Description & Participation in Every Student Counts!

Every Student Counts! is a national data initiative to advance student health through data. The focus of the program is strengthening school nurses’ ability to collect and use data to direct personal practice, as well as to advocate for students. All school nurses are invited to participate.

- Uniform data points are collected to better understand student health nationally
- Additional data points will be added
- All 50 states are participating in Every Student Counts! at some level (see map)
- Each data point category had a different response rate
- Due to the variance in state participation (n=29) - data are not generalizable

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School Health Workforce

- RN: 4.5% Administrative, 4.0% Special Assignment, 3.4% Float, 54.1% Direct Services
- LPN: 0.5% Administrative, 3.2% Special Assignment, 2.1% Float, 9.9% Direct Services
- Aide: 3.3% Administrative, 4.8% Special Assignment, 17.4% Float, 19.6% Direct Services

Health Office Visit Outcomes*

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<tr>
<th>Professional</th>
<th>Back to class</th>
<th>Sent home</th>
<th>911 called</th>
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<tr>
<td>Students Seen by RN**</td>
<td>90.5%</td>
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<td>85.3%</td>
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<td>Students Seen by Aide**</td>
<td>86.5%</td>
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Students Diagnosed with Chronic Conditions

- Asthma: 96.1/1000
- Diabetes: Type 1: 5.3/1000, Type 2: 0.8/1000
- Seizure Disorder: 10.8/1000
- Life-Threatening Allergy: 36.8/1000

*Visits were not equal among professionals.
**Percentages add up to over 100% because state averages were used to calculate percentages and the rounding causes the numbers to be more than 100%.

To learn more about Every Student Counts! including data point definitions and tiers, go to nasn.org/everystudentcounts or email data.research@nasn.org