



School nurses are a vital part of inspiring and challenging every child, every day at Auburn-Washburn School District. The National Association of School Nurses (NASN) research shows that:

- School nurses influence attendance, which influences achievement and graduation rates.
- School nurses are an essential arm of public health, promoting wellness and preventing injury.
- School nurses are crucial to children's mental health.
- Through case management of chronic illness, school nurses play a pivotal role in the health and well-being of children, and contribute to improved health and education outcomes.
- School nursing services allow faculty and school leaders to teach and lead.
- There are significantly more children in special education, and more children in school with medically fragile conditions and chronic illnesses.

There are many great benefits to being a school nurse, including:

- Working with children and making a difference in their lives, wellness, and learning.
- Working Monday through Friday during the day (no 12-hour shifts and no weekends).
- Getting holidays off, including two weeks for winter break and one week for spring break.
- Having the option to take summers off.
- Having your own office and organizing it as you see fit.
- Having safe and clean working environments.
- Being part of the community and getting to know the families you serve.

To learn more about our school nurse positions and current openings, please [click this link](#).