



# THE SCHOOL NURSE BULLETIN

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## 2020 Spring School Nurse Supervisor Conference

Wednesday, May 13, 2020  
8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.  
(Registration @ 7:45 a.m.)  
Courtyard by Marriott (Cromwell)  
4 Sebethe Dr, Cromwell, CT 06416

Presented by: Dr. Stephanie Knutson, Education Consultant, CSDE

This activity will provide school nurses and school nurse supervisors with information and programs that support students. As a result of attending this conference, participants will learn about:

- Infectious Diseases: Role of the School Nurse
- Asthma and Absenteeism: School nursing interventions;
- Emerging issues with adolescent risk behaviors;
- Connecticut's immunization database and immunization requirements for 2020-2021 school year; and
- New legislation and trends in the state.

Audience: School nurses, school nurse supervisors, directors of special education/pupil services, school medical advisors, and other school staff

Cost: \$125.00 (Includes light breakfast and lunch)

**!! Register Here !!**  
<https://www.ctnurses.org/event-3673026>

Questions: Please call 203-238-1207 x 1 or email [Virginia@ctnurses.org](mailto:Virginia@ctnurses.org)



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## Ordering School Health Forms for the 2020-21 School Year

[Cumulative Health Records (CHR-1) and Health Assessment Records (HAR-3) ]

It is time to order Cumulative Health Records (CHR-1) and Health Assessment Records (HAR-3) for delivery in spring 2020, and use in the 2020-21 school year. The Forms will not be changing.

- Only nursing supervisors or lead nurses should complete this survey for their district orders. Individual school nurses or organization must contact the district's nursing supervisor regarding the amount of forms they will need.
- Each district must determine the number of CHR-1 and HAR-3 forms needed based on its student population and number of forms currently in stock. Please order sufficient numbers to share with charter, private and parochial schools served by your district and with all health care provider offices in your community. Do not order excessively! Only order what you need.

### Directions:

- Orders for CHRs and HARs will only be accepted via this Survey at [https://sde.ct.gov/qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_0Vz7Gltwpx8y7X](https://sde.ct.gov/qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_0Vz7Gltwpx8y7X)
- All questions in this survey must be answered in order to successfully process your order.
- Only one order per school district will be accepted.
- Deadline for submission of all orders is **March 20, 2020**. No exceptions!
- A copy of the HAR-3 blue form is located on the school nurse website at [www.ct.gov/sde/schoolnurse](http://www.ct.gov/sde/schoolnurse).
- We do not print or deliver the Early Childhood Health Assessment Forms. They are available on the School Nursing website at [www.ct.gov/sde/schoolnurse](http://www.ct.gov/sde/schoolnurse)

## Interim Guidance for Administrators of US Childcare Programs and K-12 Schools to Plan, Prepare, and Respond to Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

The new Centers for Disease Control and Prevention guidelines for K-12 schools regarding 2019 coronavirus is located at: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/specific-groups/guidance-for-schools.html>

This interim guidance is based on what is currently known about the transmission and severity of coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19). The US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) will update this guidance as needed and as additional information becomes available. **Please check the following CDC website periodically for updated interim guidance:** <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>

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