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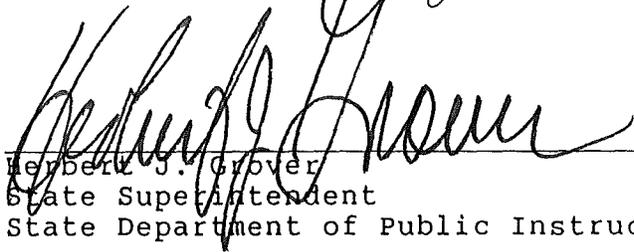
I, State Superintendent of the Department of Public Instruction and custodian of the official records of said department, do hereby certify that the annexed rule relating to education programs for school age parents, was duly approved and adopted by this Department on the first day of the month following publication in the Wisconsin Administrative Register.

I further certify that said copy has been compared by me with the original on file in this Department and the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of such original.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the Department at General Executive Facility (GEF) 3, 125 South Webster Street, P.O. Box 7841, in the city of Madison, this 22nd day of July, 1986.


Herbert J. Grover
State Superintendent
State Department of Public Instruction

ORDER OF THE
STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
REPEALING, AMENDING AND CREATING RULES

1 To repeal PI 11.01(2)(b)(h), PI 11.05(2)(e)8, PI 11.18, PI 11.19(11)(b) and (c), and
2 PI 11.34(2)(c)1; to amend PI 11.01(2)(b)(i), PI 11.02(2)(c), PI 11.32(1), and Appendix G to
3 ch. PI 11; to renumber PI 11.05(2)(e)9, PI 11.19(11)(a) and PI 11.34(2)(d) through (i), and to
4 create Chapter PI 19, relating to education programs for school age parents.

Analysis Provided by the Department of Public Instruction

1983 Wisconsin Act 374 created a separate subchapter, Subchapter VI, Chapter 115, relating to school age mother programs. Pregnancy was removed from consideration as a handicapping condition under s. 115.76(3), Stats. 1985 Wisconsin Act 29 created s. 46.99 which expands programming available to school age parents by authorizing the department of health and social services to contract with school boards to provide day care programs. 1985 Wisconsin Act 56 amended Subchapter VI, Chapter 115, to expand school age mother programs to include programs for all school age parents. The proposed rule amends Chapter PI 11 to remove references to pregnancy and school age mother programs, and creates Chapter PI 19 to outline program approval criteria as provided for under s. 115.92(3), Stats., including the procedure for establishing a school age parent program, the required content areas, certified personnel serving the program, and the procedures for referring and enrolling a pupil into the school age parent program.

5 Pursuant to the authority vested in the Department of Public Instruction by
6 s. 227.014(2)(a), and 115.92(3) Stats., the Department hereby repeals, amends and creates
7 rules interpreting Subchapter VI, Chapter 115, and s. 115.91, s. 115.92 and s. 115.93,
8 Stats., as follows:

9 SECTION 1. PI 11.01(2)(b)(h) is repealed.

10 SECTION 2. PI 11.01(2)(b)(i) is amended to read:

11 PI 11.01(2)(b)(i) Any combination of conditions named by the state superintendent or
12 enumerated in pars. (a) to ~~(h)~~ (g).

13 SECTION 3. PI 11.02(2)(c) is amended to read:

14 PI 11.02(2)(c) The screening procedures shall include the various techniques, both
15 formal and informal, used to identify children with suspected EEN ~~with the exception of~~
16 pregnancy.

1 SECTION 4. PI 11.05(2)(e)8 is repealed.

2 SECTION 5. PI 11.05(2)(e)9 is renumbered PI 11.05(2)(e)8.

3 SECTION 6. PI 11.18 is repealed.

4 SECTION 7. PI 11.19(11)(a) is renumbered PI 11.19(11).

5 SECTION 8. PI 11.19(11)(b) and (c) are repealed.

6 SECTION 9. PI 11.32(1) is amended to read:

7 PI 11.32 M-TEAM PROCESS (1) INTENT. Subchapter V, Chapter 115, Wis. Stats.,
8 was created to provide special education only for children with the handicapping conditions
9 of mental retardation or other developmental disabilities, physically handicapped, pregnancy,
10 visually handicapped, hearing handicapped, speech or language handicapped, learning dis-
11 abilities, emotionally disturbed or any combination of conditions named by the superin-
12 tendent as enumerated in section 115.76(3)(a) through (i), Wis. Stats. Only those children
13 determined to have an EEN shall be included within the parameters of the mandates of
14 this law.

15 SECTION 10. PI 11.34(2)(c)1 is repealed.

16 SECTION 11. PI 11.34(2)(d) through (i) are renumbered PI 11.34(2)(c) through (h).

17 SECTION 12. Appendix G to Chapter PI 11 is amended to delete item 7(h).

18 SECTION 13. Chapter PI 19 is created to read:

19 CHAPTER PI 19

20 EDUCATION FOR SCHOOL AGE PARENTS

21 PI 19.01 APPLICABILITY AND PURPOSE. This chapter establishes program approval
22 criteria for school age parent programs.

23 PI 19.02 DEFINITIONS. In this chapter:

- 24 (1) "Board" means the school board in charge of the schools of a school district.
25 (2) "CESA" means a cooperative educational service agency under ch. 116, Stats.
26 (3) "Department" means the Wisconsin department of public instruction.
27 (4) "Parent" means mother, father, or legal guardian.

1 (5) "Program coordinator" means the person or persons designated by the board
2 under s. PI 19.03(1).

3 (6) "Pupil services personnel" means school psychologists, school social workers,
4 school counselors, and nurses serving the schools.

5 (7) "School age parent" means any person under the age of 21 who is not a high
6 school graduate and is a parent, an expectant parent or a person who has been pregnant
7 within the immediately preceding 120 days. School age parent does not include any person
8 whose parental rights have been terminated.

9 (8) "State superintendent" means the state superintendent of public instruction.

10 PI 19.03 ESTABLISHMENT OF SCHOOL AGE PARENT PROGRAMS. Under s. 115.92,
11 Stats., a board may establish a program for school age parents who are residents of the
12 school district. A program may be operated by the board or under agreement with a CESA,
13 or under s. 66.30, Stats. The program shall meet the following requirements:

14 (1) The board shall designate a person or persons to coordinate the school age
15 parent program.

16 (2) Each board establishing a program for school age parents shall have on file a
17 written plan which includes a description of goals and objectives, staffing, implementation
18 procedures, and local means of evaluating the program. The board shall ensure that the
19 plan and program are in compliance with s. 118.13(1), Stats., especially those provisions
20 which prohibit discrimination on the basis of pregnancy or marital or parental status.

21 (3) Annually the board, CESA, or fiscal agent for an agreement under s. 66.30,
22 Stats., shall submit a program plan to the department for approval. The plan shall indicate
23 the number of pupils expected to be served, personnel who will be serving the program,
24 estimated salaries, and anticipated costs of the program. Annually following completion
25 of the approved program, the board, CESA, or fiscal agent for an agreement under s. 66.30,
26 Stats., shall submit a report to the department indicating actual costs, the number of
27 school age parents instructed or otherwise provided service, their resident school district,
28 and the period of time each was instructed or otherwise provided service.

NOTE: Form PI 2314 Plan and Report--School Age Parents Program is available at no charge from the Department of Public Instruction, Division for Management and Budget, P.O. Box 7841, Madison, WI 53707.

1 (4) All teachers in the school age parent program shall hold a Wisconsin license to
2 teach. All teachers providing instruction in the areas specified under sub. (6)(f), shall
3 have earned at least 9 semester credits selected from the following:

- 4 (a) Infant and child care.
- 5 (b) Nutrition.
- 6 (c) Fetal development.
- 7 (d) Early childhood.
- 8 (e) Child or adolescent development.
- 9 (f) Maternal health and child care.
- 10 (g) Adolescent psychology.
- 11 (h) Family relationships.

12 (5) The pupil to teacher ratio in classes designed specifically for school age
13 parents may not exceed 15 pupils to one teacher without prior department approval.
14 Teacher aides may assist teachers in classrooms, in which case there may be 20 pupils for
15 one teacher and one full-time teacher aide.

16 (6) The program shall include:

- 17 (a) Instruction in basic skills for academic subjects.
- 18 (b) Provision of social services to facilitate accessibility to needed resources
19 including information on adoption resources.
- 20 (c) Information on counseling services available in the school district and in the
21 community.
- 22 (d) Provision of vocational guidance, career development, and education for
23 employment activities.
- 24 (e) Information on related maternal and child health support systems and
25 resources.
- 26 (f) Instruction in the following areas:

- 1 1. Prenatal and neonatal care.
- 2 2. Child development.
- 3 3. Infant and child care.
- 4 4. Nutrition.
- 5 5. Family planning including natural family planning.

6 (7) The program shall be designed to allow pupils enrolled to meet the high school
7 graduation requirements under s. 118.33, Stats, and ch. PI 18.

8 (8) The program may utilize infant day care services and parenting skills programs
9 under s. 46.99, Stats.

10 (9) At least annually, the board shall evaluate the program for purposes of deter-
11 mining the effectiveness of the program and the need for modifications to the program.
12 Copies of the evaluation shall be provided to the department. The evaluation shall examine
13 the extent to which the following were accomplished:

- 14 (a) The stated goals and objectives of the program were met.
- 15 (b) Pupils in the program demonstrated satisfactory progress in basic skills acquisi-
16 tion and progress toward high school graduation under s. 118.33, Stats.
- 17 (c) Pupils in the program demonstrated a basic knowledge of maternal health
18 practices, the acquisition of child care techniques, and family planning.

19 PI 19.04 PARTICIPATION IN SCHOOL AGE PARENTS PROGRAMS. (1) (a) A pupil
20 or a pupil's parent may request participation in the program through the program coordinator.

21 (b) A teacher, school nurse, school psychologist, school social worker, school counselor,
22 administrator, or any other professional required to be licensed under s. 115.28(7), Stats.,
23 who is employed by the school district and has reasonable cause to believe that a pupil is a
24 school age parent shall, with permission of the pupil or a minor pupil's parent, refer the
25 pupil to the program coordinator.

26 (c) A physician, nurse, psychologist, social worker, counselor, teacher, administrator
27 or professional employee of a public or private health or social service agency who has

1 reason to believe that a pupil is a school age parent may, with permission of the pupil or a
2 minor pupil's parent, refer the pupil to the program coordinator.

3 (2) Prior to offering enrollment in the school age parent program, the program
4 coordinator shall:

5 (a) For female pupils, require medical verification of pregnancy or a birth certifi-
6 cate or other evidence which legally establishes parenthood.

7 (b) For male pupils, require evidence of paternity by one of the following methods:

8 1. Marriage.

9 2. Adoption.

10 3. Presumption of paternity under s. 891.41, Stats.

11 4. Determination of paternity under s. 767.45, Stats.

12 (3) Upon determination that a pupil is eligible to enroll in a school age parent
13 program, the program coordinator shall inform the pupil that participation in the program
14 is voluntary and the pupil may select from the following placement options:

15 (a) Continuation in the regular school program with supportive services provided
16 by pupil services personnel;

17 (b) Attendance in an educational program designed specifically to meet the needs
18 of the school age parent;

19 (c) Home study programs for school age mothers as provided under s. 118.15(1)(d)5,
20 Stats., during pregnancy and in the 120 days immediately following pregnancy; and

21 (d) Hospital instruction for school age mothers during periods when the pupil is
22 hospitalized both prior to and following delivery.

23 (e) Other programs and services which may be available to pupils identified as
24 children at risk under s. 118.153, Stats.

25 (4) The program coordinator shall conduct a meeting to include the school age
26 mother or the school age father or both; the parents of pupils who are under age 18; teachers;
27 and pupil services personnel prior to a pupil's entry into the program to discuss the following:

1 (a) Each pupil's current educational program;

2 (b) Program modifications, if any, needed to accommodate the pupil's pregnancy
3 or child care requirements or to accommodate the pupil's part-time job necessary to provide
4 support for the child; and

5 (c) Special programming available.

6 (5) The program coordinator shall outline each pupil's educational and service
7 program plan in writing. This plan shall have the written consent of the school age parent
8 and his or her parents. If the pupil has reached the age of majority or is otherwise
9 emancipated, parental consent is not required.

10 (6) When a pupil ceases his or her participation in the school age parent program
11 prior to graduation from high school, the program coordinator shall develop a plan for the
12 transition to the regular school program.

13 PI 19.05 REIMBURSEMENT. (1) Contingent upon receipt of the written report and
14 statement of receipts and disbursements under s. 115.92(2), Stats., the state superinten-
15 dent shall authorize reimbursement to the board, CESA, or fiscal agent for an agreement
16 under s. 66.30, Stats., for the following approved costs for school age parent programs
17 which have been approved under s. PI 19.03(3):

18 (a) Salaries for teachers and instructional aides. Salaries for aides for home study
19 programs are not reimbursable;

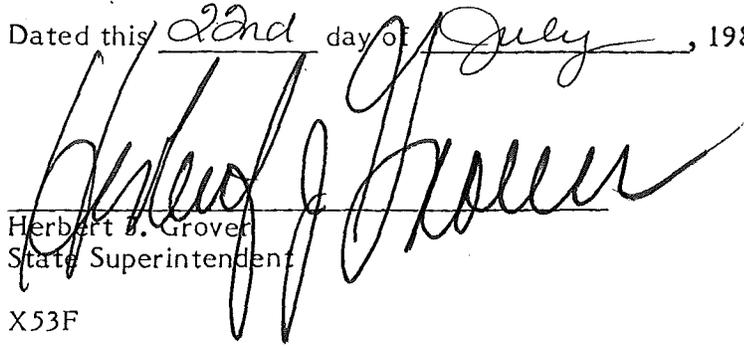
20 (b) Special transportation;

21 (c) Other expenses approved by the state superintendent.

22 (2) Aids paid to school districts for day care programs under s. 46.99, Stats., shall
23 be paid as provided under s. 115.93(1m), Stats.

The rules contained in this order shall take effect on the first day of the month following publication in the Wisconsin Administrative Register as provided under s. 227.22(2)(intro), Stats., as recreated by 1985 Wisconsin Act 182.

Dated this 22nd day of July, 1986.


Herbert B. Grover
State Superintendent

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