

# Western Reserve Local School District

## Bylaws & Policies

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### **5310 - HEALTH EXAMINATIONS**

The Board of Education shall require that students of this District submit to health examinations:

- A. to protect the school community from the spread of communicable disease;
- B. to ensure that the student's participation in health, safety and physical education courses meets his/her individual needs;
- C. to ensure that the learning potential of each student is not lessened by a remediable physical disability.

The following areas of responsibility in relation to individual health records of students in the local school districts:

- A. request records from other schools
- B. chart immunizations from list provided by health nurses
- C. chart immunizations given by family physicians
- D. bring records on students new to the School District
- E. screen records monthly
- F. screen records prior to beginning of school

A student who presents a statement signed by his/her parent or guardian that a medical examination interferes with the free exercises of religious beliefs shall be examined only to the extent necessary to determine whether s/he is ill or infected with a communicable disease or to determine fitness to participate in any health, safety or physical education course required by law.

The Superintendent shall instruct all staff members to observe students continually for conditions that indicate physical defect or disability and to report such conditions promptly.

Unless the physical examination or screening is permitted or required by an applicable State law, parents may refuse to allow the Board to administer a nonemergency, invasive physical examination or screening upon written notification to the Board within ten (10) days after receipt of the Board's annual public notice.

R.C. 2305.231, 3313.50, 3313.68  
A.C. 3301-35-03(D)

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