

CORI REQUIREMENTS

In accordance with state law, that all prospective employees and volunteers shall execute a release of information form whereby the Public Schools shall be authorized access to the Criminal Offender Records Information (C.O.R.I.) from the criminal history systems board for potential employees and volunteers who may have direct and unmonitored contact with children, including any individual who regularly provides school related transportation to children.

In addition, as a condition of being offered employment, every applicant for any position within the Public Schools shall have had a C.O.R.I. reviewed by the Superintendent.

The Superintendent has the final responsibility for making or approving employment decisions for all school personnel as permitted by law. The Superintendent shall also request C.O.R.I. information on contractors or other individuals who may be in direct and unmonitored contact with students.

The Superintendent or designee shall periodically, but not less than every three (3) years, obtain all available criminal offender record information from the criminal history systems board on all such employees and volunteers during their term of employment or volunteer service.

Access to C.O.R.I. information must be restricted only to those individuals certified to receive such information.

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LEGAL REFS.: MGL 71:38R, 151B:9 71:59B

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Reference

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