

School-Based Health Center Consent for Treatment



Both DHS and FME Clinics provide: Physical exams & immunizations • Routine lab tests
• Care for acute illness and injury • Prescription medications • Assistance in care of certain chronic conditions such as asthma and diabetes • Behavioral health services • Dental screening & fluoride varnish application • Health education

The DHS Clinic also provides: Care for common adolescent physical concerns (weight, acne, menstrual issues, and smoking) • Pregnancy testing • Diagnosis & treatment of sexually transmitted diseases • Family planning, birth control information and abstinence counseling • Drug and alcohol prevention, education assessment and counseling

Parental/Guardian Consent:

I give my consent for _____ Date of Birth: _____
to receive necessary and/or advisable health services from staff at the Durango High School and/or the Florida Mesa School-Based Health Centers. I understand the services listed above will be available. I understand that my student may be seen at the SBHC with my consent if under 18 years of age or not emancipated, and that this consent will remain in force until my student leaves his/her school, or until I revoke said consent in writing. I do acknowledge that based on Colorado Law, any minor may be seen for family planning services and substance use services, or any minor 15 and older may be seen for mental health without parental notification if they are an enrolled user of the SBHC.

Release of Information:

In conformance with Colorado law guiding all medical facilities, my student may request that visits, other than primary physical healthcare, remain confidential under certain circumstances. I understand that the SBHCs are HIPAA compliant healthcare centers. Information in my student's healthcare record is confidential and will not be released to any unauthorized person or agency without written consent. Exceptions to other care are outlined in our Privacy Practices available online at www.axishealthsystem.org and at the SBHC by request. AHS staff will depend on statements made by the patient, information provided in patient's medical history and other information as available to evaluate a patient's condition and decide on the best treatment.

Some services at AHS may be provided with telemedicine equipment and involve interaction with providers who are not physically in the clinic for your appointment. These sessions are transmitted via secure, dedicated high-speed lines and are not: videotaped, routed through the Internet, or saved in any way. However, relevant information from your visit will be documented in your medical records, just as it would be if the provider had been physically present.

Your healthcare providers will discuss with you the benefits and risks of treatment. If you are unclear about your treatment or the protection of your records, please feel free to ask questions at any time. I understand that the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE) provides funding for the health services I receive at this school-based health center, and is legally able to receive information regarding services provided to patients. CDPHE receives combined data for all patients, and this data does not specifically identify any individual patient.

I also understand that access to my student's healthcare records, other than physical health or as outlined in our Privacy Practices, require my student to complete a written release of information (ROI). An ROI can be obtained by contacting either of the SBHCs at (970) 385-1168 or (970) 375-3832.

Patient or Legal Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Patient name (please print): _____

Legal Guardian name (please print): _____