

## MN ASSOCIATION OF CHARTER SCHOOLS – NEW LAW PRIMER 2023

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### **NEW: OPIATE ANTAGONISTS** - (MN STATUTES 121A.224)

#### **REQUIREMENTS**

- 1] A district or charter school must maintain a supply of opiate antagonists, at **each school site**.
- 2] Each school building must have **two doses** of nasal naloxone available on-site.
- 3] Opiate antagonists must be **administrated in compliance** with the (MN Statutes 151.37 subd.12).

#### **EMERGENCY ADMINISTRATION**

**Nothing in (MN Statutes 151.37 subd. 12) prohibits the possession and administration of naloxone pursuant to the Good Samaritan Law (MN Statutes 604.04) which states;**

“A person who is not a health care professional **who acts in good faith in administering an opiate antagonist to another person whom the person believes in good faith** to be suffering a drug overdose is immune from criminal prosecution for the act and is not liable for any civil damages for acts or omissions resulting from the act.”

#### **SCHOOL PLAN**

School boards are encouraged to **adopt a model plan** for use, storage, and administration of opiate antagonists.

#### **RESOURCES**

The **Commissioner of Health must identify resources**, including **at least one training video** to assist schools implement an opiate antagonist emergency response and make these resources available to schools.

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**EFFECTIVE DATE - JULY 1, 2023**