# **FOCUS TOPIC:**

## NATIONAL QUALITY STANDARDS

# **QUALITY AREA 2:**



	Concept	Descriptor
QA2		Children's health and safety
2.1	Health	Each child's health and physical activity is supported and promoted.
2.1.1	Wellbeing and comfort	Each child's wellbeing and comfort is provided for, including appropriate opportunities to meet each child's need for sleep, rest and relaxation.
2.1.2	Health practices and procedures	Effective illness and injury management and hygiene practices are promoted and implemented.
2.1.3	Healthy lifestyle	Healthy eating and physical activity are promoted and appropriate for each child.
2.2	Safety	Each child is protected.
2.2.1	Supervision	At all times, reasonable precautions and adequate supervision ensure children are protected from harm and hazard.
2.2.2	Incident and emergency management	Plans to effectively manage incidents and emergencies are developed in consultation with relevant authorities, practised and implemented.
2.2.3	Child protection	Management, educators and staff are aware of their roles and responsibilities to identify and respond to every child at risk of abuse or neglect.

# Please read and refer to the following policies and procedures that relate to the above areas:

## QA 2.1.1:

4.8 Sleep, Rest and Relaxation Policy

4.19 Safe Sleep Procedure
4.20 Rest and Relaxation Procedure

#### QA 2.1.2:

4.2 Incident Injury Illness and Trauma Policy

4.3 Serious Incident and Emergency Policy

4.4 Medical Conditions Policy

4.5 Administration of Medication Policy

4.6 Administration of First Aid Policy

QA 2.1.3:

5.1 Food Safety and Nutrition Policy

5.1 Food Handling and Safe Food Storage Procedure

4.4 Handwashing and Personal Hygiene Procedure

4.9 Incident Injury, Illness and Trauma Procedure

4.10 Serious Incident and Emergency Procedure

4.16 Administration of Medication Procedure

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5.2 Nutrient and Beverage Procedure

4.5 Nappy Changing and Toileting Procedure

#### QA 2.2.1:

7.1 Emergency Management, Lock Down and Evacuation Policy

2.5 Supervision of Children Procedure

7.4 Emergency Drill Lockdowns and Evacuations Procedure

QA 2.2.3:

2.2 Child Protection Policy

2.6 Identifying and Responding to Abuse Procedure2.7 Reporting Child Abuse Procedure

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### Feedback:

As a team, all feedback goes to helping us work on areas of improvement, extend on areas we are doing well in and most importantly work towards giving children the best quality care possible.