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State Superintendent of Schools

To: Supervisors of Physical Education

From: Susan C. Spinnato, Director of Instructional Programs

Date: August 13, 2018

Re: Physical Education Graduation Requirement

This is to advise you that under Code of Maryland Regulations (COMAR) 13A.04.13.01, there is no provision for waiver of the Physical Education graduation requirement.

However, a student may participate in a modified program of physical education based on the physical limitations or medical condition of the student. An individualized program must be developed and approved by the physical education teacher, parent or guardian, principal, and supervisor.

If I can be of further assistance, please contact me at susan.spinnato@maryland.gov or 410-767-0349.