

# Fox Mill Elementary Health Room



A partnership between FCPS and Fairfax County Health Dept.

# Role of the School Public Health Nurse

## Minjung Ellenburg, RN

- Review Health Information forms provided by parents
- Develop care plans when needed
- Train school staff to support student health needs
- Supervises the School Health Aide

# Role of the School Health Aide

## Teresa Knowlan, SHA

- Works in the Health Room
- Takes care of sick and injured students
- Dispenses medications
- Coordinates Hearing/Vision screening.



# What parents need to know

- Complete the Health Information Form - so we know about health conditions
  - Update this form during the year, as necessary
- Complete the Emergency Card Card-Lets us know how to reach you
  - Update this form during the year, as necessary

# What parents need to know

Parents must provide any medication that their child might need during the school year

- Epinephrine
- Inhaler
- OTC medication (i.e. Tylenol, Advil)
- Daily medications



All medications must be accompanied by the appropriate FCPS medication form.



# And last but not least

There are 4 “automatic go home” situations:

- Fever of 100.4 degrees or higher
- Vomiting related to illness (kids throw up for a lot of different reasons)
- Diarrhea
- Undiagnosed rash

Please keep kids home **until symptoms have been resolved for 24 hours without medication**. This will help reduce transmission of viral illness.

# Contact Us!

Call the nurse or School Health Aide with any questions or concerns.

The nurse works all summer!



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