

# SCHOOL NURSE MEETING

**March 7, 2007**

The meeting began with Bonnie Paridon discussing the new Emergency Medical Authorization form that she developed for Fairless. Bonnie stated that you can have RG Drage print this version of the form, but that she does not recommend that you get the triplicate version, because you are unable to read the 3<sup>rd</sup> page. Fairless does duplicate copies. RG Drage's prices are \$90.00 for 1000 duplicate copies. She is not sure, but it may be free if you get it in non-duplicate version. If you would like to see this form it is available on Fairless's website. [falcon.stark.k12.oh.us](http://falcon.stark.k12.oh.us) under the community tab. Her health section of the website is great, families and doctor's offices can access blank forms for action plans/ careplans, medication forms and many other things. I know that I had problems accessing the web page, but if you just use a search engine and type Fairless Local Schools, you can also access it that way.

The main speaker for this meeting was Karen Schanz, Epidemiologist at the Stark County Health Department. Karen did a great presentation on the common communicable diseases for schools. A copy of her presentation is attached to your email. She also provided disease fact sheets for the most common communicable diseases that we see. These fact sheets are also available on the Ohio Department of Health's Website <http://www.odh.state.oh.us>.

Next meeting is April 4, 2007 at the Stark County Health Department 3951 Convenience Circle NW, Canton, OH 44718- 3<sup>rd</sup> floor conference room. The speaker for this meeting will be Irene Bohlenfield, from Akron Children's Hospital discussing bleeding disorders.

Call Christina Gruber RN, Stark County Health Department Unit Manager if you have any problems opening the attachments.