School Health Technician

A School Health Technician (SHT) is an individual who can demonstrate an understanding of common school health needs and can respond appropriately and efficiently in the school setting.

For an individual holding the SHT title and providing services within the school they shall hold the North Dakota certificate of completion for School Health Technicians.

To obtain the School Health Technician certificate you must submit an application and complete the following:

- Successful completion of first aid, CPR, and automated external defibrillator (AED) training
- Successful completion of a medication administration course taught by an RN
- Successful completion of online training adopted by the Department of Public Instruction (DPI) and the North Dakota Department of Health (NDDoH) which include:
 - School Health guidelines
 - School Emergency guidelines
 - o Child Care and School Infectious Disease guidelines

While working as the SHT, an individual may **NOT** perform the duties of a school nurse, as set forth in North Dakota Century Code chapter 43-12.1 and may **NOT** perform the duties of an unlicensed assistive person as set forth in North Dakota Century Code chapter 43-12.1