

Riverdale School District 51J

Code: **JHCA**
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Physical Examinations of Students for Athletics**

Students in grades 6, 7, 9 and 11 are required to have physical examinations performed prior to practice and competition in athletics. The examination should be performed no earlier than May 1 of the preceding school year. The physical examination must be conducted by a physician possessing an unrestricted license to practice medicine, a licensed naturopathic physician, a licensed physician assistant, a certified nurse practitioner or a licensed chiropractic physician who has clinical training and experience in detecting cardiopulmonary diseases and defects.

A student new to the district is required to have a physical examination if he/she has not had the required Oregon medical examination or its equivalent.

Any participant who has an injury or illness and has been under the care of a physician must have a "Return to Play" form signed by the physician before participation

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 332.107](#)
[ORS 336.479](#)

OR. SCH. ACTIVITIES ASS'N, OSAA HANDBOOK (2005).