

HOMEBOUND INSTRUCTION

- 1.0 Home instruction may be initiated by the school Pupil Evaluation Team (PET) if it is determined by doctor's written verification that the disability and absence is to extend beyond ten school days. The PET will determine the extent of services to be provided.
- 2.0 When a request/referral for homebound instruction of an incapacitated child is received from a parent, doctor, nurse, etc., the following steps will be taken:
 - 2.1 A P.E.T. action must be taken to consider any request. The building administrator can authorize such homebound instruction until the PET meeting occurs.
- 3.0 If the building administrator is notified prior to the Special Education Department, a telephone notification to the Special Education Department will suffice for the recording of notification/need and initiation of action.
- 4.0 Written parental consent is necessary for services provided in the home even if the referral is originated by the parent.
 - 4.1 The parent must sign the consent form no later than the first home visit.
- 5.0 For the purposes of this policy homebound instruction includes instances of hospitalization.

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