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As a school nurse I have encountered school administrators who have asked me to create a plan for a student that I did not feel was safe for the school environment. Working at Multnomah Education Service District (MESD) we nurses have the benefit of having supervisors and our director who are nurses. They act as a good sounding board and help me in making clinical decisions for my students.

I have worked in other settings where the supervisor is not a nurse and they just did not have any idea about why I made the decisions that I thought were best as a nurse.