Concussion in Schools: Know your role

OTHER SCHOOL STAFF/VOLUNTEERS



School administrators, educators, school staff, students, parents/guardians, and school volunteers all have important roles to play when it comes to concussion in schools. Read on to learn more about the role of other school staff and volunteers.

Your role to

Create Awareness

- Ensure you can access the school's concussion protocol
- Know Red Flag and other signs and symptoms of concussion
- Know your school's Emergency Action Plan and Red Flag Procedure

Your role to

Identify and Respond

- ► Ensure you can access the school's concussion recognition tool
- Know the protocol for responding to the following concussion scenarios: Red Flag, signs and/ or symptoms present, and no signs or symptoms present
- Communicate the student's injury to principal/designate and classroom teacher

Your role to

Manage and Support

 Communicate any observations to the student's Collaborative Team during recovery and be aware of updates on the student's recovery process









Additional Resources

Available at parachute.ca/concussion:

- Return-to-School Strategy
- Parachute Concussion Resources
- Ophea's Ontario Physical Education Safety Guidelines Concussions