

## STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION LANSING

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## **MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** January 25, 2018

**TO:** Local and Intermediate School District Superintendents

**Public School Academy Directors** 

FROM: Kyle L. Guerrant, Deputy Superintendent

SUBJECT: 2017/2018 MI HEARTSafe School Application

The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS), Michigan Department of Education (MDE), Michigan High School Athletic Association (MHSAA), and American Heart Association (AHA), in conjunction with the Michigan Alliance for Prevention of Sudden Cardiac Death of the Young (MAP-SCDY), have developed an initiative to award Michigan schools with a MI HEARTSafe School designation. The MI HEARTSafe School program encourages schools to prepare and protect students, staff, and visitors in the event of a cardiac emergency.

For further information on how to become a MI HEARTSafe School, visit <a href="https://www.migrc.org/miheartsafe">www.migrc.org/miheartsafe</a> and review the MI HEARTSafe Common Questions and Answers document. If you have additional questions, use the contact information below.

MI HEARTSafe School Program
MDHHS Genomics & Genetic Disorders Section
Email: MDHHS-MI-HEARTSafe@michigan.gov

Phone: 1-866-852-1247

Return completed application via Surveymonkey at <a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/VZCBZVV">https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/VZCBZVV</a> no later than May 15, 2018.

cc: Michigan Education Alliance

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