

GEORGIA

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SCHOOLS:

AED Placement

Georgia Code -- § 20-2-775 – Automated External Defibrillator Required in High Schools

- *Mandates that each school in Georgia shall have at least one functional AED on site at all times that is easily accessible during school hours and school related functions, including athletic practice and competitions*
- *Provides guidelines for each school with an AED, including any training needed for expected users, EMS notification of existence, maintenance expectations, physician oversight, and funding provisions*

CPR/AED Training for staff and/or Cardiac Emergency Response Plans (CERP) and/or Emergency Action Plans (EAP)

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- *Mandates the establishment of a written emergency action plan that includes establishment of a designated internal response team. See actual legislative document for further description of leadership roles and responsibilities*
- *Mandates that each school shall conduct a minimum of two emergency action plan practice drills per school year (at least one per semester). One may be a tabletop drill to walk through a hypothetical scenario*

YOUTH SPORTS GROUPS:

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Currently no applicable laws

GOOD SAMARITAN LAWS:

Georgia Code – § 31-11-53.1. Automated external defibrillator program; establishment; regulations; liability.

- *Instructs that an AED may be used by any person for the purpose of saving the life of another person in cardiac arrest. See actual legislative document for specifics regarding training and reporting.*

Georgia Code – § 51-1-29.3.

- *Uses key verbiage to describe immunity from civil liability for any act or omission to act related to the provision of emergency care or treatment by the use of an AED*

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