SANBORN REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

Statement of Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to define the measures the Sanborn Regional School District shall take in order to protect its students from the contagion of communicable disease.

Statement of Policy

Through its student health services, the Sanborn Regional School District shall seek to protect the students from contagion of communicable disease, and directs the Superintendent of Schools, through the school nurses of the district, to implement the provisions of New Hampshire school law in this regard.

As outlined in RSA 141-C:

All children shall be immunized prior to school entrance in accordance with RSA 141-C:20-a. See SRSD Policy JLCB, "Immunization of Students."

Whenever a student exhibits symptoms of contagion or is a hazard to himself/herself or others as noted in "Communicable Disease in Schools and Preschools"*, he/she shall be excluded from the classroom, and his/her parents or guardian shall be notified as soon as possible. The New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services will provide guidance and direction in the event of an outbreak of a communicable disease.

*New Hampshire Division of Public Health Services, Bureau of Disease Control, March 1996.

Related Policy: JLCB - Immunization of Students

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