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■ POLICY

□ GUIDELINE

YOUTH PROTECTION

HEALTH AND SAFETY OF YOUTH

Each youth ministry program shall provide an organized program of health services designed to identify problems and coordinate health resources of the local community. Minimally the health services of the programs shall include:

- a) Procedures for dealing with immediate treatment of youth in cases of emergency.
these procedures shall include providing the parent (s) or guardian (s) of youth with a written form for authorizing emergency medical treatment.
- b) Procedures for emergency situations: fire drills, or rapid dismissals, and tornado drills.
- c) Records of fire drills and seasonal tornado drills.
- d) Emergency procedures posted in meeting rooms and available to parents, youth, and youth ministry team members.
- e) Emergency telephone numbers posted by office telephones.
- f) Supervision of parish grounds, recreational areas, and other facilities when scheduled for use by youth.
- g) First aid facilities and materials.
- h) Keeping a file of written incident reports.