

Board of Health

October 2018 Monthly Report-School Health Unit

School Nursing Services Provided	17-Oct	18-Oct	Total 17-18	YTD 2017	YTD 2018
Total Student Encounters					
Totals	14,778	17150	151,903	29,770	30,008
911 Emergency Calls					
Student	12	8	60	17	21
Staff	1	2	14	3	4
Medication Administration					
Totals	4,073	4962	44,499	7,571	8,120
Nursing Assessment					
Student	9,754	11759	86,879	18,813	20,760
Staff	37	20	323	42	87
Glucose Testing	740	870	6,786	1,559	1,534
Nausea/vomiting	1,068	1225	9,989	1,078	2,317
Tube Feedings	263	231	2,587	510	364
pulse Oximetry	21	20	325	36	38
Screenings					
Vision	1,369	1580	9,475	2,390	2,242
Hearing	805	962	7,343	1,474	1,386
BMI	29	296	2,935	251	502
Postural	27	37	4,323	84	75

SBIRT (Screening, Brief Intervention, Referral, & Treatment) was completed on 1,406 students in grades 7 & 9 district wide.

Human Trafficking & Sexual Exploitation training of all the school nurses was conducted by NFI (North American Family Institute) Family Resource Center of Lowell.

Through a grant from the Smith Family Foundation Lowell shares with other districts the use of the vision SPOT machine to test all our students under the age of 6. It is a quick, easy & accurate method of screening Pre-k & K students for potential vision issues.

The LHS Nurses & Clinical Manager have met with the LHS building Architects so they can be included in the design of the nurse's office.

School Nurse Coordinator & Clinical Managers continue to collaborate with our community partners in the interest of health and wellness and have attended:

Refugee Health Assessment Planning, Health & Wellness district wide meeting, and the Greater Lowell Health Alliance annual meeting.

