



## Wasatch County School District Human Sexuality Committee Meeting

Thursday, February 13, 2025, 3PM

Attending Parents: Jen Gogan, Lindsey Egan, Pat Dettman, Allison Russell, Trevor Wagstaff

Attending WCSD: Tod Johnson, Aubreigh Parks, Cory Holmes, Brooke Wardle, Theron Gustavson, Wes Mangum

Invited, but Unable to Attend: Kaitlyn Day

Welcome and introductions	Curriculum Director, Tod Johnson	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discussed reason for meeting: Yearly assurance to the State</li> <li>• Showed and discussed WCSD Human Sexuality Curriculum website</li> <li>• Human Sexuality Curriculum is directly from State Core Standards</li> <li>• Resource is Goodheart Willcox health and wellness education, State recommended.</li> <li>• 5<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> grade Health Courses</li> <li>• Need Consent form signed for 9<sup>th</sup> grade Human Sexuality course.</li> <li>• Each teacher goes through training course to teach these classes.</li> <li>• Is there legislative initiatives right now? Tod and Theron looking while Aubreigh is teaching.</li> </ul>
Human Sexuality Curriculum Review	Wasatch County School District Nurse, Aubreigh Parks and Health Teachers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All Human Sexuality programs are OPT IN</li> <li>• Curriculum taught in grades 5, 7 and 9</li> <li>• Grade 5 is one hour, nurse led, on maturation, consent, body safety, puberty, hygiene, developmental based. Social introduction to menstruation for girls and a tiny bit with boys. We never teach how to with arousal, etc</li> <li>• Grade 7 is one-two days, health teacher instruction, more anatomy and physiology. All our programs are opt-in classes for instruction. Aubreigh is very impressed with engagement and such great question asking. Active participants in learning how to be healthy.</li> <li>• Grade 9 is three days, health teacher instruction, STDs, abstinence-based, contraception, refusal skills, healthy relationships, Physiology, reproductive disorders and sexual aggression, sexting and pornography. Unit 3, birth video(3 different birth ways), adoption, Safe Haven law.</li> <li>• Instruction does not cover gender identity, arousal or value standards</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Question/Answer sessions are a part of all sessions</li> <li>• Very few students opt out; students have been very respectful; students are encouraged to talk to their parents about what they have learned.</li> <li>• Each student given a notecard if they are nervous in discussing anything during Maturation Program and the 9<sup>th</sup> grade Human Sexuality.</li> <li>• Parents can choose if they want their student to learn all or nothing or just certain subjects.</li> <li>• Consent form for high school is sent out within the first few weeks of the school year.</li> <li>• We do not teach anything that is value based. That is against the standards in Utah.</li> <li>• This information was last updated in 2019 but not much has changed since then.</li> </ul>
Questions/Discussion/Summary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Parent asked about resources for parents and/or students to get answers to questions <i>Nurse Aubreigh, directed them to the link on WCSD website labeled "FAQs 1"</i></li> <li>• Nurse Aubreigh commented that teachers dealing with the human sexuality curriculum have State mandated training on how to present the subject matter and that students are always directed to have conversations with their parents or another safe adult.</li> <li>• Everything from Consent form to the lessons Aubreigh teaches can be heard in Spanish and many other languages.</li> <li>• Parent asked what a student can do if they do not have anyone at home to talk to about what they've learned or any questions that they may have. <i>Nurse Aubreigh said that students are told that they can speak with parents, their doctor, a counselor, the health department, and other safe adults about any questions they may have.</i> <i>House Bill 281: (Nurse Aubreigh confirmed that nothing should change with the new legislation going to the house right now) Most stuff we are already teaching.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Legislative bills at the hill right now. Firearm safety in schools</li> <li>• School swimming and lifeguard bill</li> <li>• Health curriculum procedures and provisions.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Parent asked if the website human sexuality information and links are in Spanish. <i>No. They are not. Although some of the resources have website browsers with translation capabilities tied, WCSD stand-alone pages do not. WCSD will get Spanish translations available as soon as possible.</i></li> </ul>	
Wrap Up	Tod Johnson	Thanked everyone for participation

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WCSD Human Sexuality Curriculum website:

<https://wasatch.edu/blog/human-sexuality/>

Fight the New Drug:

<https://fightthenewdrug.org/katelyns-story-how-porn-negatively-affected-my-feelings-of-self-worth/>

Health Curriculum: Utah State Health Standards

<https://schools.utah.gov/curr/health>