

Diamondhead Clinic Consent for Infants, Preschoolers and Elementary School Children

If you have children, infancy through high school, who live or attend school in Burnsville, they are eligible to receive free medical care at Diamondhead Clinic located at 200 W. Burnsville Parkway, Suite 106, Burnsville. For your son or daughter to receive clinic services, you must complete this consent form and return it to the clinic. Young people without a signed consent form (in hand or on file at the clinic) cannot be treated by clinic staff.

I give permission for _____ (child's name) _____ (date of birth) to use Diamondhead Clinic.

I will allow my son or daughter to receive **ALL*** clinic services, including the following.

- **Routine care.** Treatment for colds, flu, infections, headaches, earaches, sore throats, sprains, cuts, burns, skin problems, abdominal pain, back pain, physical exams for sports, shots, screenings.
- **Counseling.** Help dealing with stress, anxiety, depression, abuse and neglect, mental health services, self-esteem development, suicide prevention.
- **Health education.** Weight management, special diet counseling, smoking prevention.
- **Lab services.** Routine blood and urine tests, throat cultures, diabetes tests.

*** IMPORTANT: If there are services listed above you do not want your son or daughter to receive, cross them out. He or she will receive only those services that remain on the list.**

Allergies—My son or daughter has the following allergies: _____

Medications—My son or daughter uses the following medications: _____

Signature: _____ **Relationship to student:** _____

Date: _____ **Daytime phone:** _____

- This consent form will be on file at the clinic and is valid for one academic year.
- A written consent is required annually.
- Consent forms are available at the clinic and all Burnsville public and private schools.

Return this form to Diamondhead Clinic, 200 W. Burnsville Parkway, Suite 106, Burnsville, MN 55337.

Diamondhead Clinic was developed through the efforts of Park Nicollet Foundation and Burnsville Public Schools.

Diamondhead Clinic

Vision

Healthy kids are better learners.

Mission

To improve the health of children in the Burnsville-Eagan-Savage School District by providing access to primary care without barriers in a confidential, compassionate and respectful manner.

Guiding Principle

Services provided with a commitment to identification and removal of barriers to improve health care access for each child. Children who are healthy will have a positive identity, be more socially competent, feel more competent and realize the support of a caring community.

Overview

- Serves children birth through high school years.
Primary groups of children served live or attend school within the Burnsville-Eagan-Savage School District. Children from communities immediately outside district area may be referred on an individual basis by a representative of their school or other community group. The representative should call the clinic to describe the health care problem and confirm that the child can be seen at the clinic.
- Located in the Diamondhead Education Center, lower level, **200 W. Burnsville Parkway, Suite 106**
Phone: 952-707-4171
Fax: 952-707-4187
Hours: Tuesday and Thursday, 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
This is a walk-in clinic; no appointment necessary.
- Services include: Routine preventive services including immunizations, preventive health visits, athletic physicals, and health education/counseling; diagnosis and treatment of common, acute and/or minor medical conditions; confidential services for treatment of sexually transmitted infections and prevention of pregnancy; referral to appropriate health services for problems requiring consultation, further diagnostic testing and/or ongoing care by a health care professional; primary care evaluation, treatment and/or referral for mental health needs.

Services provided at the clinic are without charge. Problems that require referral to outside health care providers may or may not be available without cost. Children needing outside services who do not have insurance may apply for appropriate government programs through assistance from Community Action Council family support workers.
- A parental permission form is required for treatment except as stipulated by Minnesota law. Under Minnesota law minors may receive treatment for sexually transmitted infections, chemical dependency, pregnancy and conditions associated with pregnancy, including pregnancy prevention, without parental permission. Permission forms may be obtained at your school's health office and at the clinic.
- The clinic does not handle medical emergencies. For emergency services call 9-1-1.
- For medical problems requiring care during off hours, parents and children should contact their regular clinic or physician, or a nearby urgent care clinic. If the child does not have a primary care physician and needs immediate assistance, contact the Community Action Council 24 hours a day at **952-985-5300**.
- The clinic is a collaboration between Park Nicollet Foundation, Burnsville-Eagan-Savage Schools, Community Action Council and Dakota County Public Health Department. Oversight of the clinic is facilitated by an advisory group representing the various partners.
- Care in the clinic is provided by Park Nicollet Health Services staff.