

STOMACHACHES/PAIN

Stomachaches/pain may have many causes including

- Illness.
- Hunger.
- Overeating.
- Diarrhea.
- Food poisoning.
- Injury.
- Menstrual difficulties.
- Psychological difficulties.
- Stress.
- Constipation.
- Gas pain.
- Pregnancy.

Suspect neck injury.
Refer to "Neck and
Back Pain."

YES

**Contact
responsible
school authority &
parent/legal guardian**

**URGE PROMPT
MEDICAL CARE**

Has a serious injury occurred resulting from:

- Sports?
- Violence?
- Being struck by a fast moving object?
- Falling from a height?
- Being thrown from a moving object?

NO

Take the student's temperature
Note temperature over 100.4 F
as fever. Refer to "Fever."

Does student have;

- Fever?
- Severe stonach pain?
- Vomiting?

Allow student to rest 20-30 minutes in a
room that affords privacy.

Allow
student to
return to
class.

NO

Does student feel better?

NO

If stomache presists or
become worse, contact
responsible school
authority & parent or legal
guardian