

Bracken County Schools

Home/Hospital Program

What is the Home/Hospital program?

The Home/Hospital program is a service to students who are **unable to attend school for five consecutive school days or longer due to medical reasons**. The Home/Hospital teacher serves as the liaison between participating students and their classroom teachers. Assignments are gathered and presented to students two visits each week with one hour of instruction each visit.

Who is Eligible?

There are many reasons why a student might be eligible for Home/Hospital. Some of the reasons include: surgery, cancer, orthopedic issues or other medical conditions.

How do you apply for Home/Hospital?

To be eligible for Home/Hospital educational services, an application must be submitted which includes a medical statement with specific diagnosis, completed and signed by a licensed medical professional. The application can be obtained from your child's school, Bracken County Schools Website (www.bracken.kyschools.us), or the Bracken County Board of Education.

How do I know if the application has been approved?

As your child's application is being reviewed, he/she **must continue to be in regular attendance until you have been contacted by the Home/Hospital Coordinator**. If your child is unable to attend, please provide medical notes to the school. Parents of students who are approved for services will be contacted by the Home/Hospital teacher to set up visits.

Home/Hospital Instruction does not begin until after committee approval. The committee will not review the application until it is submitted with a medical statement with specific diagnosis, completed and signed by a licensed medical professional. We must have the application before we can start counting days of instructional services. Students will be considered absent until the application is approved.

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