

4F12 Students with Chronic Communicable Diseases or Infectious Conditions

Section Four—Students/Instructional Services Governance Processes Relative to the District Board Policy Manual and Collegial Consultation With Academic Senates

Employ the Process of Mutual Agreement

Policies: None

Procedures: None

Appendices: None

Rely Primarily Upon the Advice and Judgment

Policies:

- (1) **4A2**, Student Responsibilities (*includes Policies 4A2A through 4A2G*)
- (2) **4A3**, Matriculation (*includes Policies 4A3A through 4A3G*)
- (3) **4A4**, Prerequisites, Corequisites, and Advisories on Recommended Preparation (*includes Policies 4A4A through 4A4E*)
- (4) **4A6**, Admission to Impacted Programs (*includes Policies 4A6A through 4A6K*)
- (5) **4A9**, Instructional and Other Materials (*includes Policies 4A9A through 4A9D*)
- (6) **4B1**, Educational Programs (*includes Policies 4B1A through 4B1D1*)
- (7) **4B5**, Program Review
- (8) **4B7**, Articulation (*includes Policies 4B7A through 4B7C*)
- (9) **4B10A**, (re: guest/visitors) (*includes Policies 4B10A1 through 4B10A7*)
- (10) **4B10B**, (re: guest/visitors)
- (11) **4B11**, Controversial Issues in Curriculum (*includes Policies 4B11A through 4B11C*)
- (12) **4C**, Academic Regulations (*includes Policies 4C1 through 4C7*)
- (13) **4D**, Minimum Graduation Requirements (*includes Policies 4D1 through 4D1G*)

Procedures: None

Appendices: None

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Proposed Addition to
Kern Community College District Board Policy Manual
Section Four – Students Instructional

Governance Process: Information Only

Reason for Revision: To Establish District Policy

4F12 Students with Chronic Communicable Diseases or Infectious Conditions – *The college President or designee shall establish procedures necessary to assure cooperation with local public health officials in measures necessary for the prevention and control of the communicable diseases in students (Education Code §76403).* A student with identified chronic communicable disease or infectious condition may attend College whenever, through reasonable accommodation, the risks associated with the disease or condition are outweighed by the detrimental effects resulting from the student's exclusion from the College and/or classes.

4F12A Decisions on student participation will be made using the above standard in conjunction with the current, available public health department guidelines concerning the particular disease or condition, the physician's recommendations, the law and the factual assessment of the following:

- the risks associated with how the disease or condition is transmitted;
- the risks associated with how long the carrier is infectious;
- the risks associated with the disease's or condition's potential harm to others;
- the risks associated with the probability or the disease or condition being transmitted in the College setting; and

- whether, after taking into account the above, the College can reasonably accommodate the individual who carries the disease or condition without incurring undue financial or administrative burdens.

4F12B Individual cases will not be prejudged; rather, decisions will be made based upon the facts of the particular case. The determination of whether a student with a chronic communicable disease or infectious condition may attend College shall be made in accordance with established procedures relying primarily upon the physician's recommendation based on public health guidelines.

4F12C The District shall respect the right of privacy of any student who has a chronic communicable disease or infectious condition. The student's medical condition shall be disclosed only to the extent necessary to minimize the health risks to others.

~~4F12D The District shall provide integration into the curriculum of an 4F educational program for students to communicate the sources, transmittal and prevention of the major chronic communicable diseases and infectious conditions.~~