

**PUBLIC COMPLAINTS ABOUT  
INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS/LIBRARY MEDIA**

The Board of Education, as the governing body of the district, is legally responsible for all instructional materials relating to the operation of the district. The Board, as a policy-making body, delegates the responsibility for coordinating the selection of and making recommendations for the purchase of instructional materials to the professionally-trained personnel employed by the Board.

The Board recognized that occasional objections about instructional materials may be made by persons in the community not directly involved with the selection of such materials. In order to safeguard the opinions of such persons, including district personnel, the district shall accept and handle criticisms about instructional materials from persons in the community in accordance with established procedures.

The School District of Amery shall not discriminate in the selection and evaluation of instructional and library materials on the basis of sex, race, color, national origin, ancestry, creed, religion, pregnancy, marital or parental status, sexual orientation, handicap or physical, mental, emotional or learning disability. Discrimination complaints shall be processed in accordance with established procedures.

LEGAL REF.:           Sections 118.13 Wisconsin Statutes  
                                  121.02(1)(h)  
                                  PI 9.03(1), Wisconsin Administrative Code

CROSS REF.:           871-Rule, Procedures for Handling Public Complaints About Instructional  
                                  Materials/Library Media  
                                  871-Exhibit, Citizen's Request for Reconsideration of Instructional  
                                  Materials/Library Media  
                                  361, Selection of Instructional Materials  
                                  411-Rule, Discrimination Complaint Procedures

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