

Epilepsy Action Australia

PRACTICAL TOOLS TO SUPPORT YOUR STUDENTS WITH EPILEPSY

We provide resources, tools and training to help you understand epilepsy, respond confidently, and support students' safety, wellbeing and learning.

Online Training Courses

Build confidence in supporting students with epilepsy through our award-winning courses:

- **Epilepsy Essentials** – Understand epilepsy, recognise seizure types and learn safe, effective seizure first aid.
- **Emergency Medication** – Learn how to respond to seizure emergencies and safely administer prescribed Midazolam.
- **Learning Impacts & Classroom Strategies** – Understand how epilepsy can affect learning and gain practical strategies to support students in the classroom.



✅ NESA Approved Provider
✅ Aligned with NDIS Practice Standards

National Epilepsy Training

Epilepsy Nurses are available to provide in person training either via webinar or face to face (in some locations). For large groups, contact the education team to discuss your training needs education@epilepsy.org.au

Epilepsy Management Plan (EMP)

An EMP provides clear, individualised information about a student's seizures and epilepsy. It is essential for anyone who may need to support the student and provide first aid.



Epilepsy Management Tool

Families or health professionals can complete EAA's online EMP, and our epilepsy nurses are available to assist if needed.

First Aid Animation for Children

Our animated first aid videos explain how seizures happen, what they look like and what to do - ideal for classroom use.

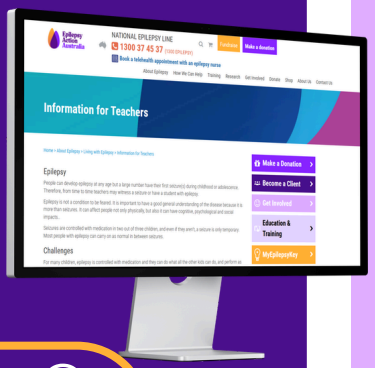


First Aid Animation Video



Essential Information & Resources

Our website includes information for teachers and school staff, including practical guidance, classroom strategies and downloadable resources.



Information for Teachers

School Resources

Factsheets



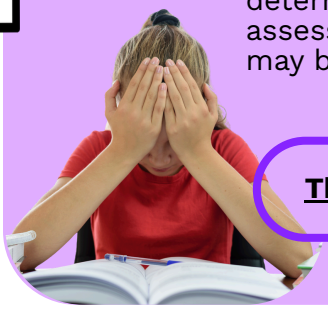
We offer a variety of factsheets covering a range of topics including Epilepsy and Education, First Aid for Children, Safety, Memory, and Exploding Myths.

Factsheets & Brochures

Thinking Skills Screener

A free online tool that helps identify potential thinking and learning challenges that may be affecting a student with epilepsy.

The screener provides insights into areas such as attention, memory and executive functioning, helping educators and families determine whether further assessment or support strategies may be beneficial.



Thinking Skills Screener

National Epilepsy Line



Contact our specialist epilepsy nurses for advice about epilepsy management plans, training, student support and epilepsy information.

National Epilepsy Line: 1300 37 45 37

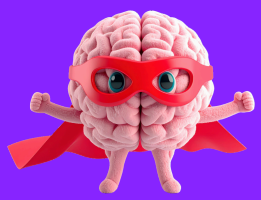
Book an Appointment



Safe Schools Program (Primary)

Provides age-appropriate resources that help staff and students understand epilepsy, respond safely to seizures, and foster an inclusive school environment.

- A short, animated presentation
- Seizure first aid for children
- Epilepsy and children factsheet
- Classroom activities/puzzles



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