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Purpose

A student who is eligible to attend programs in the school shall not be denied an educational or career and technical ~~vocational~~ program solely because of marital status, pregnancy, pregnancy-related disabilities, parenthood or potential parenthood.[\[1\]](#)[\[2\]](#)

Authority

The Joint Operating Committee reserves the right to require as a prerequisite for attendance in the regular classes and participation in the extracurricular program of the school that each pregnant student present to the Director or designee a licensed physician's written statement that such activity will not be injurious to her health nor jeopardize her pregnancy.[\[3\]](#)

Guidelines

A pregnant student whose mental or physical condition prevents her from attending regular classes, when such condition is certified by a licensed physician, may be assigned to an alternate educational program of homebound instruction.

A student who has received an alternate educational program for reasons associated with her pregnancy shall be readmitted to the regular school program upon her request and the written statement of a licensed physician that she is physically fit to do so.

Delegation of Responsibility

The Director or designee shall follow the above guidelines. ~~develop administrative regulations for implementing this policy.~~