

**Milton-Freewater
School District 7**

Code: **EBBB**
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Injury/Illness Reports

All injuries/illnesses occurring on district premises, in school vehicles, at a school sponsored activity or involving staff members who may be elsewhere on school business will be reported immediately to a supervisor. A written report will be submitted within 24 hours to the safety officer. Reports will cover property damage as well as personal injury. Copies of such reports may be forwarded to the district's agent-of-record and legal counsel when necessary or appropriate.

In the event of a work-related¹ illness or injury to an employee resulting in overnight hospitalization for medical treatment² other than first aid, the safety officer shall inform the Oregon Occupational Safety and Health Division (OR-OSHA). A report will be made within 24 hours after notification to the district of an illness or injury. Fatalities or catastrophes³ shall be reported with eight hours.

All injuries/illnesses will be promptly investigated. As a result of the investigation any corrective measures needed will be acted upon.

Monthly records will be maintained. An analysis of the data and trends will be made at least annually.

The Board will receive reports on serious injuries/illnesses and periodic statistical reports if a number and type of injuries/illnesses are occurring in the district, as well as on the measures being taken to prevent such injuries/illnesses in the future.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[OAR 437-001-0015](#)
[OAR 437-001-0700](#)
[OAR 437-001-0760](#)

[OAR 437-002-0140](#)
[OAR 437-002-0144](#)
[OAR 437-002-0145](#)

[OAR 437-002-0360](#)
[OAR 437-002-0377](#)
[OAR 581-022-1420](#)

¹An injury or illness is work-related if an event or exposure in the work environment caused or contributed to the condition or significantly aggravated a pre-existing condition.

²Medical treatment includes managing or caring for a patient for the purpose of combating disease or disorder. The following are not considered medical treatment: visits to a doctor or health care professional solely for observation or counseling; diagnostic procedures including administering prescription medication used solely for diagnostic purposes; and any procedure that can be labeled first aid.

³A catastrophe is an accident in which two or more employees are fatally injured, or three or more employees are admitted to a hospital or an equivalent medical facility.