



Concussion Management Program

Dear Mustang Parent,

The Independence Community School District is partnering with Buchanan County Health Center (BCHC) to provide a concussion management program. The program is designed for your child’s safety to aid in determining when a concussion may have occurred and provide an evidence based protocol to facilitate medically supported return-to-play.

To participate in the program your child will need to take a baseline test using the Cogstate Computerized Cognitive Assessment Tool (CCAT). The Cogstate CCAT is a computerized test that measures your child’s reaction time and accuracy.

The purpose of the CCAT is to establish and store a baseline of cognitive function. A qualified medical provider or athletic trainer can then compare your child’s post-injury performance to their baseline performance, in the event that they sustain a suspected concussion.

The CCAT is not mandatory for any athlete but is a valuable tool for your medical provider or athletic trainer if and when your child might sustain a concussion or similar injury.

Testing Opportunity
November 7th - 3:30 – 5 PM @ HS Media Center

- **Cost = \$10**
- **Checks payable to BCHC**
- **Students age 10 and up**
- **Please provide consent below**

If your child is a minor, please grant consent by signing this consent form. By signing this consent form, you certify that the Institution has provided you with an opportunity to review the Privacy Policy. Without your consent, your minor will not be able to receive this vital baseline testing.

I hereby grant my consent of my child, _____, to the administration and supervision of the Cogstate CCAT through BCHC who has provided this consent form and hereby accept the Privacy Policy on behalf of myself and my child. I also consent to the release of the information to a medical provider who may assess my child due to suspected concussion or similar injury.

Print Name	Signature of Participant (Age 18 or older)	Date
Print Name	Signature of Parent or Guardian	Date

PLEASE NOTE: Your child will need to bring this consent and payment with them at time of the testing which will be performed at the high school. If you have any questions you may contact Cody Barnes, LAT, ATC at 319-332-0850.