

Teen PEP Student Opt Out Notice

To the Clearview Regional High School District:

Dear Sir or Madam,

1. Upon your receipt of this document, you are placed on legal notice that I, the undersigned parent(s), am requesting religious accommodation* and have elected to invoke my parental rights under Federal and State Constitution and Case Law regarding the instruction of my child(ren).
2. You are not to instruct my child through or with any of the Teen PEP curriculum as such instruction is in conflict with my sincerely held moral and religious beliefs*.
3. This prohibition extends to all school system employees and agents, including Teen PEP Peer Educators and facilitators, in any setting, on or off campus, in which my child(ren) is/are in the care of the school. My child should be given alternate assignment which is not in conflict with my sincerely held moral and religious beliefs* and excused from the location where such instructions and discussions occur.
4. The child(ren) to which this opt-out notice applies is/are:

Signed,

Parent or Legal Guardian

Date

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**As stated in N.J.S.A. 18A:35-4.7, any child whose parent or guardian presents to the school a signed statement that any part of instruction in health, family life education, or sex education is in conflict with his or her conscience or sincerely held moral or religious beliefs shall be excused from that portion of the course. Students excused from instruction should be provided alternative instructional content and activities aligned with the New Jersey Comprehensive Health and Physical Education Core Curriculum Content Standards and the local health education curriculum.*