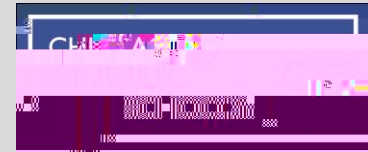




This new policy promotes the awareness and management of



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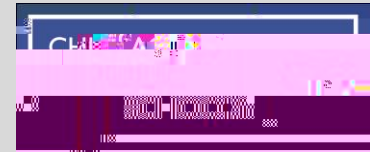
Identifies staff training requirements

Permits students to carry and self-administer their asthma medication with parent permission

Identifies the 504 plan requirements

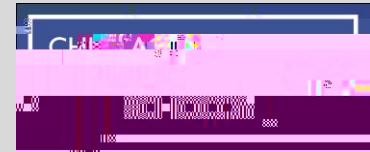
Provides Asthma Management guidelines to ensure proper implementation of this policy

CPS is one of the first large school districts in the nation to create a stand-alone asthma policy.



This new policy will implement the requirements of the Illinois Care of Students with Diabetes Act (December 2010).

This Act recognizes that a school nurse may not be in a school full-time, and therefore, provides for the identification and training of a Delegated Care Aide (DCA) for every student with diabetes.



School staff volunteering as DCAs will be provided with a stipend and will be trained to perform all of the functions required to assist a student with diabetes.

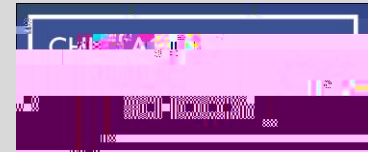
Diabetes Management guidelines will be issued to ensure proper implementation of this policy.

The DCA does not take the place of a nurse and will assist a student with diabetes in the event the school nurse is not available.



Rescinds former policies and establishes a consolidated  
ADA and 504 policy

Creates a clear and aligned system for CPS to address  
disability



*Specifically the consolidated policy:*

Eliminates confusion regarding which CPS office is responsible for receiving and handling requests, accommodations, and appeals for both students and adults

Establishes timeline for CPS to respond