Instruction

Health Education

A comprehensive health curriculum will be taught to students in CREC programs. Some students may be exempt from health instruction through the Planning and Placement Team.

The health curriculum will consist of planned, systematic and ongoing instruction in the areas of: human growth and development; nutrition; first aid; disease prevention, including AIDS; community and consumer health; physical, mental and emotional health, including youth suicide prevention; substance abuse prevention, including a "no use message;" safety and accident prevention; and such other topics as may be mandated by the Legislature or deemed necessary for CREC students.

Any student may be excluded from AIDS education upon submission of a written request from his/her parent(s) or guardian(s).

Legal Reference: Connecticut General Statutes

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