School-Based Health Center

A school-based health center is provided by Carthage Area Hospital at Beaver River Central School for Pre-K- 12th grade students.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:

What is a school-based health center?

It is a unique health care model in which comprehensive physical, mental, and preventative health services are provided to school-aged youth in the school setting while working with outside primary care providers.

How much does it cost?

Nothing! There are NO co-pays. The clinic accepts the amount paid by insurances. If a student needs insurance, the staff at the clinic can provide information and help the student get set up!

What types of services are offered?

Age appropriate well-child exams
Diagnosis and treatment of acute illness and injury
Management and monitoring of chronic health conditions
Lab testing
Immunizations
Mental Health and Mental Health referrals
Nutritional services
Allergy injections
Sports physicals
PPD testing
Age appropriate reproductive health

When is the clinic open?

During normal school hours- - -Monday- Friday 7:30-3:30 pm

What if my child needs care at times the school-based clinic is not open?

Carthage Area Hospital offers 24 hour health access. You may take your child to the Carthage Family Health Center (315-493-4187) during its hours of operations; They also offer an after hour telephone service where a nurse will answer your call and answer any questions you may have;Carthage Area Hospital also offers a Walk-In-Clinic for any non-emergency care. Their hours of operation are 7AM-7PM Monday-Friday. Saturdays 9Am-3PM, and Sundays 10AM-4PM; and Carthage Emergency Department (Please do not take your child to the ER for non-emergencies, if the Walk-in-Clinic or Carthage Family Health Center are open).