

- (a) prevent carrying over vacation epidemics into the schools,
- (b) help to detect the more obvious defects and disabilities of the children.

They do not aid in the discovery of epidemics during the school term; nor in the detection of the defects or disabilities developing after attendance at school has begun.

6. The employment of school nurses alone, without any physician as supervisor, accomplishes a good deal in the direction of cleanliness, the following up of obvious cases of disease, defect, or disability, and helps in truancy. But it neither prevents epidemics nor promotes health, mental efficiency, or general sanitation in a thorough-going way.

7. Emergency medical supervision is conducted in epidemics, to detect infected children and protect the others. This is the best method for getting rid of the disease and it does this without closing the schools: it can be done in any school, at any time, without cost, on application to the State Board of Health.

8. Medical school supervision should be supplemented by pre-school supervision; that is, supervision of prospective scholars, children now under school age who will later go to school; and by instruction to mothers before and after the birth of their children, so that the children will not have so many defects and disabilities to correct later.

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- No. 1. Germs and Disease, should be taught in ALL grades.*
 - No. 2. Food and Water, may be taught in whole or in part to all grades.*
 - No. 3. Air, should be taught in the sixth and higher grades.*
 - No. 4. Medical School Supervision, should be taught in the eighth and higher grades.*