



April 13, 2016

Dear Parents/Guardian,

Galena R-II health services and Jordan Valley Community Health Center are very excited to offer the following onsite services to our students through Jordan Valley. Below you will find an explanation for each service and the criteria your child needs to meet for each service. In order to simplify the needed Jordan Valley permission/health forms for each program, we have combined all of the program forms into one permission form. You will find attached 2 pages front and back for Jordan Valley programs and also a parent consent form for a designated Galena School staff member to transport a student if necessary to one of our other district campuses. It is very important you complete all areas of these forms for your child and also mark the appropriate service/services you are interested in for your child to have access to during the 2016-2017 school year.

Tele-Health (Pilot program for onsite medical care for students)

Telehealth pilot program is new for 2016-2017 school year. We are excited to be designated a test site and offer this to our students for acute illness treatment, if the school nurse deems the need for Doctor Evaluation. **This program will be available to all students at no cost during the 2016-2017 school year while the program is in the Pilot phase.** Examples of possible acute illnesses that this program could offer potential treatment for: ear infections, rashes, pink eye, sinus infections, possible strep throat, minor illness or minor injuries. The school nurse would use special computerized equipment during a basic assessment that would send images to a Doctor or Nurse Practitioner at the Jordan Valley clinic in Springfield. If treatment is warranted JV staff will follow up with a parent /guardian on a treatment plan and this includes orders if a medication is deemed necessary; it would be called in to a pharmacy of your choice. If a pharmacy is not designated on the forms, medications will be called into Wal-Mart Pharmacy in Branson West. Please understand the initial assessment/appointment is at no cost to your child/you, but if a medication is ordered, it will be the responsibility of the parent/guardian to cover cost of necessary medications.

JV Mobile Tooth Truck

Jordan Valley Mobile Tooth Truck visits our district one week during the school year. They provide onsite preventative and restorative dental care to district students PK-12 that qualify. To qualify, your child would need to be insured through Mo Health Net/Medicaid or uninsured. Jordan Valley permission/health form and signed transportation form must be completed and turned in to your child's school nurse. **(District wide notification will be made when this program is available for student scheduling)**

The attached form must be completed and returned to your child's school nurse to participate in any of the above programs. For more information on any of these services you may contact Julia Hagler, Galena R-II District Nurse 417-357-6377X 103.

Galena R-II Health Services