BRITTAN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Board Policy No. 5141.3 - Health Examinations

The Governing Board recognizes that periodic health examinations of students may lead to early detection and treatment of conditions that impact learning. Health examinations also may help in determining whether special adaptations of the school program are necessary.

The Superintendent or designee shall verify that students have complied with legal requirements for a comprehensive health screening, an oral health assessment, and immunizations at school entry. In addition, the district shall administer tests for vision, hearing, and scoliosis as required by law.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that staff employed to examine students exercise proper care of each student and that examination results are kept confidential. Records related to these examinations shall be maintained and released only in accordance with law.

Legal Reference: EDUCATION CODE 44871-44879 Employment qualifications 48980 Parental notifications 49400-49414.5 Student health, general powers of school boards 49422 Supervision of health and physical development 49450-49458 Physical examinations (of students) 49460-49466 Development of standardized health assessments HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE 120325-120380 Immunization against communicable diseases 121475-121520 Tuberculosis tests for students 124025-124110 Child Health and Disability Prevention Program CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5 590-596 Vision screening 3027 Hearing and vision screening for special education 3028 Audiological screening UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20 1232g Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act 1232h Protection of student rights