

# American Outdoor Schools



## **MEDICAL AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS**

An emergency can happen any time, whether at your school facility or outdoor school, and must be anticipated. Each person (student as well as adult) must have a properly signed Health and Waiver Form that will allow medical treatment to be provided if needed. With these forms, we need further information on special dietary needs, medication, and physical limitations of each person. Please give the completed Health/Waiver Forms to the Supervisor when you arrive at outdoor school. Do not substitute your school's health form or permission slips for our Health/Waiver form.

Requirements for being prepared:

- Designate one of your attending adults to be the First-aid person that will be responsible for dispensing daily student medications as well as handling emergency situations.
- Bring a vehicle that can be used as a transport to an emergency facility or back to school.
- Bring a first aid kit with common over the counter products. Your designated school person will dispense any internal medications (i.e. Tylenol, Pep-to-Bismol, prescriptions, etc.) after obtaining parental/guardian consent. Genesis Account and the camp do not provide or administer any medications.