



WE ARE YOUR SCHOOLS

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FORT WAYNE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

Dear Parent/Guardian of a Student with Diabetes:

Fort Wayne Community Schools provides nursing services that promote each student's ability to learn. We want to provide a safe educational environment and to advocate for good control of your student's diabetes while present at school. You, your child's school nurse, and your diabetes health care provider work together toward this goal.

Please help us get off to a good start with the new school year by paying close attention to the enclosed packet of information.

**The Indiana state law regarding children with diabetes states that:**

**1. A new Diabetes Medical Management Plan must be signed by a physician and given to the school on or before the first day of student attendance each year.**

**2. All students must have all necessary supplies on or before the first day of school.** See the enclosed supply list.

Please fill out the shaded parts of the Diabetes Medical Management Plan. Take it to your child's medical appointment and have them finish completing it. If your child will not see the doctor before the beginning of the next school year, ask them to mail or fax a completed plan to the school **on or before the first day of school.** (Don't forget to sign the form.)

Contact your school nurse if you have any questions or if you would like to meet before school starts to discuss your student's individual needs.

Thank you in advance for your attention to this matter. We look forward to a healthy and successful school year!

Sincerely,

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