

Missouri Office of Special Education Compliance Standards & Indicators

1300-ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA: Other Health Impairment

Legal Requirement	Indicator	Documentation
<p>1300.10 Health evaluation: 34 C.F.R. §300.8(c)(9); SP (III)</p>	<p>1300.10.a. The evaluation report documents a comprehensive health evaluation by a licensed physician that results in the diagnosis of a chronic or acute health problem.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>1300.10.b. For those conditions not requiring a medical diagnosis (e.g. attention deficit disorder or attention deficit hyperactivity disorder), the evaluation report documents a comprehensive evaluation by a licensed psychologist, licensed professional counselor, licensed clinical social worker, or school psychologist.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">AND</p> <p>1300.10.c. Documentation indicates that the health impairment results in limited strength, vitality or alertness, including a heightened alertness to environmental stimuli.</p> <p>NOTE (1): Limited strength refers to physical strength and energy and includes lack of endurance for fine and/or gross motor activities (e.g. poor trunk control, slouching, tires easily, muscular power). It also refers to a student’s emotional stamina, and how the student responds to stress/pain</p> <p>NOTE (2): Limited vitality refers to the capacity for endurance including duration, intensity and frequency over time. It takes into consideration the level of sustained energy/effort displayed by the student.</p> <p>NOTE (3): Limited alertness refers to mental processing and the ability to think clearly. It includes the ability to manage/maintain attention and awareness including the ability to sustain focus. It also includes heightened alertness including being overly observant, watchful or “on guard.”</p>	<p>Evaluation report</p>
<p>1300.20 Comprehensive educational evaluation: 34 C.F.R. §300.8(c)(9)(ii); 34 C.F.R. §300.306; SP (III)</p>	<p>1300.20.a. A comprehensive educational evaluation is present which documents all of the areas in which the child’s health impairment adversely affects her/his educational performance.</p> <p>1300.20.b. The documentation includes a description of the educational concerns.</p>	<p>Evaluation report</p>