CHAPTER 33-06-05.5 RELATIONS WITH THE PUBLIC

Section

33-06-05.5-01 Dissemination of Information

33-06-05.5-02 Procedure for Addressing Public Knowledge of Affected Individuals at an Institution

33-06-05.5-01. Dissemination of information.

Except as required by law, information concerning the identity and status of an affected individual may not be released to the public. No release may be made of any information either confirming or denying the presence within the institution setting of a person who has contracted a significant contagious disease.

History: Effective January 1, 1991. **General Authority:** NDCC 23-07-16.1

Law Implemented: NDCC 23-01-03, 23-07-16, 23-07-16.1

33-06-05.5-02. Procedure for addressing public knowledge of affected individuals at an institution.

The institution shall develop a procedure for addressing situations when information concerning an affected individual becomes public. The procedure adopted under this section must include the identification of a single spokesperson for the institution, a means of protecting against possible breeches of confidentiality, and a plan for conflict resolution which may include a request for assistance from an appropriate consultant.

History: Effective January 1, 1991. **General Authority:** NDCC 23-07-16.1

Law Implemented: NDCC 23-01-03, 23-07-16, 23-07-16.1