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This tab allows you to maintain data about a student's acanthosis screenings. Acanthosis nigricans is a condition that may serve as an indicator for risk of type 2 diabetes. Acanthosis screenings can help identify students who have high insulin levels and who may be at risk of developing the disease. It can easily be evaluated by means of a visual examination.

This tab is not enabled until you retrieve a student.

NOTE: If you used Mass Screening - Acanthosis to update a student with a positive AN Marker, the **Height**, **Weight**, and **Blood Pressure (1st and 2nd)** fields must be updated on this page.

Update data:

Select a student

☐ To retrieve a student's records, select the student in one of the following ways:

Student	Begin typing the student ID (with leading zeros) or last name. As you begin typing, a drop-down list displays students whose ID or last name <i>begins with</i> the numbers or characters you have typed. The drop-down list displays the students' full name and grade level. From the drop-down list you can select the student. The student can also be located by typing the name in one of the following formats: • Last name, comma, first name (smith, john) • Last name initial, comma, first name initial (s,j) • Comma, first name (,j)
Texas Unique Student ID	Type all or part of the student's Texas Unique Student ID to retrieve students whose ID <i>begins with</i> the characters you typed. If the student does not have a Unique ID, click TSDS Unique ID button to connect to the TSDS Unique ID Web Service and obtain an ID. Your LEA must have the appropriate credentials through Texas Education Agency Login (TEAL) before this functionality can be used. Review the Assign a TSDS Unique ID guide for additional information.

Directory	Click to select a student from the Directory .
(photo)	If a photo exists for the student, the student photo is displayed. From Registration > Maintenance > Student Enrollment, you can change the student photo: 1. Hover over the image, and click Change. The Change Student Photo window opens. 2. Click Choose File. Locate and open the file for the new image. 3. Click Save. The window closes, and the new image is displayed. Photos are not displayed in all applications. They are displayed in Attendance (Inquiry), Discipline, Grade Reporting, Graduation Plan, Health, Registration, and Scheduling. They are not displayed in Special Ed or Test Scores.

The student's existing acanthosis screening records are displayed.

[The list can be re-sorted.](#)

You can re-sort the grid by clicking on an underlined column heading. It will sort in ascending order. Click it again to sort in descending order.

A triangle next to the column heading indicates the column by which the grid is currently sorted and whether it is sorted in ascending  or descending  order.

Click **+Add** to add an acanthosis screening record. The fields below the grid are enabled.

Screening Date	Type the date on which the screening test was administered in the MMDDYYYY format. Or, click  to select the date from the calendar.
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Screening Information	Height	Type the student's height in inches in the ##.## format.
	Weight	Type the student's weight in pounds in the ###.# format.
	AN Marker	Indicate whether the student is positive or negative for acanthosis nigricans. If 1 (<i>positive</i>), the Height , Weight , and Blood Pressure (1st and 2nd) fields are required. For a religious exemption, select 0.
	Body Mass Index	This value is calculated when you save and is determined by the height and weight entered.
	Referral Date	Type the date on which the student was referred to a specialist in the MMDDYYYY format. Or, click  to select the date from the calendar. This field is also updated when you generate a referral letter from Letters > Run Letter > Print Letters and click Update Referrals .
	Exam Date	Type the date on which the specialist performed an examination of the student. Use the MMDDYYYY format. Or, click  to select the date from a calendar. The field is required if Exam Status is <i>Examined</i> .
	Exam Status	Select the status of the examination. If the student has not been seen by a physician, select <i>Not Examined</i> . If the student has left the district, select <i>Transferred</i> . For a religious exemption, select <i>Exempt</i> .
	Seen by Physician	Select if the student was seen by a health care provider to whom he was referred.
	Received Treatment	Select if the student received treatment.
Screener	Type the screener's first name (up to 9 characters), middle initial, and last name (up to 14 characters).	
Blood Pressure (1st and 2nd)	Type the three-digit systolic and diastolic readings for the first and second blood pressure checks.	
Exemption Information	Type	Select the type of exemption if applicable.
	Date	Type a valid affidavit date in the MMDDYYYY format. Or, click  to select the date from a calendar.
Specialist	If the student visited a specialist after the screening, type the specialist's first name (up to 9 characters), middle initial, and last name (up to 14 characters).	

To edit an existing record, click the record in the grid. The fields below the grid are enabled allowing you to make changes.

Click **Save**.

Delete	To delete an acanthosis screening record, click a record in the grid to select it, and then click Delete . You are prompted to confirm that you want to delete the record. Click OK .
Comments	Click to add comments for the record. The window opens; existing comments are displayed. Add or edit comments and click OK . If comments exist for the record, a paperclip icon is displayed on the button. The first 1000 characters of these comments will print on the Medical Profile Report - SHS0810 .

Print Comments	Print the Comments - Acanthosis report. Review the report using the following buttons: Click  to go to the first page of the report. Click  to go back one page. Click  to go forward one page. Click  to go to the last page of the report. The report can be viewed and saved in various file formats. Click  to save and print the report in PDF format. Click  to save and print the report in CSV format. (This option is not available for all reports.) When a report is exported to the CSV format, the report headers may not be included. Click  to close the report window. Some reports may have a Close Report , Exit , or Cancel button instead.
 Medical Alert	View medical alert. The button is displayed if a medical warning exists for the student and Consent to Display Alert is selected on Health > Maintenance > Student Health > Emergency . Click to view the student's medical alert information.

Documents

[View or attach supporting documentation.](#)

Document Attachments

The Document Attachments feature allows you to upload and view documents by application, school year, folder, and document type. **This feature is not available in all districts.**

If you are logged on as a user assigned to a Document Attachments-enabled role, the **Documents** button is displayed on various pages in the ASCENDER Student system. If a document is attached, the **Documents** button displays a note icon.

If you have full access, you can upload and download files. If you have read-only access, you can download existing files, but you cannot upload files.

If you are logged on with a role that does not have security access to Document Attachments, the **Documents** button is *not* displayed on any pages.

[Document Attachment-enabled pages:](#)

Application	Menu
Attendance	Maintenance > Student > Student Inquiry (read-only access) Maintenance > Student > Student Posting > By Individual
Discipline	Maintenance > Student > Inquiry (read-only access) Maintenance > Student > Maintenance > Maintenance
Grade Reporting	Maintenance > Student > Individual Maint
Health	Maintenance > Student Health
Registration	Maintenance > Student Enrollment
Test Scores	Maintenance > Individual Maintenance

[Document types by folder and application:](#)

File Extension	Folder	Document Type
Attendance	Attendance	Notes
Attendance	Attendance	Other
Discipline	Incidents	Other
Grade Reporting	Grade Reporting	IPR
Grade Reporting	Grade Reporting	Report Card
Grade Reporting	Grade Reporting	Transcript
Health	Student Health	Acanthosis
Health	Student Health	Food and Allergy
Health	Student Health	Hearing
Health	Student Health	Immunization
Health	Student Health	Other
Health	Student Health	Physical Exam
Health	Student Health	Spinal
Health	Student Health	TB
Health	Student Health	Vision
Registration	Demographic	Birth Certificate
Registration	Demographic	Chemical Abuse Participation
Registration	Demographic	Directory Form
Registration	Demographic	Employment Survey
Registration	Demographic	Entry/Withdrawal
Registration	Demographic	McKinney-Vento
Registration	Demographic	Other
Registration	Demographic	Proof of Residence
Registration	Demographic	SSN Card
Registration	Bilingual/ESL	Other
Registration	Local Programs	Other
Registration	PRS	Other
Registration	Special Education	Other
Test Scores	Test Scores	College Assessments
Test Scores	Test Scores	Other
Test Scores	Test Scores	State Assessments

[List of permissible file types:](#)

Maximum file size: 10MB

File Extension	Folder
.doc	application/msword
.docx	application/vnd.openxmlformats-officedocument.wordprocessingml.document
.gif	image/gif
.jpeg	image/jpeg
.jpg	image/jpeg
.pdf	application/pdf
.png	image/png
.pps	application/vnd.ms-powerpoint
.ppt	application/vnd.ms-powerpoint
.pptx	application/vnd.openxmlformats-officedocument.presentationml.presentation
.tif	image/tiff
.tiff	image/tiff
.txt	text/plain
.xls	application/vnd.ms-excel
.xlsx	application/vnd.openxmlformats-officedocument.spreadsheetml.sheet

Upload or view documents:

☐ Under **Document List:**

Application	The application you are currently logged on to is displayed (e.g., Test Scores).
Folder	In some applications, you must select the folder for which you want to view or attach a document: - Different types of documents must be uploaded to specific folders. - Changing the folder will change the document type options in the Select Type field. Some applications only have one folder, so no selection is necessary.
Select School Year	Select the school year for which you want to view documents. Student documents are stored by year.

Existing documents are displayed according to specified criteria.

☐ Under **Document Upload:**

Select File to Upload	Click Choose File . Locate and select the document on your computer or network. The file name is displayed next to Choose File . Note: Files cannot be larger than 10MB or empty.
School Year	Select the school year for which you want to view documents. Student documents are stored by year.
Select Type	Select the type of document you are uploading. The list varies according to your selection in the Folder field.
Description	Type an optional description of the document. Note: The description cannot be longer than 255 characters.

Upload File	Click to upload the file for the student.
	The document is listed in the Document List section.
	The date-time stamp and user ID display the date and time the document was uploaded, and the user ID of the user who uploaded the document.

Any changes made in the Document Options window are saved when you close the window.

Type	Click the link in the Type column to download the file to your PC to view it.
Choose File	Click again to add another document, and repeat the steps for uploading a document.
	Click to delete the document from the student's record. You are prompted to confirm that you want to delete the document.

NOTES Deleted documents are not actually deleted from the Document Attachments server. You can retrieve deleted files using the Document Attachments File Recovery utility in District Administration.



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