

 KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Legislative Bill	Blue Bill # HB 08						
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School: East Oldham Middle School							
City: Crestwood							

1 An act to require schools have a nurse on duty during regular school hours.

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: More than 53 million children in the United States spend almost one-fourth of their waking hours
6 in school or on school property. More than 300,000 school-aged children have epilepsy and about 4.5
7 million have ADHD. Over 15,000 kids learn that they have type one diabetes each year. Three million suffer
8 from food allergies, and nine million have asthma. Often, registered nurses must divide their time between
9 schools buildings that are miles apart. Because of these circumstances, each school in Kentucky should have
10 a nurse on duty at all- time during school hours.

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12 Section 2: School nurses should be on duty at all time during school hours in order to be able to treat
13 students who have a serious injury, sickness, or an attack. The nurse will serve as a medically trained
14 professional to provide immediate care until EMS can arrive.

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16 Section 3: The bill will affect the students as they will be protected and kept safe from medical harm by the
17 full time nurse. This will also affect the parents of the children who attend Kentucky schools because they
18 will know that their child is safer and that they can trust their child's education system.

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20 Section 4: Offenses for a school in Kentucky without a full time nurse.

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22 1st offense- \$100 fine to the school district without a school nurse.
23 2nd offense- Take away state funding from the school district.

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25 Section 5: This bill will not affect the colleges of Kentucky or anyone not attending school.

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27 Section 6: Funding for the school nurse's pay will come from the parents in the beginning of the year as a fee
28 assigned from the school board. Schools needing assistance will be supplemented by the state.

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30 Section 7: Upon passage, this bill will become a law in the beginning of the 2014-2015 school year.