

A key recommendation within National Asthma Education Prevention Program Guidelines



The American Lung Association's Asthma Management in Schools Program provides information and resources to assist personnel to help students with asthma remain healthy, optimize learning, and participate fully in school.

School-based asthma management is a key recommendation within the National Asthma Education and Prevention Program Guidelines. Our program takes an individualized and environmental approach to asthma management. The American Lung Association's goal is to improve children's asthma control through statewide support of comprehensive asthma management programs in schools and school-based health centers. The Asthma Management in Schools Program will target counties in New York with the highest asthma burden.

Asthma Management in Schools Program will work to:

- Expand and maintain partnerships with school districts and school-based health centers
- Improve the quality of National Asthma Education and Prevention Program Guidelines-based health care
- Deliver trainings and technical assistance to school personnel
- Ensure the provision of appropriate asthma self-management education
- Promote policies supportive of asthma control through a strategic and coordinated effort

We provide School Districts and School-Based Health Centers:

- Self-Management Education
- Technical Assistance
- Data & Evaluation Support
- Educational Resources Support

Additional Lung Association Asthma Resources/Tools include:

- Asthma-Friendly Schools Initiative®
- Asthma Basics
- Open Airways For Schools®
- Kickin' Asthma
- Asthma Action Plan
- Let's Take Control of Asthma!

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