

Communicable Diseases

-POLICY-

The Board of Education recognizes the serious physical and emotional stress that can be placed on an employee who is diagnosed as having a communicable disease. Where employees are afflicted with a communicable disease, the Board directs the Superintendent of Schools to review each case on an individual bases including consultation with the Medical Health Officer to establish an appropriate course of action. The Board of Education wishes to be of every assistance to employees with a communicable disease in making long term work and health plans.

-REGULATION-

1. Employees with a communicable disease must obtain a medical statement regarding the state of their health and supply this to the School Board.
2. The Board will keep the identity of these employees confidential.
3. An employee with a communicable disease may continue working, provided there is a positive recommendation from a team made up of the Medical Health Officer, the Superintendent of Schools or his/her designate, and the employee's physician.