

## **Board of Trustees Agenda Item**

<u>Staff Member Name:</u> <u>Department:</u> <u>Board Meeting Date:</u>

Garrett Jackson Specialized Learning September 15, 2025

Services/Section 504

# **Agenda Heading:**

Act on Act of approval to seek waiver request from Texas Education Agency (TEA) to provide Remote Homebound Instruction to Regular Education Homebound Student (s).

Item Type: Action Item

### **Background Information:**

Remote homebound instruction means remote instruction in which a student receives individualized instruction through the General Education Homebound (GEH) program or CEHI program and in which all requirements of the program are met except for in-person instruction from the homebound teacher.

If your school district provides remote homebound instruction to an eligible regular education student, your district may, with the approval of a waiver request, count the student in attendance for FSP funding purposes provided that all requirements of the homebound program are met except for face-to-face instruction from the homebound teacher.

These waivers will only be granted in extremely severe medical circumstances, and a waiver must be submitted for each individual student.

The student has a serious medical condition and is undergoing treatment that weakens their immune system, placing them at high risk for life-threatening infections. Exposure to individuals outside the household could significantly worsen their condition.

Amount (when applicable): N/A

#### Recommendation:

We recommend a motion to approve the TEA waiver request to provide remote homebound instruction to regular education homebound students as presented.

### **Comments:**