

# Policy

What laws and policies apply to Teen Health Services?

Several laws and policies empower our schools and staff to educate teens on sexual education.

For more information please refer to:



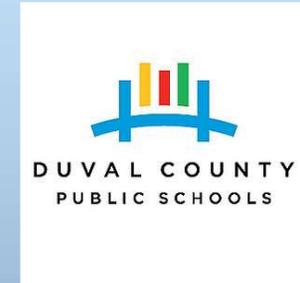
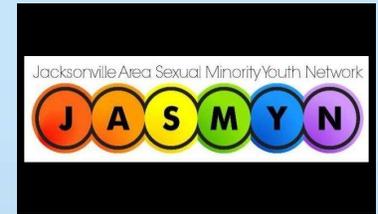
Duval County School Board Policy  
Chapter 4.00-Curriculum and Instruction

State of Florida Statutes  
FL ST § 1003.46, FL ST § 381.003,  
FL ST § 381.004, FL ST § 384.23,  
FL ST § 384.24, FL ST § 384.25,  
FL ST § 384.28,  
FL ST § 384.287 and  
FL ST § 796.08

## More information?

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In August of 2013, Duval County Public Schools was granted a CDC DASH award to reduce the high-risk behaviors of our secondary students; administer the Youth Risk Behavior Survey and provide safe spaces for high-risk students at the secondary school level.



## Get to know the Teen Health Services!

The population of our students that will be the focus are students who have the highest risk of dropping out of school, being bullied, being assaulted and being at risk for infection with STI's to include HIV.

The Safe Space program will give students the support they need to feel safe and supported at school, and curtail bullying, which will lead to an environment conducive to obtaining their high school diploma. Statistics show that when students have at least five supportive adults in the school building, truancy and other high risk factors decrease.

The School Board's approval of the grant's work plan refers to educating the "whole" child and providing an environment to do so. Providing the support for high risk as well as all students is the main focus of this Center for Disease Control grant.

The grant also provides pre-health care services such as prevention counseling, training and education about their risk for HIV and STI's. The Department of Health-Duval through separate funding will provide testing results return education, screenings for HIV and STI's, medicines for treatment and testing supplies.

