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53G-9-604 Parental notification of certain incidents and threats required.

- (1) A school shall:
 - (a) notify a parent if the parent's student threatens suicide; or
 - (b) notify the parents of each student involved in an incident and the action plan to address the incident.
- (2)
 - (a) When a student threatens suicide or is involved in an incident, the school shall produce and maintain a record that:
 - (i) verifies that the school notified each parent in accordance with Subsection (1);
 - (ii) tracks implementation of the action plan addressing the incident, if applicable;
 - (iii) maintains a record described in Subsection (2)(a) in accordance with the requirements of:
 - (A) Title 53E, Chapter 9, Part 2, Student Privacy;
 - (B) Title 53E, Chapter 9, Part 3, Student Data Protection;
 - (C) the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, 20 U.S.C. Sec. 1232g; and
 - (D) 34 C.F.R. Part 99; and
 - (iv) provide the parent with:
 - (A) suicide prevention materials and information; and
 - (B) information on ways to limit the student's access to fatal means, including a firearm or medication.
 - (b) The state superintendent shall select the materials and information described in Subsection (2)(a)(iv) in collaboration with the state suicide prevention coordinator and public education suicide prevention coordinator.
- (3) At the request of a parent, a school may provide information and make recommendations related to an incident or threat described in Subsection (1).
- (4) A school shall:
 - (a) provide a student a copy of a record maintained in accordance with this section that relates to the student if the student requests a copy of the record; and
 - (b) expunge a record maintained in accordance with this section that relates to a student if the student:
 - (i) has graduated from high school; and
 - (ii) requests the record be expunged.

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