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Reporting of Pupil Pregnancy

- 1. All building administrators and teaching staff to whom a pupil pregnancy has been reported shall observe the following procedure:
 - a. The building administrator(s) and teaching staff are to inform the school nurse of any pupil pregnancy of which they have knowledge.
 - b. Any and all information shall remain confidential and shall not be divulged except to the School Nurse.
- In accordance with the standing orders of the School District physician, all school nurses to whom a pupil pregnancy has been reported shall observe the following procedure:
 - a. The school nurse shall conduct an interview with the pupil in question regarding the impending pregnancy.
 - b. The school nurse shall contact the parent, guardian, or custodian to set an appointment for a conference.
 - c. The school nurse shall provide the pupil and the parent, guardian, or custodian with options regarding the pregnant pupil. The pupil may remain in the school she is attending or she may transfer to the Silk City Academy.
 - d. The school nurse shall advise the pupil and the parent, guardian, or custodian that the pupil must obtain the certification of a physician that the student is physically and emotionally able to attend school.
 - e. The school nurse shall also provide the pupil and the parent, guardian, or custodian with information regarding outside resources available to pregnant teens.



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- f. The school nurse shall report the results of the conference to the building administrator.
- g. If the pupil decides to remain in her present school, the school nurse will counsel the pupil regarding her pregnancy and be available for any special needs that may arise. The pupil will be placed on bed rest for the last month of her pregnancy and four to six weeks following the delivery.
- h. If the pupil decides to transfer into the Silk City Academy, the school nurse from the sending school shall call and make an appointment with the Silk City Academy nurse for a date and time of admission. To be admitted to the Silk City Academy, the pupil must be accompanied by a parent, guardian, or custodian and bring a regular school transfer and a copy of the course they are presently taking. The school nurse at the sending school must send a copy of the health card through inter school mail to the Silk City Academy.

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