DRAFT – SSBIH Recommendations for 24-25

On the DRAFT SSBIH document, the changes outlined below will be highlighted in red strikethrough if removed. Added text will be highlighted in green.

Recommendation Overview	Existing Handbook Reference page (23-24 version)	Draft Handbook Reference Page (Markup for 24-25)
Updated resource linked for Trauma Informed Care	13	13
 Updated Suicide Prevention section Add "JCPS requires all school district employees with job duties requiring direct contact with students to receive training on suicide prevention." Updated Resources, links, and contacts 	14	14
Add Section: Be Smart – Secure Firearm Storage Added new section to provide resources and guidance on Secure Firearm Storage		14
Add clarification of ECE support staff for early childhood	22	22
Add note regarding Title IX Resource to all Behavior Code Charts "Additionally, if the behavior is of a sexual nature, including but not limited to, harassment, abuse, stalking or dating violence, administrators should notify their school Title IX coordinators."	25, 26, 27	25, 26, 27
Add code and definition for Hazing (levels mirror bullying) • K-3: Level 2 • 4-5: Level 2-4 • 6-12: Level 2-4	25, 26, 27	25, 26, 27, and 30
Add code and definition for Weapons Detection Refusal • 6-12: Level 1-2	27	27, 34
Add "Board Policy 09.428111 Title IX Sexual Harassment" to Sexual Abuse/Sexual Assault (KRS 510) behavior code title	31	31
Add resource sharing requirement to Tobacco/Alternative nicotine/Vapor Distribution behavior code definition	32	33
Add resource sharing requirement to "Use/Possession of tobacco/alternative nicotine/vapor products behavior code definition	33	33

Add the following language to Suspension Procedures: "A school must conduct a manifestation determination for a student with a disability or in the referral process if the school is recommending a change of placement due to a code of conduct violation or if the student is being removed for more that 10 days"	35	35
Add the following language to Bus Safety: "Per KRS 158.110 – When a bus driver alleges a student has committed a behavior violation that places the student or others at a risk of physical harm, a student may be refused transportation as investigations and safety plans are established. Parents or guardians who commit behavior that places their student or other students at risk of physical harm or otherwise make it unsafe for the driver to continue transporting students may be criminally charged. Parent and Guardian misconduct may also be a consideration for future transportation privileges for the student"	38	38
 Appendix D: Search and Seizure Provided numerous word changes to align with updated board policy and weapons detection procedures 	44, 45	44, 45