

Summary of Information Concerning
Oral Health Education and Student Health,
Well-Being, and Growth in
Maryland's Local School Systems

June 2016

Pursuant to ED § 7-401(d) and ED § 4-111.1

HB 9/Ch. 347, 2012

SB 867/Ch. 604/HB1401/Ch. 605, 2012

(MSAR #9269 and #9168)

The Department of Curriculum, Accountability and Assessment (DCAA) at the Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE) has taken multiple steps to support and encourage instruction on the importance of physical activity in maintaining good health. Additionally, the department has encouraged the local boards to incorporate age-appropriate lessons on dating violence and diabetes and its treatment and prevention into the curriculum of the local school system. Each year since the passage of the 2012 legislation, two briefings have been hosted by MSDE's Office of Comprehensive Health for health education coordinators in local school systems. Topics at these briefings have included physical activity and fitness, oral and dental health, dating violence and healthy relationships as well as diabetes and its prevention.

Since the 2012-13 school-year, local school system health coordinators have been briefed on appropriate legislation, including *Senate Bill 9, Education - Children and Youth - Reporting of Information Concerning Student Health, Well-Being, and Growth* and *Senate Bill 867/House Bill 1401, State Department of Education – Oral Health Education*. MSDE DCAA staff reviewed roles and responsibilities in fulfilling the requirements of the bills: (1) The inclusion of instruction in health education of the importance of physical activity in maintaining good health; (2) the reporting on the incorporation of age-appropriate lessons on dating violence; (3) the reporting on the inclusion of curriculum about diabetes and its treatment and prevention; (4) support and facilitate oral health education; (5) develop a process to monitor the implementation; and (6) submit a summary of the information reported during the certification of the Health Education State Curriculum. Further, in 2015, MSDE invited Dr. Winifred Booker of the Children's Oral Health Institute (COHI) to present on the need for increased oral health education to local supervisors; Dr. Booker provided online resources and information on supplies for school students across the state.

As a part of ongoing communication and encouragement, the Office of Comprehensive Health Education has spotlighted resources that are available for local education agencies through, guest speakers, online newsletters, other email communications as well as personal visits with each local supervisor. Communication with local districts and partner will continue into the future.

During the 2015 certification of the COMAR 13A.04.18, *Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten – 12*, twenty four local school systems certified

that their curriculum included oral health education and diabetes and its treatment and prevention. In addition all twenty four local school systems certified that they met the content standard of personal health in addition to family life and human sexuality that include indicators regarding the importance of physical fitness and age appropriate instruction on dating violence. During the 2020 Certification of COMAR 13A.04.18 this report will be combined with the two reports on the summary of oral health education in Maryland school systems. Individual responses from school systems are included with this report.

**Certification of COMAR 13A.04.18
Local School System Forms**

CERTIFICATION OF COMAR 13A.04.18

Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Allegany County Public Schools

Response Date: August 19, 2015

Superintendent's Signature: 

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8.	X	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	X	
A.(3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	X	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	X	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	X	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	X	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	X	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	X	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	X	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	X	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	X	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	X	
J.(2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	X	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	X	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	X	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	X	

The section below asks for required reporting information based on legislation passed by the Maryland General Assembly. Language provided is directly from the appropriate bill.

		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	X	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	X	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	X	

CERTIFICATION OF COMAR 13A.04.18

Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Anne Arundel County Public Schools

Response Date: August 17, 2015

Superintendent's Signature: 

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8.	X	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	X	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	X	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	X	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	X	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	X	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	X	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	X	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	X	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	X	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	X	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	X	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	X	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	X	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	X	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	X	

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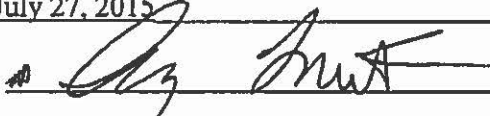
		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	X	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	X	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	X	

CERTIFICATION OF COMAR 13A.04.18

Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Baltimore City Public Schools

Response Date: July 27, 2015

Superintendent's Signature: 

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten - 8.	X	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	X	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	X	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	X	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	X	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	X	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	X	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	X	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	X	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	X	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	X	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	X	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	X	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	X	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	X	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	X	

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the Maryland General Assembly. Language provided is directly from the appropriate bill.

		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	X	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	X	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	X	

CERTIFICATION OF COMAR 13A.04.18

Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: BALTIMORE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Response Date: NOVEMBER 20 2015

Superintendent's Signature: 

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8	✓	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	✓	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	✓	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	✓	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	✓	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	✓	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	✓	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	✓	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	✓	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and fitness.	✓	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	✓	
J.(1)	The local school system shall provide curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-1 of this regulation	✓	
J. (2)	The local school system shall provide comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	✓	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	✓	
L.	The local school system shall develop guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers	✓	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	✓	

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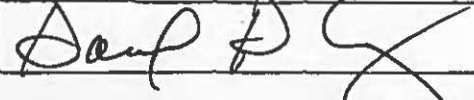
		Yes	No
N.	<p>The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867</p>	✓	
O.	<p><i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336</p>	✓	
P.	<p>The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9</p>	✓	

CERTIFICATION OF COMAR 13A.04.18

Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Calvert County Public Schools

Response Date: August 31, 2015

Superintendent's Signature: 

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8.	X	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	X	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	X	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	X	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	X	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	X	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	X	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	X	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	X	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	X	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	X	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	X	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	X	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	X	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	X	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	X	

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		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	X	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	X	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	X	

CERTIFICATION OF COMAR 13A.04.18

Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Caroline County Public Schools

Response Date: July 30, 2015

Superintendent's Signature: _____



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		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8.	X	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	X	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	X	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	X	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	X	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	X	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	X	
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G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	X	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	X	
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J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	X	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	X	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	X	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	X	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	X	

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O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	X	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	X	

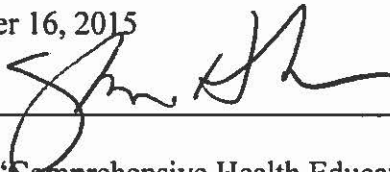
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Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Carroll County Public Schools

Response Date: November 16, 2015

Superintendent's Signature: _____



I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

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A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8	X	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	X	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	X	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	X	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	X	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	X	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	X	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	X	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	X	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and fitness.	X	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	X	
J.(1)	The local school system shall provide curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation	X	
J. (2)	The local school system shall provide comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	X	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	X	
L.	The local school system shall develop guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers	X	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	X	

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P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	X	

CERTIFICATION OF COMAR 13A.04.18

Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Cecil County Public Schools

Response Date: 7/20/15

Superintendent's Signature: *D'Ette W. Dune*

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

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A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8.	X	
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D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	X	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	X	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	X	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	X	
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CERTIFICATION OF COMAR 13A.04.18

Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Charles County Public Schools

Response Date: October 14, 2015

Att Superintendent's Signature: *Kathy A. Hill*

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

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C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	√	
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E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	√	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	√	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	√	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	√	
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J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	√	
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L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	√	
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		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	√	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	√	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	√	

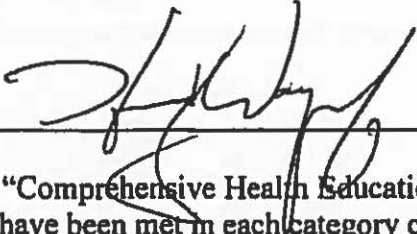
CERTIFICATION OF COMAR 13A.04.18

Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Dorchester County

Response Date: 8/24/15

Superintendent's Signature: _____



I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8.	✓	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	✓	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	✓	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	✓	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	✓	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	✓	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	✓	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	✓	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	✓	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	✓	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	✓	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	✓	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	✓	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	✓	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	✓	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	✓	

The section below asks for required reporting information based on legislation passed by the Maryland General Assembly. Language provided is directly from the appropriate bill.

		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	✓	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	✓	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	✓	

CERTIFICATION OF COMAR 13A.04.18

Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Frederick County Public Schools

Response Date: September 1, 2015

Superintendent's Signature: Theresa Alban

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8.	X	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	X	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	X	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	X	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	X	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	X	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	X	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	X	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	X	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	X	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	X	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	X	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	X	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	X	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	X	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	X	

The section below asks for required reporting information based on legislation passed by the Maryland General Assembly. Language provided is directly from the appropriate bill.

		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	X	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	X	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	X	

CERTIFICATION OF COMAR 13A.04.18

Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Garrett County Public Schools

Response Date: August 25, 2015

Superintendent's Signature: *Janet S Wilson*

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8.	X	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	X	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	X	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	X	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	X	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	X	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	X	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	X	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	X	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	X	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	X	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	X	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	X	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	X	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	X	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	X	

The section below asks for required reporting information based on legislation passed by the Maryland General Assembly. Language provided is directly from the appropriate bill.


		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	X	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	X	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	X	

CERTIFICATION OF COMAR 13A.04.18

Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Harford County Public Schools

Response Date: July 30, 2015

Superintendent's Signature: 

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8.		x
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	x	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	x	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	x	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	x	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	x	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	x	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	x	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	x	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	x	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	x	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	x	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	x	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	x	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	x	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	x	

The section below asks for required reporting information based on legislation passed by

the Maryland General Assembly. Language provided is directly from the appropriate bill.		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	x	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	x	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	x	

During the 2013-14 academic year a new elementary health curriculum was piloted in the county with full implementation 2014-15. This curriculum guide is aligned to the national and state curriculum and has been approved by the General Curriculum Committee. AI was checked no because the frequency and duration of the course does not permit instruction and assessment for all information included within the standards. Harford County Public Schools has gone to great lengths to provide this information and instruction in other creative ways such as through the wellness plans of individual schools. The system is constantly evaluating programs of instruction and their implementation.

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Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Howard County Public School System

Response Date: August 1, 2015

Superintendent's Signature: _____



I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8.	X	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	X	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	X	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	X	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	X	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	X	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	X	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	X	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	X	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	X	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	X	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	X	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	X	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	X	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	X	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	X	

The section below asks for required reporting information based on legislation passed by the Maryland General Assembly. Language provided is directly from the appropriate bill.

		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	X	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	X	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	X	

CERTIFICATION OF COMAR 13A.04.18

Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Kent County Public Schools

Response Date: 8/13/15

Superintendent's Signature: Harvey M. Couch, Ed. D.

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8.	✓	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	✓	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	✓	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	✓	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	✓	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	✓	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	✓	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	✓	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	✓	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	✓	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	✓	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-1 of this regulation.	✓	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	✓	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	✓	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	✓	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	✓	

The section below asks for required reporting information based on legislation passed by the Maryland General Assembly. Language provided is directly from the appropriate bill.

		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	✓	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	✓	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	✓	

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		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	✓	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	✓	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	✓	

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Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Prince George's County

Response Date: July 29, 2015

Superintendent's Signature: 

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8.		X
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	X	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	X	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	X	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	X	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	X	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	X	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	X	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	X	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	X	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	X	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	X	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	X	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	X	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	X	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	X	

The section below asks for required reporting information based on legislation passed by the Maryland General Assembly. Language provided is directly from the appropriate bill.

		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	X	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	X	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	X	

CERTIFICATION OF COMAR 13A.04.18

Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Queen Anne's County

Response Date: 10/19/15

Superintendent's Signature: Carol Williamson

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8.	✓	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	✓	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	✓	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	✓	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	✓	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	✓	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	✓	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	✓	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	✓	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	✓	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	✓	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	✓	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	✓	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	✓	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	✓	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	✓	

The section below asks for required reporting information based on legislation passed by the Maryland General Assembly. Language provided is directly from the appropriate bill.


		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	✓	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	✓	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	✓	

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Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: St. Mary's County Public Schools

Response Date: 10/14/15

Superintendent's Signature: 

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8.	✓	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	✓	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	✓	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	✓	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	✓	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	✓	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	✓	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	✓	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	✓	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	✓	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	✓	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	✓	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	✓	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	✓	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	✓	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	✓	

The section below asks for required reporting information based on legislation passed by the Maryland General Assembly. Language provided is directly from the appropriate bill.

		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	✓	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	✓	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	✓	

CERTIFICATION OF COMAR 13A.04.18

Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: **Somerset County**

Response Date: **August 24, 2015**

Superintendent's Signature: _____ 

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8.	X	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	X	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	X	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	X	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	X	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	X	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	X	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	X	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	X	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	X	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	X	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	X	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	X	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	X	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	X	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	X	

The section below asks for required reporting information based on legislation passed by the Maryland General Assembly. Language provided is directly from the appropriate bill.

		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	X	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	X	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	X	

CERTIFICATION OF COMAR 13A.04.18

Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Talbot County Public Schools

Response Date: July 22, 2015

Superintendent's Signature: 

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in <u>grades prekindergarten - 8.</u>	✓	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	✓	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	✓	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	✓	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	✓	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	✓	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	✓	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	✓	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	✓	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	✓	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	✓	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	✓	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	✓	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	✓	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	✓	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	✓	

The section below asks for required reporting information based on legislation passed by the Maryland General Assembly. Language provided is directly from the appropriate bill.

		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	✓	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	✓	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	✓	

CERTIFICATION OF COMAR 13A.04.18

Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Washington County

Response Date: August 24, 2015

Superintendent's Signature: Wayne M. Wilby

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8.	✓	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	✓	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	✓	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	✓	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	✓	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	✓	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	✓	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	✓	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	✓	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	✓	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	✓	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	✓	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	✓	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	✓	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	✓	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	✓	

The section below asks for required reporting information based on legislation passed by the Maryland General Assembly. Language provided is directly from the appropriate bill.

		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	✓	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	✓	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	✓	

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Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: WICOMICO COUNTY

Response Date: OCT 21 2015

Superintendent's Signature:

I certify that provisions of .04 "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten – 8.	✓	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	✓	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	✓	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	✓	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	✓	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	✓	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	✓	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	✓	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.		
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	✓	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	✓	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-1 of this regulation.	✓	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	✓	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	✓	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	✓	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	✓	

The section below asks for required reporting information based on legislation passed by the Maryland General Assembly. Language provided is directly from the appropriate bill.

		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	X	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	X	(
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	X	

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Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12

School System: Worcester

Response Date: 10/20/15

Superintendent's Signature: *[Handwritten Signature]*

I certify that provisions of .01, "Comprehensive Health Education Instructional Programs for Grades Pre-kindergarten -12," have been met in each category checked "yes" below. "No" has been checked if compliance has not been achieved as of the response date.

		Yes	No
A.(1)	The local school system provides an instructional program in comprehensive health education each year with sufficient frequency and duration to meet the requirements of the State curriculum for all students in grades prekindergarten - 8.	X	
A.(2)	The local school system offers a comprehensive health education program in grades 9-12 which enables students to meet graduation requirements and to select health education electives.	X	
A. (3)	The local school system provides access to the curriculum for non-diploma bound students.	X	
B.	The comprehensive instructional program helps students adopt and maintain healthy behaviors and contribute directly to a student's ability to successfully practice behaviors that protect and promote health and avoid or reduce health risks.	X	
C.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Mental and Emotional Health.	X	
D.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs.	X	
E.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Personal and Consumer Health.	X	
F.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Family Life and Human Sexuality.	X	
G.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Safety and Injury Prevention.	X	
H.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Nutrition and Fitness.	X	
I.	The local school system's curriculum includes a content standard in Disease Prevention and Control.	X	
J.(1)	The local school system provides curriculum documents that include the content standards set for in §C-I of this regulation.	X	
J. (2)	The local school system provides comprehensive health education curriculum documents for the elementary and secondary schools under its jurisdiction which are aligned with the State Curriculum.	X	
K.	The local school system has guidelines and procedures for the selection of qualified health education teachers.	X	
L.	The local school system develops guidelines and procedures for the support of qualified teachers.	X	
M.	Each student shall have the opportunity to participate in the comprehensive health education program required by this chapter.	X	

The section below asks for required reporting information based on legislation passed by the Maryland General Assembly. Language provided is directly from the appropriate bill.

		Yes	No
N.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion.</i> 2012 Senate Bill 867	X	
O.	<i>Beginning with students entering grades 9 in the 2015-2016 school year, the local school system requires that a student shall complete, as part of the health or physical education curriculum, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator.</i> 2014 House Bill 1336	X	
P.	The local school system's curriculum includes <i>diabetes and its treatment and prevention.</i> 2012 House Bill 9	X	