



April 2, 2026

To People interested in Medications for Respiratory Distress and Epinephrine Delivery Systems in Schools and Institutions of Higher Education:

The Stock Epinephrine Advisory Committee (SEAC) was created by [Texas Education Code, Section 38.202](#), and examines and reviews the administration of epinephrine delivery systems to a person experiencing an anaphylactic reaction, and the administration of medication for respiratory distress to a person experiencing respiratory distress on a campus of a school district, an open-enrollment charter school, a private school, or an institution of higher education. The committee is tasked with making recommendations to the commissioner of the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) on:

- The storage and maintenance of epinephrine delivery systems and medication for respiratory distress on school campuses and campuses of institutions of higher education.
- The training of school personnel and school volunteers, and of personnel and volunteers at institutions of higher education, in the administration of an epinephrine delivery system.
- The training of school personnel and school volunteers, and of personnel and volunteers at institutions of higher education, in the administration of a medication for respiratory distress.

DSHS is currently accepting applications for membership on the SEAC for the following positions:

- Practicing nurse employed by a school district, open-enrollment charter school, or private school as a school nurse (*2 vacancies*)
- Practicing nurse employed by a rural school district, open-enrollment charter school, or private school as a school nurse (*1 vacancy*)
- An employee from a general academic teaching institution as defined in [Education Code, Section 61.003](#) (*1 vacancy*)

The DSHS commissioner will appoint a member to the SEAC to serve a term of four years ending August 31, 2030.

To view the full composition of SEAC, please see the [Stock Epinephrine Advisory Committee website](#).

A member must regularly participate in SEAC meetings and may also have to participate in subcommittee meetings, projects, and presentations. Meetings will be

held in Austin at least once a year or at the call of the presiding officer. Virtual attendance at SEAC meetings is allowed, except for the chair. Reimbursement for travel expenses to and from meetings is permitted when funds are available.

If you would like to serve on the SEAC, please complete and return the linked [application](#) no later than **11:59 p.m., April 24, 2026**. Please electronically submit the application and supporting documents (e.g., resumé and recommendation letter) online.

Email:

SchoolHealth@dshs.texas.gov

Subject: Stock Epinephrine Advisory Committee Member Application

DSHS will notify applicants if they have been selected to serve as a member by August 2026.

For more information about SEAC visit the SEAC website at, [Stock Epinephrine Advisory Committee](#) or contact Raiza Ruiz at SchoolHealth@dshs.texas.gov.