

STAFF PERSONNEL
Series 400

Policy Title: PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS

Code: 402.13

The District has a legal obligation to protect the morals, health and safety of the District's students and personnel and in furtherance of such has an obligation to prohibit the presence of and/or provide for the removal of individuals whose presence is detrimental to the morals, health, safety, academic/learning environment, or discipline of pupils. The District further has a legal obligation to assure that professional teaching personnel are free from contagious disease.

Should a situation arise where the Superintendent or designee has reasonable and articulable grounds to believe that any school employee, certificated or non-certificated, is suffering from a physical or mental illness:

1. And that such illness prevents or impairs the ability of the employee to perform his or her duties; or
2. Poses a risk and/or is detrimental to the health, welfare, or safety of students; or
3. Poses a risk and/or is detrimental to the health, welfare, or safety of other employees, or
4. Falls within the requirements of Section 33-1202(3), Idaho Code, for certificate holders to be free from contagious diseases that may pose a health or safety risk to students or other employees;

the Superintendent or designee may require the employee to secure a physical or mental examination and obtain a written medical certificate clearing the employee for work to be submitted to the Superintendent and may put such employee on a period of paid leave, pursuant to District and State statutory leave requirements, until such time as the examination and clearance to return to work has been obtained. Should such a request be made:

1. The requested examination shall be at the cost of the District;
2. The information obtained by the District as a result of the examination shall remain confidential and disclosed only to employees in a position to require knowledge; and
3. The employee shall not suffer any loss of compensation during the period of absence associated with the requested examination.

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Legal References:
33-512 I.C.
33-1202 I.C.

Related References: