

COMMUNICABLE-INFECTIOUS DISEASES

The principal or head teacher and school nurse will consult as needed with the local health department for specific measures in handling suspected cases of communicable disease. School officials will cooperate with the local health department, which has the discretion to institute appropriate measures to control or eliminate the spread of disease in the school population. This may include the recommendation made to the Superintendent for closure of school or exclusion of susceptible person(s) from school.

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