

**West Linn-Wilsonville
School District 3J**

Code: **IGAI**
Adopted: 3/07/16

Human Sexuality, AIDS/HIV, Sexually Transmitted Diseases, Health Education**

The district shall provide an age appropriate, comprehensive plan of instruction focusing on human sexuality, HIV/AIDS and sexually transmitted infections and disease prevention in elementary and secondary schools as an integral part of health education and other subjects.

Course material and instruction for all human sexuality education courses that discuss human sexuality shall enhance a student's understanding of sexuality as a normal and healthy aspect of human development. In addition, the HIV/AIDS and sexually transmitted infections and disease prevention education and the human sexuality education comprehensive plan shall provide adequate instruction at least annually, for all students in grade 6-8 and at least twice during grades 9-12.

Parents, teachers, school administrators, local health departments staff, other community representatives and persons from the medical community who are knowledgeable of the latest scientific information and effective education strategies shall develop the plan of instruction and align it with the Oregon Health Education Standards and Benchmarks.

The Board shall approve the plan of instruction and require that it be reviewed and updated biennially in accordance with new scientific information and effective educational strategies.

Parents of minor students shall be notified in advance of any human sexuality or AIDS/HIV instruction. Any parent may request that his/her child be excused from that portion of the instructional program under the procedures set forth in ORS 336.035(2).

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 336.035](#)
[ORS 336.107](#)
[ORS 336.455 to -336.475](#)

[ORS 339.370](#)
[OAR 581-022-0705](#)

[OAR 581-022-1440](#)
[OAR 581-022-1910](#)