

AIDS, HIV+ and Hepatitis B – Health Education

A curriculum shall be developed cooperatively by parents, teachers, administration, local health department staff, and others. The curriculum shall present current, accurate information to help students learn infection control for preventing the spread of the AIDS-causing virus and set positive standards that emphasize that young people can avoid premarital sex and drug use. HIV+ and Hepatitis B infections shall be included in the curriculum. The age-appropriate curriculum shall be taught annually K-12 in straight forward language that students can understand. The Board shall adopt the curriculum. Parents/guardians of minor students shall be notified in advance that the material regarding AIDS/HIV/Hepatitis B will be taught.

Any parent/guardian may request his/her child be excused from the class under the provisions set forth in Oregon Revised Statutes and Administrative Rules. The district, shall develop procedures for parent notification, exemption, and alternative credit.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 336.035 \(2\)](#)

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