

(II) A COUNTY BOARD MAY AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT TO DESIGNATE THE SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICES PROGRAM COORDINATOR.

(2) THE SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICES PROGRAM COORDINATOR SHALL:

(I) IMPLEMENT STATE AND LOCAL HEALTH POLICIES IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS;

(II) ENSURE THAT PUBLIC SCHOOLS ADHERE TO LOCAL HEALTH SERVICES GUIDELINES; AND

(III) COMMUNICATE STATE AND LOCAL HEALTH POLICIES TO THE PARENTS AND GUARDIANS OF PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS.

(3) THE COUNTY BOARD SHALL GRANT THE SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICES PROGRAM COORDINATOR THE AUTHORITY TO CARRY OUT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBSECTION.

(4) THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION SHALL CONDUCT AT LEAST TWO MEETINGS ANNUALLY WITH ALL SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICES PROGRAM COORDINATORS IN THE STATE.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That each school health services program coordinator shall ensure that public schools in the county adhere to the Maryland State School Health Services Guidelines issued in 2001 by the State Department of Education, the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, and the Maryland State School Health Council entitled "Guidelines for Protecting Students and Staff From Overexposure to the Sun".

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2006.

Approved May 16, 2006.

CHAPTER 465

(House Bill 653)

AN ACT concerning

Juvenile Law - Informal Adjustment - Substance Abuse Treatment Program

FOR the purpose of extending the time period for an informal adjustment process concerning a child who is the subject of a complaint filed with a Department of Juvenile Services intake officer under certain circumstances; and generally relating to juvenile law and the informal adjustment process.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings
Section 3-8A-10(f)