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Purpose

The Board adopts this policy to ensure the district's compliance with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) and its regulations.

Definitions

The district shall be designated as a **hybrid entity**, as defined in the HIPAA regulations.

The **health plan component** of the district shall include those self-insured employee welfare benefits plans that provide or pay the costs of health care, as defined in the HIPAA and applicable regulations.

Delegation of Responsibility

The Superintendent or designee shall adopt and implement such procedures and regulations as are necessary to ensure that the district operates lawfully as a hybrid entity and complies in all respects with HIPAA and its regulations.

Legal	45 CFR Part 160
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