

Health Department

This school district will cooperate with all health agencies in developing procedures for the control of communicable diseases in the school. All procedures shall conform to the regulations for the communicable disease control set up by the state health department.

It shall be the responsibilities of the school administrators and the school nurse to assist in meeting the provisions of the health department concerning communicable and contagious diseases by promptly reporting to the superintendent of schools the presence of any such disease. Re-entry of students diagnosed as having been infected with a communicable disease will be allowed only upon the recommendation of a reputable medical authority, and the school will reserve the right to seek independent medical advice on such situations.

The school district will participate in school immunization clinics if approved, recommended, and directed by county or state health agencies.

Refer to Policy 5415, Communicable Disease Control.

Legal References:	§79-214	Admission of Children, Evidence of Physical Examination.
	§79-248	Physical Examinations,
	Through	Contagious or Infectious
	§79-253	Disease, Duties of Department of Health, Employment of a Physician.