

| The Classical Academy | Policies and Procedures |  |
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| Policy Name:          | Accident Forms          |  |
| Policy Number:        | EBBB-TCA                |  |
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| Category:             | Operations              |  |
| Author:               | School Nurse            |  |
| Approval:             | Director of Operations  |  |

### Forms should be filled out:

- Anytime 911 is called
- If a broken bone is suspected or for bruising/swelling
- Any laceration that may require suturing
- Any bump on the head (other than a very minor bump)
- Any loss of consciousness
- Any eye injury
- Anytime a student is sent to a physician for evaluation due to an injury sustained at school
- If you are unsure!

### **Information to Include:**

- 1. How did the accident occur?
- 2. What was the student doing?
- 3. Where was the student?
- 4. List specifically unsafe acts and unsafe conditions existing.
- 5. Specify any tool, machinery, or equipment (including playground) involved.
- 6. Describe what the injured area looks like (for example..."Johnny has swollen area the size of orange on his R wrist which is also black and blue").
- 7. If a head injury is involved, please note the level of consciousness (for example..."Johnny is able to answer my questions appropriately").
- 8. Indicate which side an injury is on, right (R) or left (L).

Do NOT use white out on these forms – draw a line through the error and initial. No accident reports are to be kept in the Cum/Health files.

<u>After the form is completed</u>, please give to your health room staff. They will contact you if they need clarification. The health room will notify the parents if needed for follow up.

<u>Health Paraprofessionals</u> – After the principal has signed the form, please give to school nurse. The original will be signed and be sent to the secondary health paraprofessional for distribution.

### **Policy Revision History**

| Date      | Revision Details                                | Revised By      |
|-----------|---|-----------------|
| 3/28/2013 | Reformatted policy into new template. Completed | Tammie Chasteen |
|           | annual review.                                  |                 |

## **Procedure for Accident Report Distribution**

When an accident happens, and you receive an Accident Report, please follow this procedure:

- 1) Be sure the report is complete and the Principal has signed it. Ensure the accident is recorded in the Health Room Log as a visit and note that an Accident Report has been completed.
- 2) Make 1 copy and send original to the Secondary Health Paraprofessional (Assistant to Lead Nurse), preferably the same day as the incident occurred.
- **3) Secondary Health Paraprofessional will make two copies.** Original will be filed. One copy will be distributed to the Executive Director, Director of Operations, and Security/Safety Program Manager for their signature. One copy will be given to the Security/Safety Program Manager for his files.
- 4) At the beginning of each month, the Secondary Health Paraprofessional will make a copy of all originals from the previous month and send to District 20: Risk Management.

# **ACCIDENT REPORT(S)**

Please initial and date as you review, and then pass it on. Thank you!

|   | <u>Initial</u> | <u>Date</u> |
|---|----------------|-------------|
| Executive Director<br>Director of Operation |                |             |
| Security/Safety Progr                       |                |             |