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MEMORANDUM

TO: Local and Intermediate School District Superintendents and
Public School Academy Directors

FROM: Carol Wolenberg, Deputy Superintendent *Carol*

SUBJECT: Public Comment Survey on State Board of Education Model Policy
On Quality Physical Education and Physical Activity in Schools

In 2003, the State Board of Education (SBE) adopted the Policy on Quality Physical Education. This policy has recently been revised to incorporate comprehensive physical activity programs before, during, and after school in addition to a quality physical education program. The Michigan Department of Education (MDE) worked in cooperation with numerous partners in the development of this model policy.

The SBE Draft Model Policy on Quality Physical Education and Physical Activity in Schools is now available for review and comment. You will find the draft policy at http://www.michigan.gov/documents/mde/Item_F_Model_Policy_on_PE_and_Physical_Activity_in_Schools_388455_7.pdf.

Once you have reviewed the draft policy, please provide any comments and feedback via the following Survey Monkey link:
https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/PE-PA_DraftModelPolicy.

Please forward this information to your partners and others you feel may be interested in reviewing. As this policy incorporates physical activity and is not limited to physical education, we are looking forward to getting feedback from a wide variety of individuals. The survey will close on August 31, 2012. Thank you in advance for your time in reviewing the policy! If you have any questions, please contact Mary Teachout at TeachoutM@michigan.gov or (517) 335-1730.

cc: Michigan Education Alliance

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