

BOARD OF HEALTH

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The School Committee advocates close working relationships with the Board of Health in all school health matters. The Board of Health is responsible for protecting Westford's public health by adopting reasonable local health regulations and carrying out preventative programs. The school staff shall safeguard the health of the child in school by supplementing and reinforcing the efforts of the home and by providing conditions and educational opportunities conducive to good health.

Parents/legal guardians who cannot afford medical or dental care may be referred to the public health nurse for guidance in obtaining care either through the Board of Health or other resources. Such referral is especially important in the case of required vaccinations and immunizations.

Westford Public Schools Policy References:
P3602 – Building Inspection

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