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ADAMS WELLS SPECIAL SERVICES COOPERATIVE

PARENT/STUDENT REVOKE CONSENT FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES PROCEDURES

If a parent or student, aged 18 or older, no longer wants special education services, the school will call the AWSSC coordinator who will meet with the parent to ensure that they understand the ramifications for revoking consent.

The AWSSC coordinator will ensure that the parent understands:

1. School personnel receives written and dated request from parent or student 18 years of age or older for revocation of special education services.
2. School personnel contacts AWSSC coordinator immediately upon receipt of written request.
3. Within 10 instructional days of the receipt of the written request, the Coordinator or designee will meet with the parent to explain the ramifications of revoking consent.
4. If the parent/student does not want to meet with the AWSSC Coordinator or school personnel, the school must provide written information to the parent/student to ensure that they understand the ramifications of and process for revoking consent. The Notice of Discontinuation of Special Education will be sent home for parent signature.
5. During the meeting with the parent, the Notice of Discontinuation of Special Education will be reviewed and signed by the parent.
6. The school will discontinue special education services ten (10) instructional days after the parent signs the Notice of Discontinuation of Special Education unless the parent provides consent for the termination prior to the expiration of 10 instructional days.
7. The student will be placed into a general education program without an IEP.
8. The student will no longer be treated as a student with a disability although the student could be eligible for accommodations under a 504 plan.
9. The student will no longer be entitled to the safeguards or protections of IDEA or Article 7.
10. All information regarding the student's previous special education services and eligibility will be maintained for required timeline.
11. If, after the parent or student has revoked permission for services, they ask that the student be reconsidered for special education, the school would follow the procedures for an initial evaluation.
12. Parent's written request will be attached to the Notice of Discontinuation of Special Education and sent to AWSSC to be placed in the student file.

The school will plan the necessary transition of the student from special education to general education.

Once the Notice of Discontinuation of Special Education has been signed by the parent regarding their request to cease services, the student will become a general education student no later than ten (10) school days following parent signature on the Notice of Discontinuation of Special Education form unless otherwise noted. No case conference needs to be held or IEP developed when parents revoke consent.

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Sec. 15.

- (a) At any time after the parent gives consent for the initiation of special education and related services, the parent may revoke that consent by doing the following:
 - (1) Putting the revocation of consent in writing.
 - (2) Signing the revocation.
 - (3) Submitting the written revocation to licensed personnel.
- (b) Within ten (10) instructional days of the date licensed personnel receive the parent's written revocation, the public agency must provide the parent with a copy of the written notice described in Section 7 of this rule.
- (c) The public agency is not required to convene a CCC or develop an IEP when the public agency receives the parent's written revocation.
- (d) The public agency may ask the parent why the parent is revoking consent, but the public agency may not require the parent to provide an explanation, either orally or in writing, as a condition of terminating the provision of special education and related services. The public agency may not use the inquiry to delay or deny the termination of special education and related services.
- (e) A parent's revocation of consent covers all instruction, services, and supports included in the student's IEP, including, but not limited to the following:
 - (1) Specialized instruction
 - (2) Related services
 - (3) Accommodations
 - (4) Adaptations
 - (5) Modifications
 - (6) Supports for the student or personnel on behalf of the student
 - (7) Assistive technology devices and services
 - (8) Placement outside of a general education classroom
- (f) A parent may not revoke consent for fewer than all of the special education and related services included in the student's IEP.
- (g) The public agency may not terminate special education and related services until ten (10) instructional days after the parent receives the written notice described in subsection (b) unless the parent provides written consent for services to be terminated prior to the expiration of ten (10) instructional days after receipt of the written notice.
- (h) The public agency may not use mediation or a due process hearing to override the parent's revocation of consent for services.



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Notice of Discontinuation of Special Education

Date of Report: 04/11/2013
Individual Education Program

Student: [REDACTED]

STN: [REDACTED]

Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

Age: [REDACTED]

Current Grade: [REDACTED]

Gender: [REDACTED]

This Notice is being provided to me in response to the School's receipt of my written revocation of consent for the provision of special education and related services to my child. This Notice contains information to assure that I have been fully informed and that I understand the implications of my decision to revoke consent for services.

- "Special education" means specially designed instruction, provided at no cost to the parent, and designed to meet the unique needs of a student eligible for special education and related services.
- Along with the specially designed instruction, students with disabilities have additional rights and protections that are not available to non-disabled students.
- By revoking consent for special education, I am asking the School to stop providing all special education and related services. This includes all special instruction, related services, accommodations, adaptations, modifications, and anything else provided in my child's IEP. I cannot revoke consent for only some of the special education services.
- The School will discontinue all special education services 10 school days after I receive this Notice, unless I request that the School stop services earlier by signing and returning this Notice to the School.
- When special education services are discontinued, my child will be placed in general education without an IEP and will no longer be treated as a student with a disability. My child will be held to the same standards of accountability, and will be subject to the same expectations and disciplinary consequences, as any non-disabled student. My child will no longer be entitled to the safeguards or protections of Article 7 or the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA '04).
- Revoking my consent for special education services relieves the School of the responsibility to provide my child with a free appropriate public education (FAPE) as defined in Article 7 and IDEA '04.
- Information in my child's educational record collected prior to my revocation of consent will continue to be a part of his/her educational record, unless the educational record is amended in accordance with 511 IAC 7-38-2.
- If I want my child to be reconsidered for special education services after previous services have been discontinued, I must request an initial educational evaluation in accordance with 511 IAC 7-40-4.

Based on the School's receipt of my written revocation of consent for services, the School is proposing to discontinue all services as described above. The discontinuation of services is not based on any evaluative or other information, but is based solely on a parent's unilateral authority to revoke consent for special education services. No other options have been considered due to the exercise of this authority. A copy of the procedural safeguards, including a list of resources to contact for assistance in understanding the provisions of Indiana's special education rules is available upon request to the School.

If, after reading the Notice of Discontinuation of Services and being fully informed, I decide that I do not want to revoke my consent for special education services, I must notify the School immediately that I have changed my mind, that I want to withdraw my revocation of consent, and that I want the School to continue to provide special education services.

By my signature below, I request that the School discontinue special education services to my child immediately upon the School's receipt of this request.

Sign

Date

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