

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES
CARSON CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**POLICY No. 511
STUDENTS**

USE OF MEDICATION

The Board shall not be responsible for the diagnosis and treatment of student illness. The administration of prescribed medication to a student during school hours will be permitted only when failure to take such medication would jeopardize the health of the student or the student would not be able to attend school if the medicine were not made available during school hours.

For the purposes of this policy, “medication” shall include all medicines prescribed by a physician, any patent drug, aspirin, or cough drops.

The Superintendent shall prepare regulations to implement this policy.

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