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COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

In cases where a student has contracted or been exposed to a communicable disease, the Superintendent or his designee and the school nurse shall consult with the parents or guardians of the child involved, the school doctor, and the child's doctor prior to arriving at a decision regarding the most appropriate program for the child. Programs considered shall include but not be limited to the regular school program, a modified school program, home instruction, and institutionalized instruction. School officials shall rely heavily on the advice of the doctors involved and shall make every reasonable effort to accommodate the wishes of the parent(s) or guardian(s).

Legal Reference: Titles 5 MRSA Sec. 19201 ET SEQ., 22 MRSA Sec. 801

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