

Basic First Aid Kit

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First aid supplies should be stored in a closed container, accessible to the child care provider at all times, but out of the reach of children. Using a fanny pack or backpack to carry the content of a first-aid kit may be helpful when playing outside, going on a walk or field trip, etc. The kit should be restocked after an item is used.

A basic first aid kit should contain the following items:
☐ Roll of gauze
☐ Sanitary feminine pad (to cover a bloody wound and stop bleeding)
□ Tape
□ Bandaids
□ Cold pack
☐ Tissues
☐ Hand sanitizer
□ Gloves
☐ Ace Wrap
☐ Arm Sling (large dish towel)
☐ Plastic grocery store bag– for bloody garbage
☐ Old gift card – to scrape out a bee/wasp stinger
☐ Bottle of water
☐ Two safety pins

□ Scissors