



AMBULANCE ATTENDANCE POLICY



If you need help to understand the information in this policy please contact school reception/front office

PURPOSE

To provide clarity and information about ambulance attendance at school for a student or staff member.

SCOPE

This policy applies to staff and students in all year levels at Quarters Primary School

RATIONALE

Parents and guardians are responsible for paying the cost of medical treatment for injured students, including any transport costs. The Department of Education and Training (DET) does not provide personal accident insurance for students and it often comes as a shock when bills arrive, that some expenses are not covered by Medicare or private health funds. We strongly encourage all families to have ambulance insurance as parents are liable for these costs. If you have Ambulance Insurance your risk of associated costs is minimal.

POLICY

At Quarters Primary School:

An ambulance is called automatically if ever the school has any concerns in relation to a student's health and wellbeing.

Parents will be contacted as soon as practical to and kept informed of their child's situation.

It is a family's responsibility to ensure the school has the most up-to date contact information including emergency contacts.

POLICY REVIEW AND APPROVAL

Policy last reviewed	November 2022
Approved by	Principal
Next scheduled review date	November 2026