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MEMORANDUM

To: Diane Cappiello
Business Office

From: Linda Ionta, Director 
Athletics, Health, Physical Education & Nurses

Re: Board Approval Request

Date: September 2019

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Please have the attached 2019-2020 Nursing Service Plan reviewed and signed by Mr. Brennan and Mr. Tatum and then submitted for approval at the next Board of Education meeting.

Any concerns/questions, contact me. Thank you.

Att.



TOWNSHIP OF UNION PUBLIC SCHOOLS

2019-2020 SCHOOL NURSING SERVICES PLAN

**VIII. Assignment Plan for Certified and Non-Certified Nurses
N.J.A.C. 6A:16-2.1(f) 3 and N.J.A.C. 6:2.1(a) 10)**

<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>CERTIFIED SCHOOL NURSE</u>
Battle Hill Elementary	Melanie Lamar
Burnet Middle School	Brienna Benaquista
Connecticut Farms Elementary	Patricia Lipere
Franklin Elementary	Anne Buggy
Hannah Caldwell Elementary	Kimberly Zieser
Jefferson Elementary	Gayle Sumner
Kawameeh Middle School	Maryam Holder
Livingston	Rosemary Nardo
Union High School	Marie Lima Connie Novoa
Washington Elementary	Virginia Chi

Nursing Service Plan for Union Board of Education

Optimal learning requires good health. The Certified School Nurse in the Union Public School System provides a vital component in students' primary and preventative health care. In an ongoing effort to insure children remain healthy and ready to learn, the school nurse must take on many roles.

School nurses often take the lead in early detection and correction of health problems through screenings, health assessment, and emergency care. They are often the liaison between education and healthcare, and provide a link/resource between school, home, and community.

The Certified School Nurse acts as an advocate for the children. With collaboration from both the physician and student's family, Individual Health Care Plans and Emergency Care Plans are developed for each student with acute or chronic health concerns. The nurse continually uses the nursing process to deliver optimum level of care.

The school nurse acts as both a communicator and investigator on a daily basis seeking information regarding health history, health practices, environmental concerns, safety issues, communicable disease patterns, and current health information relevant to the practice of school nursing broadly or as applied to an individual student/staff member. The nurse also acts as communicator/consultant to parents/guardians, pediatricians, specialists, health agencies, teachers, and custodial staff.

Education and counseling are vital roles of the Certified School Nurse. Along with formal classroom teaching, Union School Nurses distribute information through staff meetings, videos, and written information to both staff and children's families. Informal teaching takes place continuously on a one-to-one basis during the delivery of nursing care to both staff and students.

A time consuming role for school nurses is the role of recorder. A legal record is maintained for each student, and documentation of nursing care is required. Communication from parents and health care providers is also incorporated into the students' records. Data must also be collected and recorded for state agencies related to immunizations, tuberculosis testing, blood borne pathogens, student/staff injuries, and sports physicals. The school nurse communicates required information through letters, phone calls, and conferences.

Managing the variety of roles and prioritizing care are crucial to school nursing. The school nurses at Union Public Schools are the key link between health and education services.

TOWNSHIP OF UNION - 2019-20 SCHOOL NURSING SERVICE PLAN

Schools	Population Regular and Special Needs	Grades	Plan	Rationale Medication, Health Assessments, Health Education, Health Service Programs - All Schools
Battle Hill Elementary	261/134	PK-4	CSN FT	Achondroplasia, Acid Reflux, ADD, ADHD, Anxiety, Asthma, Autism, Bilateral Hip Osteotomy, Cerebral Palsy, Color Blindness, Congenital Heart Defects, Congenital Hypothyroidism, Constipation, Down's Syndrome, Developmental Delay, Eczema, Encopresis, Epilepsy, Epistaxis, Febrile seizures, Food Allergies, Heart Murmur, Heat exhaustion with syncope, Hydrocephalus, Hypoglycemia, Lactose Intolerance, Language Apraxia, Lyme's Disease, Medication Allergies, Migraines, Mitral Valve Prolapse, Myopia, Nystagmus, ODD, PDD, Prader-Willi Syndrome, RAD, Seasonal Allergies, Sickle Cell Trait, SPD, Speech delay, Syncope, Type 1 Diabetes, and Vision Disorders.
Connecticut Farms Elementary	389/	K-4	CSN FT	ADD/ADHD, Allergies including: Nuts, Food/Bees & Animals with and without Anaphylaxis; Asperger Syndrome, Asthma, Bilat Cataracts, Congenial Hydronephrosis, Eczema, Chronic Eye Inflammation, Hearing Disorder, Hypopituitarism, Lactose Intolerance, Mental/Emotional Disorders including Separation Anxiety, Nephrotic Syndrome-Minimal Change BKA (Below Knee Amputation) Leg Prosthesis, Paralytic Left Club Foot, PCD (Primary Ciliary Dyskinesia) PPD-NOS, RAD (Reactive Airway Disease), Speech/Language/Visual Impairments and delays, Ulcerative Colitis, Vitiligo.
Franklin Elementary	450/27	PK-4	CSN FT	ADHD, Allergies, Asthma, Anaphylaxis Alert, Autism Spectrum, Biliary Atresia, Blood Disorders, Cardiac Disease, Cold Urticaria, Color Vision Deficiency, Dysplastic Kidney, Encopresis, Epistaxis, Enzyme Disorder, Febrile Seizures, Food Allergies, Gastrointestinal Disorders, G6PD Hearing Disorders, Hypothyroidism, Klippel Tolnaunay Syndrome, Lactose Intolerance, Latex Allergies, Mental/Emotional Disorders, Migraines, Seizure Disorder, Orthopedic Disorders, Sinus Conditions, Stereotopia Motor Disorders, Type 1 Diabetes and Ventricular Tachycardia.
Hannah Caldwell Elementary	570/86	PK-4	CSN FT	ADD/ADHD, Allergy Related Skin Disorders, Anemia, Anxiety, Asperger Syndrome, Asthma (including Reactive Airway Disease), Autism, Berardinelli-Seip Syndrome, Cardiac Anomalies, Compromised Skin Integrity, Congenital Glaucoma, Development Disorders, Eczema, Emotional Disorders, Epistaxis, Food Allergies with and without Anaphylaxis Protocol, GI Reflux, Hearing Disorders/Hearing Aid, Hirschsprung Disease, Juvenile Rheumatoid Arthritis, Lactose Intolerance, Migraine Headaches, Neurological Disorders, Obesity, Orthopedic Injuries, School Phobia, Seasonal Allergies, Seizure Disorders, Sickle Cell Disease/Trait, Thyroid Disorders, Urinary Disorders and Vision Disorders.
Jefferson Elementary	523/91	5	CSN FT	ADD/ADHD, Anxiety, Asthma, Autism, Bowel/Bladder Incontinence, Cardiac Arrhythmias, Cardiac Disease, Dysmenorrhea, Epistaxis, Eosinophilic Esophagitis, Eczema, Food Allergies, GI Disorders, Heart Murmur, Hearing Impaired, Hypertension, Lactose Intolerance, Leukemia, Mental/Emotional Disorders, Migraines, Obesity, Orthodontia, Orthopedic Disorders, PANS/PANDA, School Phobia, Scleroderma, Scoliosis, Seasonal Allergies, Seizure Disorders, Sickle Cell Disease, Spina Bifida, Type 1 Diabetes, and Visual Impairments.
Livingston Elementary	396/49	PK-4	CSN FT	ADD/ADHD, Allergies (Seasonal/Food/Bee Sting/Medication/with and without Anaphylaxis) Asthma (including Reactive Airway Disease, with and without daily medication/treatment), Autism Spectrum Disorder (including Asperger's Syndrome, Cardiac (including Aortic Stenosis Syndrome, Dextrocardia, Murmur, Tetralogy of Fallot Repair, SVT, WPW, Arrhythmias), Communication Disorders (Language Delay, Hearing Impaired), Dental Disorders, Gastrointestinal (including Lactose Intolerance) Genetic Disorders including TRAPS (Tumor Necrosis Factor Receptor Associated Periodic Syndrome (Periodic)/Hematological Disorders (including Sickle Cell Disease/Von Willebrand), Neurological Disorders (including Migraine Headaches, Seizure Disorder), Gross and Fine Motor Disorders (including Congenital Duplication of Thumb), Nutritional Disorders (including Underweight (<5%) and Obesity (95%), Orthopedic Disorders (including Scoliosis/Panhyopituitarism, Psychiatric & Behavioral Issues (including Anxiety), Skin Disorders (including Eczema and Psoriasis, Ciliary Dyskinesia, Situs Inversus, Thyroiditis, Hashimoto Disease/Autoimmune Disorders/Visual and Auditory Impairment/Wilm's Tumor.

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Schools	Population Regular and Special Needs	Grades	Plan	Rationale Medication, Health Assessments, Health Education, Health Service Programs - All Schools
Washington Elementary	551/168	PK-4	CSN FT	Abnormal High Palate, Acid Reflux, ADD/ADHD, Anaphylaxis (Food Allergies), Angiohemophilia-Type 1 Asthma, Autism, Beta Thalassemia Minor, Broviac Catheter, Cardiac Disease (Heart Murmur), Carnitine Deficiency, Celiac Disease, Cerebral Palsy, Chordee, Chorioretinal Degenerative/Dystrophy, Chronic Lung Disease, Cochlear Implants, Coloboma of Right Eye, Communication Impaired, Convergence Insufficiency, Developmental Hip Dysplasia, Dietary Issues, Epistaxis, Esophageal Atresia, Eczema & other Dermatological Diseases, Febrile Convulsion, G6PD, G-Tube, Glaucoma, Gross Motor Weakness, Hearing Impaired, Hemi-Paralysis, Henoch-Schonlein Purpura, Hernia, HIV, Hirschsprungs Disease, Horner's Syndrome, Hypomagnesemia, Hydrocephalus, Hydrocele, Hypermetropia, Hypotonia, Impaired Contrast Sensitivity, Juvenile Rheumatoid Arthritis, Neuroblastoma, Orthopedic Problems, Overweight/Underweight, PDD-NOS, PHACES Syndrome, Presyncope Episode - Vasovagal/Neurogenic in nature, Reactive Airway Disease, School Phobia, Sensory integrative Disorder, Short Gut Syndrome (Colostomy), Sickle Cell, SVT, Systemic Onset Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis, Thyroid Disease, Tourette's Syndrome.
Burnet Middle School	1017/25	6-8	CSN FT	ADD/ADHD, Acondroplasia, Anaphylaxis, Asthma, Autism, Cardiac Disease, Cerebral Palsy, Communication Disorder, Diabetes Type 1, Dyssemorrhhea, Dwarfism, Eczema, Emotional Disorders, Epilepsy, Epistaxis, Food/Medicine/Seasonal Allergies, GI Issues, Hearing Impaired, Hyperlipidemia, Hypertension, Hypoglycemia, G6PD, IBS, Lactose Intolerance, Leukemia, Limb Discrepancy, Migraines, Mobility Impairment, Narcolepsy, Neurological Disorder, Nutritional Disorders, Ocular Albinism, Orthopedic Issues, PANDAS, Psychiatric/Behavioral Issues, Reactive Airway Disease, Reflux, Scoliosis, Seizure Disorder, Sickle Cell, Traumatic Brain Injury, Visual Impairment, Von-Willebrand, and Williams Syndrome.
Kawameeh Middle School	708/108	6-8	CSN FT	ADD, ADHD, Anaphylaxis Alert, Anxiety, Asperger's Syndrome, Asthma, Autism, Auto-Immune Disorder, Cardiac Concerns (Chest Pain) Disease, Celiac Disease, Cerebral Palsy, Chronic Fatigue Syndrome, Crohns Disease, Concussion, Cystic Fibrosis, Depression, Dermatological Disorders, Down's Syndrome, Dysmenorrhhea, Eating Disorders, Epilepsy, Epistaxis, Fibromyalgia, Food Allergies, G6PD Deficiency, GI Disorders, Glaucoma Legally Blind, Hearing Impaired, Hypertension, Hypoglycemia, Hypothyroid, Urinary Incontinence/toilet training, Insulin Dependent Diabetes, ITP, Kidney Disease, Klippel-Feil Syndrome, Lactose Intolerance, Leukemia, Lyme's Disease, Mesenteric Lymphadenitis, Migraines, Missing Immunizations, Mobility Impairment, Mononucleosis, Neurological Disorders, Obesity, Optic Nerve Atrophy, Orthopedic Concerns, Osgood-Schlatter's, Osteogenesis Imperfecta, Reactive Airway Disease, Reflux Disease, School Phobia, Scoliosis, Seizure Disorder, Sickle Cell Disease/Trait Tourette's Syndrome, Spastic Dysplasia, Spinal Bifida Occulta, Spinal Muscular Atrophy-Type II, Sun Exposure Concerns/Vision Concerns, Ulcerative Colitis.
High School	2,332/389	9-12	2 CSN FT	ADHD, Allergies, Anaphylaxis, Anemia, Anxiety, Aplastic Anemia, Asthma, Autism, Autoimmune Disorders, Blood Disorders, Brugada Syndrome, Cancer, Cardiac Disease, Cerebral Palsy, Chron's Disease, Cystic Fibrosis, Diabetes, Down Syndrome, Dysmenorrhhea, Fibromyalgia, Genetic Disorders, Gilverts Syndrome, Hearing Impaired, Heart Disease, Hemophilia, Hypertension, IBS, Incontinence, Insulin Dependent Disability, Kidney Disease, Leg Length Discrepancy, Leukemia, Mental/Emotional Disorders, Microcephaly, Migraines, Mobility Impairment, Mononucleosis, Muscular Dystrophy, Neurofibromatosis, Non-Hodgkins, Orthopedic Conditions, Osteogenesis Imperfecta, POTS, Pregnancy, Psychiatric/Behavior Disorders, Schizophrenic, School Phobia, Scoliosis, Seizure Disorders, Short Gut Syndrome, Sickle Cell, Sleep Apnea, Spina Bifida, SVT, Syncope, Thyroid Disorders, Tourettes Syndrome, Turner Syndrome, Ulcerative Colitis, and Visual Impairment.
Director	Nursing Services & Health Ed.	FT		Maintain Nursing Service Programs & Health Education Curriculum and Instruction.
Secretary	Nursing Services & Health Ed.	2 FT		Numerous Secretarial Type Projects.

Linda Ionta _____ Date: 9/14/19
 Dr. Bharati Mullick _____ Date: _____
 Greg Tatum _____ Date: _____
 Greg Brennan _____ Date: _____
 Athletic Director
 School Physician
 Superintendent
 Board Secretary