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RELATIONS WITH HEALTH AUTHORITIES

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The Board of Education encourages District staff to work with the school and county health departments to maintain a healthful and safe 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 these cooperative health programs:

<u>Health Education</u>. The school nurse will serve as a resource person and consultant on certain health topics.

<u>Communicable Disease Control</u>. Health authorities will train school personnel to identify symptoms of communicable diseases and coordinate appropriate home follow-up procedures.

<u>Screening</u>. Health authorities will work with school staff to screen student vision and hearing and to test students for scoliosis.

<u>Resource Persons for Teachers</u>. Teachers may consult health authorities about an individual student's health problems, or new approaches to health education.

<u>Individual Student Consultations</u>. Health officials also may be available to consult with students directly if any student so desires.

Legal Ref.:	Sections	118.29 Wisconsin Statutes	
		120.12(16)	
		121.02(1)(e)	
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Cross Ref.:	453.1, Emergency Nursing Services	
	453.2, Immunizations	
	453.3, Communicable Diseases	
	523.5, Infection Control	
	453.31, Students with CMV or AIDS	
	760, Food Services Management	
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