

Executive Summary Fayette County Public Schools Board Meeting Agenda Item

MEETING: Planning

DATE: 9/12/2016

TOPIC: Revisions for Policy for Health Requirements and Services

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Recommended Action on: 9/12/2016

Action Item for Vote (PLANNING MEETING)

Superintendent Prior Approval: No

Recommendation/Motion: A motion is in order to approve the draft of revisions for the Policy for Health Requirements and Services.

Background/Rationale: Board Policy 1.5 states that the updating of policies shall be kept up-to-date by filing amendments.

Policy: 1.51

Fiscal Impact: N/A

Attachments(s): (Draft) "Health Requirements and Services" Policy 09.21 AP .2

STUDENTS

09.21 AP.2

Health Requirements and Services

Student health and safety shall be accomplished in accordance with state statutes and regulations and the policies and procedures listed below. Physical assessments of students shall be conducted as follows:

GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT	PROVIDED BY
Preschool and First year primary	Health Provider or County Health Department
Initial entry (if new to District)	
Grade 6	
VISION EXAMINATION	
Initial entry/entry into preschool and kindergarten	Licensed Medical Personnel (optometrist or ophthalmologist)
VISION SCREENING	
Grades 1, 3 and 5 (also referrals)	School Nurse
HEARING	
Initial entry (Kindergarten)	Speech Therapist and/or Speech/Hearing Teacher
Annually through grade 6Grade 5	
DENTAL	
First year primary (kindergarten)	Dentist or Health Care Provider

ABNORMALITIES REPORTED

Any abnormalities found that need further medical evaluation shall be reported to the parents and recorded on the school health record within nine (9) weeks of detection.

Referrals of students affected by health barriers shall be made, as appropriate, to family resource/youth service centers and/or support agencies for assistance.

HEALTH SERVICES REFERENCE GUIDE

District personnel shall utilize guidelines and forms provided in the Health Services Reference Guide published by the Kentucky Department of Education to address the following:

- 1. Pupil's cumulative health record
- 2. General growth and development
- 3. Vision and hearing screening
- 4. Physical education medical information
- 5. Preventive health care examinations form(s) as provided by the Kentucky Department of Education

HEALTH RECORDS

Cumulative health records shall be initiated and maintained in the Principal's office or maintained electronically in the student information system.

RELATED PROCEDURES:

09.224 and 09.2241 procedures