	Connectic	ut State Department of Education: Cadre of School Nurse Educators
		Election Day Professional Development Opportunities
		November 3, 2015
1. Tie	tle:	School Nurse Competency and Documentation for the School
Lo	cation:	Meriden Health Department, 165 Miller St. Meriden, CT
Ti	me:	8:30 a.m 3:30 p.m.
		Space available for 50 nurses
2. Tit	tle:	Section 504; Minimal Facts: How to Interview a Student for Possible
		Sexual Abuse in the Health Office and Yoga and Alternative Therapies for
		the School Nurse
Lo	cation:	Savin Rock Conference Center, 6 Rock Street, West Haven, CT
Ti	me:	8:30 a.m 3:30 p.m.
		Space available for 24 murses
3. Tit	tle:	Working with Student's with Autism in the Health Office and
		Train the Trainer: Epinephrine administration for the unlicensed personnel
Lo	cation:	The Orchards, 34 Hobart St., Southington CT
Ti	me:	8:30 a.m 3:30 p.m.
		Space available for 45 nurses
	C	ost: \$35.00 per person (Includes light breakfast and lunch)
	Registrat	ion: Contact Suzanne Levasseur at <u>slevasseur@westport.k12.ct.us</u>
		Deadline for Registration: October 15, 2015

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