****562-Exclusion for Communicable Diseases.** This policy is updated to clarify the group of students with a communicable disease who may be excluded from school by the board of trustees.

Pursuant to authority in Idaho Code §33-512(7), the board of trustees has the power to exclude from school students with contagious or infectious diseases who are diagnosed or suspected as having a contagious or infectious disease or those who are not immune and have been exposed to a contagious or infectious disease. The board will also close school on order of the State Board of Health or local health authorities.

This district's board of trustees delegates to the superintendent or designee its authority to exclude from school students with contagious or infectious diseases or who are under quarantine. The superintendent or designee will also close school on order of the State Board of Health or local health authorities. Any exclusions or closures under this policy will be reported to the board of trustees at the next regular meeting.

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LEGAL REFERENCE: Idaho Code §33-512(7)

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*Language in text set forth in italics is optional.