



Eligibility Guidelines

Services are available for any student with an identified health-related learning need*, who is registered in any school program from ECS to Grade 12, and who meets the following criteria:

- The student's health needs impact his/her educational outcomes.
- The student is not currently receiving public sector service from another provider that supports an identified health-related learning need* within the school environment.
- The student does not require crisis intervention.**

Services available through the Student Health Partnership (SHP) are limited and are not designed to be long term. Whenever possible SHP services will be provided within the school environment. Priority may be given to students not previously served.

Please note that the above are guidelines and that each student's situation will be judged on an individual basis within the context of each school system and community.

* A health-related learning need includes those disabilities or conditions that may prevent a child from being successful in his or her school program. Those disabilities and conditions include: physical disabilities, developmental disabilities, neurological disorders, sensory impairments, medical conditions, and/or emotional and/or behavioral disabilities. Student health services include: rehabilitation (speech-language therapy, physical therapy, occupational therapy, and audiology) and emotional/behavioral supports including behavioral interventions, therapy and counseling.

**The Student Health Partnership is not able to assist with crisis intervention or to provide long-term services. Crisis intervention is accessible through each school jurisdiction's internal processes as well as through community resources that can be accessed directly by parents.