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## **COMMUNICABLE DISEASES**

Communicable disease control procedures shall be maintained in cooperation with the local health department. The local health department shall be notified at once by any teacher, school nurse or principal who knows or suspects that a communicable disease is present in a District school.

Students who are suspected of having a communicable disease may be sent home by a teacher, principal or school nurse. If this action occurs, the parents of such students shall be notified immediately of the action and the reasons for the action. A teacher who sends a student home must also notify the principal.

A communicable disease wall chart shall be posted in each of the District schools.

LEGAL REFERENCE: Wis. Statutes Sections 252.08, 252.15, 252.21