

PUBLIC NOTICE: 2025-2026

## TRAVERSE CITY AREA PUBLIC SCHOOLS PUBLIC HEARINGS AND MATERIAL REVIEW REGARDING SEX EDUCATION CURRICULUM

Please take notice that a Sex Education Curriculum Material Review and two Public Hearings for Traverse City Area Public Schools are planned. According to Michigan Law, all school districts must conduct two public hearings on any additions or revisions of sex education curriculum or materials and have Board of Education approval before implementation.

The additions and revisions of the sex education curriculum included in this material review and public hearings were reviewed and approved by Traverse City Area Public Schools' Sex Education Advisory Board (SEAB):

## **Proposed Changes for 5th Grade HIV**

- 5th Grade HIV Video (This video is password protected due to Copyright. Video must be viewed in person at Administration with a staff member)
- Guidelines for Answering Students' Questions in Response to the Video
  - Student Worksheet Pre/Post Test
  - Teacher Key to Pre/Post Test
  - HIV and AIDS Family Resource Sheet
  - **■** Student Promises Worksheet
  - Teacher Reference to HIV Infection
  - Glossary of Terms

## Proposed Changes for MS Grades 7-8 HIV & Other STIs

- HIV Video (This video is password protected due to Copyright. Video must be viewed in person at Administration with a staff member)
  - HIV Slideshow
  - HIV Fact or Myth
  - Know the Facts
  - HIV Facts
  - HIV Fact Sheet

## **Proposed Changes for HS Sex Education**

- Note: Changed slides have a yellow star on that slide
- Proposed TCAPS HS Sex Education Quiz
- Proposed Teen Pregnancy Safe Delivery Program
- Proposed HIV & AIDS: Are You at Risk?
  - \*What is HIV / AIDS and does it affect your body?
  - \*LIVING WELL with HIV video link

- Proposed STIs
- Proposed Sex and the Law
  - Sexual Abuse
    - Erin Merryn Founder of Erin's Law video link
    - Effects of Porn on Sexual Behavior
    - Human Trafficking

Interested parents/guardians and community members are encouraged to review the materials prior to attending the public hearing. Materials can be viewed on the TCAPS website at <a href="https://www.tcaps.net/about/board/">https://www.tcaps.net/about/board/</a> (under the Public Notice section) or in-person by appointment by contacting Board Recording Secretary, Tammy Brunan, in the Superintendent's Office at 231.933.1725.

The Board of Education will conduct the <u>first public hearing</u> on <u>Monday</u>, <u>July 14</u>, <u>2025 at 6:00 p.m. at the TCAPS Administration at Glenn Loomis, 1009 S. Oak Street, Traverse City, MI 49684.</u>

The Board of Education will conduct the <u>second</u> <u>public hearing</u> on <u>Monday, August 25, 2025 at 6:00 p.m.</u> at the TCAPS Administration at Glenn Loomis, 1009 S. Oak Street, Traverse City, MI 49684.