

StudentsSTUDENT HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

The Governing Board recognizes that good physical and mental health is critical to a student's ability to learn and believes that all students should have access to comprehensive health and social services. The Board desires to collaborate with local and state health, mental health and social service providers in order to offer integrated services at or near District schools. The District may provide preventive, diagnostic, therapeutic and/or rehabilitative health services on an outpatient basis at school sites.

The District shall serve as a Medi-Cal provider to the extent feasible, comply with all related legal requirements and seek reimbursement of costs to the extent allowed by law.

To further encourage students' access to health care services, the Superintendent or designee shall develop and implement strategies for outreach and enrollment of eligible students from low- to moderate-income working families in affordable, comprehensive state or federal health coverage programs and local health initiatives.

Legal Reference: Education Code
 8800-8807 Healthy Start support services for children
 49073-49079 Privacy of student records
 49423.5 Specialized physical health care services
Government Code
 95020 Individualized family service plan
Welfare and Institutions Code
 14124.90 Third-party health coverage
 14132.06 Covered benefits; health services provided by local educational agencies
 14132.47 Administrative claiming process and targeted case management

Policy
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