

## **Exploration of factors associated with reported medication administration errors in North Carolina public school districts.**

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As non-healthcare settings, [schools](#) face unique challenges ensuring medication safety. In this longitudinal analysis of [medication administration](#) in North Carolina public schools (elementary, middle, and high schools), the number of medication errors and corrective action plans increased over time (2012-2018). Results indicate that medication errors increased when there were more schools in the district for nurses to cover. Only half of school nurses held a national certification in school nursing.