



Proposed School Environmental Safety Incident Reporting (SESIR) - Rule 6A-1.0017

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Purpose of Proposed Changes of Rule 6A-1.0017

- Incorporate the new requirements from the U.S. Department of Education's Office for Civil Rights for reporting allegations of sexual assault and sexual battery by school personnel and any preliminary action taken in response to those allegations prior to final discipline or termination
- Changes to incident definitions are based on feedback from our districts and provide greater clarity in reporting expectations

SESIR Basics

- In 1995-96 the SESIR system was initiated to enable schools to track incidents and analyze patterns of violent, criminal or disruptive activity
- SESIR collects data on 26 incidents of crime, violence, and disruptive behaviors to enable districts to correctly code and report incidences
- Incidents are reported by schools to the districts which then provide the data to FDOE and can be used to meet federal and state reporting requirements
- The data is used by districts to design and evaluate interventions to provide a safe learning environment

Changes to the Rule

- Allegations of Sexual Assault or Sexual Battery against school personnel, and the outcome of such allegations
- Bullying or Harassment: Based on specific religions
- Clarification of 6 SESIR definitions
 - Aggravated Battery
 - Alcohol
 - Other Major Incidents
 - Threat/Intimidation
 - Tobacco
 - Weapons Possession

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