

RELATIONS WITH HEALTH AUTHORITIES

The Board encourages school district staff to work with county and state health departments to maintain a safe and healthful school environment, to promote the good health of students and their families, to educate students in preventive medicine and good health practices, and to help students develop a sense of responsibility for personal and community health.

Specifically, the Board approves of and encourages the following cooperative health programs:

Health Education – The Bayfield County Public Health Nurse serving the school will act as a resource person, consultant and teacher of certain health topics when necessary and appropriate.

Communicable Disease Control – Public health authorities will be asked to train district personnel to identify symptoms of communicable diseases and coordinate appropriate follow-up procedures. School district personnel shall notify public health authorities of any known or suspected communicable disease in the schools.

Screenings – Public health authorities will be asked to work with the school district staff to screen student vision and hearing and to test students for scoliosis.

Resource Persons for Teachers – Teachers may consult public health authorities about an individual student's health problems or new approaches to education.

Individual Student Consultations – Students may consult with public health officials if they so desire.

LEGAL REF.:	Sections	252.04 252.02 252.03 252.21	Wisconsin Statutes
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CROSS REF.:	453.1, Emergency Nursing Services 453.2, Communicable Diseases 453.3, Student Immunizations 523.2, Employee Health and Safety
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