

Members of the Ohio House Education Committee:

CPR training provides our students at Clermont Northeastern with the knowledge and confidence to act in an emergency, whether at school, home, or our community. When high school students are trained in CPR, the entire community benefits. For example, in a community where CPR training is widespread, the chances of someone stepping forward to help during a cardiac emergency are significantly higher. This training provides the skills and increases the likelihood of immediate assistance which leads to better outcomes for victims of cardiac arrest, ultimately saving more lives. By requiring CPR training in health class, we ensure that all students receive this essential training.

Schools provide a perfect location where a large number of individuals can be trained simultaneously, making it an ideal setting for providing this crucial life-saving skill. By providing us with the curriculum and supplies ensures that all students have access to this high-quality training. As a registered nurse, I have performed CPR many times and I believe this is a skill that everyone should have in case of an emergency.

Thank you for your support in our required training!

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