Health and Safety

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Shelby County Schools

Division of Early Childhood

TDOE Notebook

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- Current and comprehensive first aid information shall be available to all staff who interacts with children.
- Current and complete immunization records are on file for each child before program participation.
- Allergies are noted on the data sheets.
- Health records are on file for all students.
- Proofs of medical or religious exemptions are noted in student files.
- Special needs records are maintained by the special education clerical.
- Children are observed daily for any accidents or injuries.
- Any injuries or serious illnesses are report to parents immediately.
- Symptomatic children are excluded and parents notified.
- Children are checked upon arrival.
- All parents are notified of communicable disease.
- Universal precautions are followed when handling bodily fluids.
- Accidents and injuries or children are reported and accident forms filled out.
- Medications are administered with doctor's instructions (see Medication Policy).
- Medications are labeled with child's name and instructions.
- Medications are not handled by students.
- Medical records clerk administers and logs all medication.
- All medicine stored in a locked place, away from food.
- Parents must pick up unused medicine.
- Smoking is not permitted on the premises of a childcare program.
- ❖ Alcoholic beverages, tobacco, or illegal drugs are not permitted on school grounds.
- General cleaning sanitized by approved solutions daily.
- Staff has TB Test with negative results. (On file in HR Department)
- Caregivers wash hands and are aware of cleanliness procedures.
- Surfaces are cleaned after contamination.
- Staff members are trained in CPR.
- A Staff member with 3 hours of first aid on duty.

- First aid information is available.
- Firearms are not on the premises.
- Dangerous utensils are secured and not available to children.
- A written disaster plan is available.
- Children practice emergency drills and logs of drills are maintained.
- Suspected abuse or neglect is reported to DCS.
- ❖ Appropriate procedures are followed during the investigative process.