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5 Receipt of Confidential Records

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7 Pursuant to Montana law, the District may receive case records of the Department of Public
8 Health and Human Services and its local affiliate, the county welfare department, the county
9 attorney, and the court concerning actions taken and all records concerning reports of child abuse
10 and neglect. The District will keep these records confidential as required by law and will not
11 include them in a student's permanent file.

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13 The Board authorizes the Administration team to receive information with respect to a District
14 student who is a client of the Department of Public Health and Human Services.

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16 When the District receives information pursuant to law, the Superintendent will prevent
17 unauthorized dissemination of that information.

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21 Cross Reference: 3600 - 3600P Student Records

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23 Legal Reference: § 41-3-205, MCA Confidentiality – disclosure exceptions

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25 Policy History:

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