General Personnel

Communicable and Chronic Infectious Disease

The Superintendent or designee shall develop and implement procedures for dealing with known or suspected cases of a communicable and chronic infectious disease involving a District employee consistent with State and federal law, rules of the Illinois Department of Public Health, and School Board policies.

An employee with a communicable or chronic infectious disease is encouraged to inform the Superintendent immediately and grant consent to being monitored by the District's Communicable and Chronic Infectious Disease Review Team. The Review Team, if used, provides information and recommendations to the Superintendent concerning the employee's conditions of employment and necessary accommodations. The Review Team shall hold the employee's medical condition and records in strictest confidence, except to the extent allowed by law.

Employees with a communicable or chronic infectious disease will be permitted to retain their positions whenever, after reasonable accommodations and without undue hardship, there is no substantial risk of transmission of the disease to others, provided an employee is able to continue to perform the position's essential functions as described in the job description. An employee with a communicable and chronic infectious disease remains subject to the Board's employment policies including sick and/or other leave, physical examinations, temporary and permanent disability, and termination.

LEGAL REF.: 42 U.S.C. § 12101 et seq.; Americans With Disabilities Act, amended by the

Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act (ADAAA), Pub. L. 110-325.;

29 C.F.R. § 1630.1 et seq.,

29 U.S.C. § 791; Rehabilitation Act of 1973; 34 C.F.R. § 104.1 et seq.

105 ILCS 5/24-5

20 ILCS 2305/6, Department of Public Health Act 820 ILCS 40/, Personnel Record Review Act

77 Ill.Admin.Code Part 690, Control of Communicable Diseases

CROSS REF.: 2:150 (Committees), 4:180 (Pandemic Preparedness; Management; and

Recovery), 5:30 (Hiring Process and Criteria), 5:180 (Temporary Illness or

Temporary Incapacity)

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