

Students with Disease and Chronic Health Conditions in Public Schools, Missouri 2023-2024

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Disease/Conditions	Number	Disease/Conditions	Number
Allergies – life threatening - Food	22,989	Sickle Cell Disease	479
Allergies – life threatening - Insect	3,553	Heart disease with activity restrictions	985
Allergies – life threatening - Latex	1,041	Hemophilia/bleeding disorder	865
Asthma – on medication at home or school	69,765	Hydrocephalus with shunt	621
Blind/Visually Impaired	10,618	Kidney disease	1,271
Cancer - History, not on medication	811	Mental Health	
Taking Chemotherapeutic Medication	182	• ADD/ADHD	77,055
Chronic infection (e.g., Hepatitis, etc.)	149	• Anxiety	29,007
Cleft lip and palate	497	• Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD)	17,916
Cystic Fibrosis	264	• Bi-polar	2,218
Daily special health care procedures		• Depression	14,870
Blood sugar check	2,672	• Obsessive Compulsive Disorder	2,106
Catheterization care	281	• Oppositional Defiance Disorder	5,108
Ostomy care	154	• Post-Traumatic Stress Syndrome	3,126
Tube feeding	707	• Tourette’s syndrome	1,259
Ventilator dependent	23	Migraine headaches	12,954
Suctioning	113	Neuromuscular disorder - non-progressive (Cerebral Palsy, etc.)	1,753
Nebulizer treatment	627	Neuromuscular disorder - progressive (e.g., Muscular Dystrophy, etc.)	414
Deaf/Hearing Impaired with no assistive devices	2,572	Organ Recipient	188
Deaf with FM systems	493	Orthopedic disability - permanent	2,002
Deaf with hearing aides	1,943	Orthopedic disability – temporary (e.g., Osgood Schlatter, fractures, etc.)	3,563
Deaf with cochlear implants	459	Scoliosis requiring treatment	1,053
Diabetes		Pregnancy	290
• Type 1	2,382	Teen Parenting	381
• Type 2	492	Rheumatoid Arthritis	403
Eating disorder (Anorexia, Bulimia, etc.)	727	Autoimmune disease (e.g., Lupus, etc.)	1,483
Gastrointestinal Disorders (e.g. Irritable Bowel Syndrome, etc.)	7,926	Routine medications at school	24,753
Crohn’s Disease	475	Seizure disorder	7,277
Ulcers	164	Students with "do not attempt resuscitate" (DNAR) order	12
Bowel/Bladder Incontinence	4,975	Traumatic Brain Injury	1,237
Chromosomal Abnormalities (Down Syndrome, Neurofibromatosis, etc.)	2,700	504 Plans	28,404

** Totals do not reflect 67 districts that did not respond to the survey.

491 out of 558 public school districts reported data to MDHSS. The enrollment in these districts was 869,594 representing 97% of all students enrolled in public schools (896,742) in the 2023-2024 school year.

[359,940 of the 869,594 students included in the reporting indicate having health insurance – 396,703 of the 869,594 included in the reporting districts indicated they did not inquire about health insurance status]

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