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On Aug. 23, the Sonoma County Department of Public Health issued Health order C19-27, which mandated that all school workers (which includes all staff, teachers, administrators, volunteers, and coaches) either provide their school district with proof of vaccination or submit to weekly testing, effective Sept. 24.

As districts have worked to comply with this health order, the question of enforcement has come up. In Windsor, enforcement is being handled by the Human Resources department, in conjunction with employee representatives.

The Windsor Unified School District is required to implement this health order and accompanying state law. The District must comply, and by extension, so must its employees.

Therefore, the District is planning on implementing a series of progressive steps with employees in the event they fail to provide proof of vaccination and fail to adhere to weekly testing protocols. These steps start with reminders and assistance in scheduling tests, and end with potential termination. Obviously, this is not a step the District wishes to take, and there will be assistance available to help employees comply with the law.

WUSD is committed to keeping our schools a safe environment for our students and our staff. We look forward to working collaboratively with the community to keep it that way.

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