

# 8<sup>th</sup> Graders



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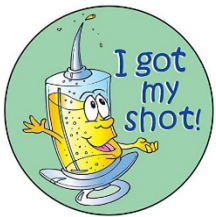
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## Hello From Your School Nurse

### Hello Parents and Guardians

Welcome back to Wilson Middle School, we are your nurses Mrs. Walch and Mrs. Barnum. We are here to help you have the best year possible. If it is medication at school that your child needs, a quick band-aid fix, or an ice pack we are here for you. We're also here to make sure the kids are healthy and safe and we can do that by making sure vaccines and physicals are up to date. Below is break down of what we need to help make the process easier.



That's right, by 8<sup>th</sup> grade you're all set until 12<sup>th</sup> grade!

### If your child needs medication at school

-We are able to administer prescription and Over the Counter medications as long as we have a (1) doctors order for the medication, (2) your signature allowing us to give the medication, and (3) the medication in the original box that it came from the pharmacy in. We can then store the medication safely in the clinic and make sure that if your child needs it, it's here for them. \*\*\*Keep in mind that unfortunately we will need updated information every school year, as orders are specific to each school year\*\*\*

\*\*In case of an emergency, we do have an office stock of Epi-Pens, and can administer them if needed based on an order from our school medical director\*\*

### Yearly Physicals

-We do ask that you provide the clinic with a copy of your child physical so we have record that they are healthy and cleared to participate in physical activities. The great thing about electronic medical records is that most offices can fax it right to us at 716-751-9597 and you don't have to do any running around. \*Email is also a great option [swalch@wilsoncsd.org](mailto:swalch@wilsoncsd.org) or [ebarnum@wilsoncsd.org](mailto:ebarnum@wilsoncsd.org)

### Injury notes

-We hope it doesn't happen but with active kids, comes injuries at times. If your child is injured and needs to be out of gym/sports or needs accommodations to be successful in school, we can make that happen for you. Please get us the doctors note via fax or by dropping it off and we'll take care of the rest.

### Going home from the clinic

When your child is ill and needs to return home from school, you will need to pick them up from the middle school office. When you check in with the office, they will let us know and we will send them down.