

**STUDENTS**

**Communicable and Chronic Infectious Diseases**

The Board of Education of School District 106 recognizes that all children residing in the district, including those children with communicable and/or chronic infectious diseases, have a right to a free public education in accordance with the laws and regulations in effect in Illinois.

The condition of any student suspected of having a communicable and/or chronic infectious disease will be reviewed in order to determine if his/her behavior and/or physical condition poses a danger to the student or others in the school setting.

As a result of this review, recommendations for the education of the student will be prepared. Under certain circumstances, it may be necessary to provide the student with an alternative program or to remove him/her temporarily from the school setting. When it is necessary to remove the student from the school, a continuation of educational services will be provided.

In instances where the child's health may be further endangered, the Superintendent or designee, may advise the parents of the student to remove the child from the classroom for the child's protection.

In situations where it is determined that a student be removed from the school program for an extended period of time, the student will be provided with a homebound education or other modified program until the student can safely return to the classroom.

Confidentiality will, at all times, be maintained in accordance with existing state law and Board of Education policy.

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