

# FEVER

To receive a more accurate reading, it is recommended to take the student's temperature either oral or tympanic whenever possible.

Is the student's temperature equal or greater than:

- 100° oral/tympanic (ear)?
- 99° axillary?

NO

If student has other complaints, see appropriate protocol.

YES

Have the student lie down in a quiet, private area that allows for adult supervision.

Give no medicine unless previously authorized and appropriate permission forms are on file.

Contact responsible school authority & parent/guardian.

- If unable to reach parent/guardian, allow student to rest with adult supervision.
- Monitor temperature every hour.
- If temperature reaches 104° axillary or 105° orally/tympanic, **CALL EMS/911.**

Document care provided and medication administered, if necessary.