

The life-threatening dangers of HIV (human immunodeficiency virus) and AIDS (acquired immune deficiency syndrome (HIV/AIDS) and other sexually transmitted diseases and their prevention shall be taught in the district. HIV/AIDS prevention education shall be limited to the discussion of the life-threatening dangers of the disease, its transmission, and prevention. Students shall receive such education at least once each school year beginning no later than the fifth grade.

At least one month before teaching HIV/AIDS prevention education in any classroom the district will conduct, during convenient hours (weekend and/or evening hours) for the parents and guardians of students, at least one presentation concerning the curricula and materials that will be used for such education. are available for inspection. No student may be required to participate in HIV/AIDS prevention education if the student's parent or guardian objects in writing to participation.

- the dangers of drug abuse, especially that involving the use of hypodermic needles; and
- the dangers of sexual intercourse, with or without condoms.

Cross References:	Board Policy	3414	Infectious Diseases
		2125	Health, Family Life and Sex Education

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Medically accurate sexual health education
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Management Resources:

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