Assessing Emergencies in the School Setting

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Introduction and Course Overview

Course Plan

- This course is designed to assist the School Health Official in recalling the elements of the essential assessment of a student with an urgent or emergent problem.
- This course will inform the School Health Official how to integrate with the local Emergency Medical Responders, EMTs and Paramedics.

Objectives for this Course

- By the end of this course, the School Health Official will be able to:
 - Identify emergency mechanisms of injury or the presence of serious medical issues
 - Perform a quick assessment
 - Make a determination of the severity of the issue based on the assessment
 - Implement a plan of correct action for the situation
 - Perform a reassessment

Introductions

• What are your expectations from this course?