

Alignment of Rules, Policies and Least Restrictive Behavioral Interventions (LRBI)

STATE AND FEDERAL LAWS, RULES, AND POLICIES RELATED TO STUDENT CONDUCT

Laws, Rules, and Policies: All Students

These state and federal laws and USBE rules and policies for discipline and behavior-related issues apply to all students in public schools in Utah and are in place at this time.

STANDARDS FOR STUDENT CONDUCT AND DISCIPLINE POLICIES

Utah Code	USBE Rule	Content	LRBI Section
53A 11a 301	R277-613	<i>Bullying and Hazing; Bullying, cyber-bullying, harassment, hazing, and retaliation policy.</i>	N/A (stopbullying.gov)
53A 11 901	R277-609	<i>Public school discipline policies. Basis of the policies. Enforcement.</i>	II.B. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies II.C. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct VII. Discipline Procedures
53A 11 902	R277-609	<i>Conduct and discipline policies and procedure.</i>	II.B. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies II.C. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct VII. Discipline Procedures
53A 11 910		<i>Disruptive student behavior.</i>	II.F. Grounds for Disciplinary Action, Including Removal from School

PREVENTION OF CONDUCT PROBLEMS

Utah Code	USBE Rule	Content	LRBI Section
53A 11 901	R277-609	<i>Public school discipline policies -- Basis of the policies -- Enforcement. (Standards for plan content).</i>	II.B. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies II.C. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct III. Effective Schools Research on Safe and Successful Schools
53A 11 901	R277-609-3	<i>Public school discipline policies -- Basis of the policies -- Enforcement. (Responsibility for plan development).</i>	IIB. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies IIC. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct III. Effective Schools Research on Safe and Successful Schools

Utah Code	USBE Rule	Content	LRBI Section
53A 11 906		<i>Alternatives to suspension or expulsion. (Prevention methods).</i>	III. Effective Schools Research on Safe and Successful Schools VII. Discipline Procedures
	R277-514-4	<i>Utah Effective Teaching Standards.</i>	III. Effective Schools Research on Sage and Successful Schools IV. Effective Classroom Management
53A 15 1301	R277-620-3	<i>Youth suicide prevention programs required in secondary schools -- State Board of Education to develop model programs -- Reporting requirements. (Suicide prevention program).</i>	N/A (USBE Suicide Prevention)

INTERVENTIONS FOR MISCONDUCT

Utah Code	USBE Rule	Content	LRBI Section
53A 11 901	R277-609-4	<i>Public school discipline policies -- Basis of the policies -- Enforcement. (Plan implementation).</i>	IIB. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies IIC. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct IIF. Grounds for Disciplinary Action, Including Removal from School II.G. Consequences for Misconduct VII. Discipline Procedures
53A 11 902	R277-609-3	<i>Conduct and discipline policies and procedures. (Intervention procedures).</i>	IIB. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies IIC. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct VII. Discipline Procedures
53A 11 906		<i>Alternatives to suspension and expulsion.</i>	VII. Discipline Procedures
53A 11 903		<i>Suspension and expulsion procedures -- Notice to parents -- Distribution of policies. (Disruptive student behavior).</i>	IIF. Grounds for Disciplinary Action, Including Removal from School II.G. Consequences for Misconduct VII. Discipline Procedures
53A 15 1301	R277-620-3	<i>Youth suicide prevention programs required in secondary schools -- State Board of Education to develop model programs -- Reporting requirements. (Suicide intervention and postvention program and services).</i>	N/A (USBE Suicide Prevention)

GROUNDS FOR DISCIPLINARY ACTION INCLUDING REMOVAL FROM SCHOOL

Utah Code	USBE Rule	Content	LRBI Section
53A 11 101	R277-613	<i>Bullying, cyber-bullying, harassment, hazing, and retaliation.</i>	IIB. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies IIC. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct IIF. Grounds for Disciplinary Action, Including Removal from School II.G. Consequences for Misconduct
53A 11 105	R277-607	<i>Taking custody of a person believed to be a truant minor -- Disposition -- Receiving centers -- Reports - - Immunity from liability. (Truancy).</i>	N/A
53A 11 806		<i>Defacing or injuring school property -- Student's liability -- Voluntary work program alternative. (Defacing or injuring school property).</i>	IIB. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies IIC. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct IIF. Grounds for Disciplinary Action, Including Removal from School II.G. Consequences for Misconduct VII. Discipline Procedures
53A 11 904	R277-609	<i>Grounds for suspension or expulsion from a public school.</i>	VII. Discipline Procedures
53A 11 908	R277-613-5	<i>Extracurricular activities -- Prohibited conduct -- Reporting of violations -- Limitation of liability. (Extracurricular Activities / Prohibited conduct).</i>	IIB. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies IIC. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct VII. Discipline Procedures
53A 11 910	R277-609-3	<i>Disruptive student behavior.</i>	IIB. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies IIC. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct IIF. Grounds for Disciplinary Action, Including Removal from School II.G. Consequences for Misconduct VII. Discipline Procedures

CONSEQUENCES OF MISCONDUCT

Utah Code	USBE Rule	Content	LRBI Section
53A 11 101.7	R277-607	<i>Truancy -- Notice of truancy -- Failure to cooperate with school authorities -- Habitual truant citation. (Habitual truancy citation).</i>	N/A
53A 15 301		<i>Behavior reduction intervention exception for students with disabilities.</i>	VII. Discipline Procedures VIII. Crisis Management XI. Emergency Safety Interventions
53A 11a 402		<i>Bullying and Hazing -- Other forms of legal redress. (Criminal consequences of bullying).</i>	N/A (stopbullying.gov)
53A 11 802	R277-608	<i>Prohibition of corporal punishment -- Use of reasonable and necessary physical restraint or force.</i>	VIII. Crisis Management XI. Emergency Safety Interventions
53A 11 805		<i>Behavior reduction intervention which is in compliance with Section 76-2-401 and with state and local rules adopted under Section 53A-15-301 is excepted from this part.</i>	VIII. Crisis Management X. Intervention Procedures: Overview and Selection XI. Emergency Safety Interventions
53A 11 903	R277-609-5	<i>Suspension and expulsion procedures -- Notice to parents -- Distribution of policies.</i>	IIF. Grounds for Disciplinary Action, Including Removal from School VII. Discipline Procedures
53A 11 904		<i>Grounds for suspension or expulsion from a public school. (Weapons violations).</i>	IIF. Grounds for Disciplinary Action, Including Removal from School VII. Discipline Procedures
53A 11 904		<i>Grounds for suspension or expulsion from a public school. (Admission to a school).</i>	IIF. Grounds for Disciplinary Action, Including Removal from School VII. Discipline Procedures
53A 11 905	R277-609	<i>Delegation of authority to suspend or expel. Procedure for suspension and readmission.</i>	IIF. Grounds for Disciplinary Action, Including Removal from School VII. Discipline Procedures
53A 11 906	R277-609-3	<i>Alternatives to suspension and expulsion.</i>	VII. Discipline Procedures
53A 11 907		<i>Student suspended or expelled -- Responsibility of parent or guardian -- Application for students with disabilities.</i>	IIF. Grounds for Disciplinary Action, Including Removal from School VII. Discipline Procedures

Utah Code	USBE Rule	Content	LRBI Section
53A 11 910		<i>Disruptive student behavior. (Court Involvement)</i>	IIB. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies IIC. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct IIF. Grounds for Disciplinary Action, Including Removal from School II.G. Consequences for Misconduct

PARENTAL NOTIFICATION

Utah Code	USBE Rule	Content	LRBI Section
	R277-609-4	<i>Notice of conduct and discipline policies</i>	IIB. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies IIC. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct IIF. Grounds for Disciplinary Action, Including Removal from School II.G. Consequences for Misconduct VII. Discipline Procedures IX. Responsibilities
53A 11a 203	R277-620-3	<i>Parental notification of certain incidents and threats required. (Suicide threats and bullying)</i>	XII.C. Duty to Warn IX. Responsibilities
53A 11 401 3		<i>Student use of controlled substances, alcohol, and drug paraphernalia.</i>	IIB. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies IIC. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct IIF. Grounds for Disciplinary Action, Including Removal from School II.G. Consequences for Misconduct VII. Discipline Procedures
53A 11 903	R277-609-5	<i>Suspension and expulsion procedures -- Notice to parents -- Distribution of policies. (Notice to parents of suspension or expulsion).</i>	IIB. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies IIC. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct IIF. Grounds for Disciplinary Action, Including Removal from School II.G. Consequences for Misconduct VII. Discipline Procedures

Utah Code	USBE Rule	Content	LRBI Section
53A 11 910		<i>Disruptive student behavior. (Consequences).</i>	IIB. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies IIC. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct IIF. Grounds for Disciplinary Action, Including Removal from School II.G. Consequences for Misconduct
Title IX.E.2. Section 9532	R277-483-4	<i>Persistently dangerous schools (Title IX.E.2. Section 9532)</i>	III. Effective Schools Research on Safe and Successful Schools

TRAINING FOR STAFF, STUDENTS, AND PARENTS

Utah Code	USBE Rule	Content	LRBI Section
53A 11a 201	R277-613	<i>Bullying, cyber-bullying, harassment, hazing, sexual battery, and sexual exposure prohibited.</i>	N/A (stopbullying.gov)
53A 11a 401	R277-613	<i>Bullying and Hazing -- Training, education, and prevention.</i>	IIB. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies IIC. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct
53A 11 603 9	R277-500	<i>Teacher licensing-suicide prevention training</i>	N/A (USBE Suicide Prevention)
53A 11 908	R277-609-3	<i>Extracurricular activities. Prohibited conduct. Reporting of violations Limitation of liability</i>	N/A
53A 15 1301	R277-620-3	<i>Youth suicide prevention programs required in secondary schools -- State Board of Education to develop model programs -- Reporting requirements. (Suicide prevention training for staff, parents, and students).</i>	N/A (USBE Suicide Prevention)
53A 15 1301	R277-411	<i>Youth suicide prevention programs required in secondary schools -- State Board of Education to develop model programs -- Reporting requirements. (Youth protection – related issues).</i>	N/A (USBE Suicide Prevention)

EVALUATION AND REPORTING

Utah Code	USBE Rule	Content	LRBI Section
53A 3 602.5		<i>School performance report -- Components -- Annual filing. (School performance report. Student discipline and actions taken)</i>	IIB. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies IIC. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct
	R277-609-3	<i>Conduct and discipline plan effectiveness.</i>	IIB. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies IIC. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct
53A 11 101	R277-607-3	<i>Students in Public Schools. (Truancy and attendance).</i>	IIB. Standards for Students Conduct and Discipline Policies IIC. Comprehensive Plan for Student Conduct
53A 15 1301	R277-620	<i>Youth suicide prevention programs required in secondary schools -- State Board of Education to develop model programs -- Reporting requirements. (Suicide reporting).</i>	N/A (USBE Suicide Prevention)

EVALUATION AND REPORTING (FEDERAL)

Public Law	Content	LRBI Section
107 110	<i>No Child Left Behind-Elementary and Secondary Education Act 2002</i>	III. Effective Schools Research on Safe and Successful Schools X. Responsibilities

LAWS, RULES, AND POLICIES: STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

Access to Facilities and Programs

Federal Law/Regulations	Content	LRBI Section
P.L. 101 350	<i>Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) (1990)</i>	N/A (Americans with Disabilities Act)

Rights of Students with Disabilities

Federal Law/Regulations	Content	LRBI Section
P.L. 93 132	<i>Section 504 of the Vocational Rehabilitation Act of 1973</i>	N/A

Educational Rights of Students with Disabilities

Federal Law/Regulations	Content	LRBI Section
<i>P.L. 108 446</i>	<i>Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act (IDEA) (2004, 2007); 34 CFR 300.1-300.818; 53A-11-907.5</i>	N/A (Utah Special Education Rules)
<i>34 CFR §300.530</i>	<i>Discipline</i>	VI. Individual Behavior Change VII. Discipline Procedures IX. Responsibilities X. Interventions Procedures: Overview and Selection

Educational Rights of Students with Disabilities (Utah Code)

Utah Code	USBE Rules	Content	LRBI Section
<i>53A 15 301</i>		<i>Education programs for students with disabilities.</i>	N/A (Utah Special Education Rules)
	R277-750	<i>Supervision of programs for students with disabilities by USBE.</i>	N/A (Utah Special Education Rules)

Educational Rights of Students with Disabilities IDEA and Utah Special Education Rules

Fed. Reg.	Spec. Ed. Rules	Content	LRBI Section
<i>§300.324(a)(2)(i); §300.530(d)</i>	SER III.1.b(5)(a-d); V.C	<i>Behavior interventions.</i>	VI. Individual Behavior Change VII. Discipline Procedures IX. Responsibilities X. Interventions Procedures: Overview and Selection
<i>§300.530(a c)</i>	SER V.B(1-4)	<i>Authority of school personnel.</i>	VII. Discipline Procedures XIV. Discipline Procedures (§300.530) XVII. Frequently Asked Questions
<i>§300.536</i>	SER V.D	<i>Change of Placement.</i>	VII. Discipline Procedures
<i>§300.530(d)</i>	SER V.C	<i>Services during Removal.</i>	VII. Discipline Procedures

<i>Fed. Reg.</i>	Spec. Ed. Rules	Content	LRBI Section
§300.530(e f)			XIV. Discipline Procedures (§300.530) XVII. Frequently Asked Questions
	SER V.E.1-4	<i>Manifestation Determination.</i>	VII. Discipline Procedures XIV. Discipline Procedures (§300.530) XVII. Frequently Asked Questions
§300.530(g)	SER V.E.5	<i>Special Circumstances.</i>	VII. Discipline Procedures XIV. Discipline Procedures (§300.530) XVII. Frequently Asked Questions
§300.530(h)	SER V.F	<i>Notice to Parents.</i>	VII. Discipline Procedures XIV. Discipline Procedures (§300.530) XVII. Frequently Asked Questions
§300.531	SER V.G	<i>Determination of Setting.</i>	VII. Discipline Procedures XIV. Discipline Procedures (§300.530) XVII. Frequently Asked Questions
§300 532 533	SER VH-I	<i>Appeals and Placement during Appeals.</i>	VII. Discipline Procedures XIV. Discipline Procedures (§300.530) XVII. Frequently Asked Questions
§300.534	SER V.J	<i>Students Not Yet Determined Eligible For Special Education.</i>	VII. Discipline Procedures XIV. Discipline Procedures (§300.530) XVII. Frequently Asked Questions
§300.535	SER V.K)	<i>Referral to Law Enforcement and Judicial Authorities.</i>	VII. Discipline Procedures XIV. Discipline Procedures (§300.530) XVII. Frequently Asked Questions

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