

**Brookings-Harbor
School District 17C**

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News/Media - HIV, AIDS or HBV**

The district shall appoint a district spokesperson who shall respond to media inquiries regarding rumored or identified HIV, AIDS or HBV cases.

The spokesperson shall stress:

1. School districts are not informed of a person infected with HIV, AIDS or HBV unless the infected person or his/her parent releases the information;
2. School districts, if informed, may not release the information unless the infected person or parent gives permission for such release;
3. School districts may not prevent a staff member from working if he/she is able to perform his/her job responsibilities. Students have a right to continue to attend school;
4. The district shall ask the local health department or other health authorities to assist the district spokesperson in responding to media inquiries.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 326.565](#)
[ORS 326.575](#)
[ORS 332.061](#)
[ORS 336.187](#)
[ORS 342.850\(7\)](#)

[ORS 433.008](#)
[ORS 433.045](#)

[OAR 333-018-0000](#)

[OAR 333-018-0005](#)
[OAR 333-018-0030](#)
[OAR 581-015-0005](#)
[OAR 581-022-1440](#)

Cross Reference(s):

GBEBE/JHCCE/KBCAA - News/Media - HIV, AIDS or HBV
KBCAA/GBEBE/JHCCE - News/Media - HIV, AIDS or HBV