

## CHAPTER 5.00 – STUDENTS

### NOTIFICATION OF INVOLUNTARY EXAMINATION

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- I. The principal or designee shall immediately notify the parent, as defined by law, of a student who is removed from school, school transportation, or a school-sponsored activity and taken to a receiving facility for an involuntary examination.
- II. The principal or designee may delay the notification to the parent for up to twenty-four (24) hours if the delay is considered in the student's best interest and if a report has been submitted to the central abuse hotline due to knowledge or suspicion of abuse, abandonment, or neglect.
- III. The Superintendent shall develop procedures for the notification of parents and for reporting, if appropriate, alleged child abuse, abandonment, or neglect to the central abuse hotline when a student is taken to a facility for an involuntary examination. The procedures shall be contained in the [Health Services Plan](#).

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:**

**1001.41, 1001.42, F.S.**

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