



# Proclamation

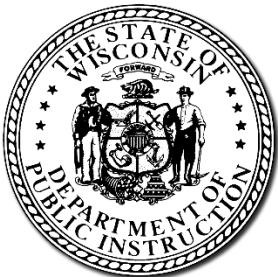
BY THE STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION


## School Nurse Day

- WHEREAS: in Wisconsin, we believe each student learns best in an environment that promotes social, emotional, and physical well-being and removes barriers to learning; and
- WHEREAS: students today face more complex and life-threatening health problems requiring care in school; and
- WHEREAS: school nurses are professional nurses that advance the well-being, academic success, and life-long achievements of all students by serving on the frontlines and providing a critical safety net for our nation's most fragile children; and
- WHEREAS: school nurses address the home and community factors (e.g., social determinants) that impact students' health acting as a liaison to the school community, families, and healthcare providers on behalf of children's health by promoting wellness and improving health outcomes for our state's children; and
- WHEREAS: school nurses support the physical and mental health and educational success of children and youth by providing the link between health and learning and are in a position to make a positive difference for children every day,
- THEREFORE: I, Jill K. Underly, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, declare Wednesday, May 10, 2023, as School Nurse Day to celebrate and acknowledge the efforts of Wisconsin school nurses in meeting the needs of today's students.

**School Nurse Day**

May 10, 2023



  
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Jill K. Underly, PhD, State Superintendent

