

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT 196
Rosemount-Apple Valley-Eagan Public Schools
Educating our students to reach their full potential

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Title **Medical Eligibility for Students Participating in Cocurricular Activities**

1. **Documentation for Participation** - Any student in grades 7-12 who intends to participate in interscholastic athletics, danceline or cheerleading must have the following documents on file in his or her school office prior to the student's participation:
 - 1.1 A record of a physical examination (Minnesota State High School League Sports Qualifying Physical Examination Clearance Form) performed by a physician, nurse practitioner or physician's assistant within the previous three years, and
 - 1.2 One of the following annual health questionnaires signed by a parent or guardian approving student participation in athletic activities:
 - 1.2.1 **Middle school students** - District Procedure 604.4.1.1.2P, Middle School Annual Sports Health Questionnaire, Participation Release and Fees, or
 - 1.2.2 **High school students** - Minnesota State High School League (MSHSL) Annual Sports Health Questionnaire.
2. **Documentation to Resume Participation** - After a student has major surgery, a serious illness or a serious injury, the attending physician must certify in writing the student's readiness to begin or resume participation in interscholastic athletics, danceline or cheerleading.