

**Specialty Role Public Health Nurse Interventions
Licensed School Nurse and Corrections Nurse**

Public Health Intervention	Individual-Family	Community	Systems
Surveillance	Case finding Identify cases of communicable disease Pertussis, lice (LSN) TB (CN)	Monitor rates of communicable disease in school and corrections (LSN, CN)	Policy development for school exclusion for lice (LSN) Policy development for TB screening (CN)
Disease & other health event investigation	Case finding Pertussis case investigation (LSN) TB case investigation (CN)	Education of parents about immunization policies (LSN) Handwashing and disease prevention information to inmates during flu outbreak (CN)	All hazards plan (LSN, CN) work with CDC/MDH/County School anthrax mass dispensing site (LSN) Isolation/exclusion policies (LSN,CN)
Outreach	Case finding “Safe place” signs for GLBTQ in health office (LSN) Nurse assessment of all new inmates (CN)	Publicity for counseling support services and support groups in school (LSN) Support group information for inmates families (CN)	Yearly plan for education to reach all high school students about anxiety/depression (LSN) TB screening policy all new inmates (CN)
Screening	Case finding Vision and hearing screening (LSN) TB and mini-depression screening (CN) Hypertension screening of staff (LSN, CN)	School health fair screening for students and staff – provide information about screening tests and availability across lifespan (LSN)	Vision and hearing screening policy (LSN) TB screening policy all new inmates (CN)
Referral and follow-up	Refer student who fails vision screening to eye doctor (LSN) Refer and follow up with physician for student/inmate with communicable disease (LSN,CN) Refer family/discharged inmate to food shelf and/or WIC (LSN,CN)	Provide resource list on school health website for low cost eye doctors, dentists, WIC, family planning etc. (LSN) Posters in jail common area on corrections nurse services, support groups, education offerings (CN)	Develop community resource list for school and corrections staff and discharged inmate (LSN,CN)
Case management	Communication with physicians and therapists for students/inmates with health	Teacher/jailer education for common chronic conditions	Policies and LSN involvement for students with 504 plan (LSN) Policies/protocols for

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	conditions(LSN,CN) Advocate for students/inmates with teachers/jailers r/t health conditions (LSN,CN)		managing inmates with chronic health condition (CN)
Delegated functions	Student /inmate medication management (LSN, CN)	Education and supervision of health assistant/jailer for medication administration (LSN,CN)	Policy/protocols for medication administration(LSN,CN)
Health teaching	Reinforcement of asthma/diabetes education for student/inmate (LSN,CN)	Nutrition education class for diabetes support group (LSN,CN)	Development of consistent educational materials for asthma/diabetes education (LSN,CN)
Counseling	Meeting with student with suspected pregnancy (LSN) Meeting with inmate with depression (CN)	Organize and publicize support groups (LSN,CN)	Develop policies for qualifications for support group leaders in school/jail (LSN,CN)
Consultation	Consult with physician/health care team for student/inmate with new or unusual diagnosis (LSN,CN)	Make protocols available to all teachers and jailers (LSN,CN)	Develop protocol for consultation with physician/therapists for students/inmates with new or unusual diagnosis (LSN,CN)
Collaboration	Refer truant students and juvenile offenders to Safe Harbors for Youth program (LSN,CN)	Publicize Safe Harbors in youth activity center and school/juvenile detention center bulletin boards (LSN, CN)	Safe Harbors for Youth Program (Police, LSN, PHN) collaboration for sexual assault, homelessness, truancy, sex trafficking.
Coalition building	Not applicable	Publicize grant activities, involve community partners (LSN)	Safe Student Healthy Schools grant writing/development Includes parks, housing, counseling (LSN)
Community organizing	Not applicable	Implement policies for increased physical activity during the school day. Include parents, students, teachers (LSN)	Work with stakeholders to develop policies for increased physical activity during the school day (LSN)
Advocacy	Accompany student/family to physician appointment.	Advocate for health needs of students/inmates with	Review HIPPA regulations to ensure student/inmate

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	Communication before/after physician appointment for inmate(LSN,CN)	teachers/jailers (LSN,CN)	information privacy (LSN,CN)
Social marketing	Family violence prevention posters in restrooms of school (LSN) Family violence prevention posters in common room of jail (CN)	Publicize community education to prevent child abuse (LSN) Publicize jail support group for drug abuse (CN)	Work with school staff and jailers to make sure health messages are reviewed by LSN or CN.
Policy development & enforcement	Review student immunization record yearly (LSN) Carry out TB screening of new inmates per protocol (CN)	Communicate immunization requirements to parents at set intervals (LSN) Communicate TB screening protocol to jailers (CN)	Immunization policy enforcement plan based on MDH recommendations (LSN) TB screening plan based on MDN recommendations (CN)

Key

LSN – Licensed School Nurse

CN – Corrections PHN

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