

Resolved:

In light of the Board's responsibility to provide for the safety and welfare of the district's students, as acknowledged in Board Policy 0122, the Board directs the Superintendent to use the authority granted in Policy 5325 (giving the Superintendent the authority to adopt administrative guidelines regarding control of the transmission of casual contact communicable diseases in schools) and 8450.01 (giving the Superintendent the authority to adopt guidelines for the use of facial coverings when there is elevated risk of transmission of communicable disease) to adopt administrative guidelines and take all other steps necessary to immediately implement the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services' (MDHHS) recommendation of November 19, 2021, for the use of facial coverings in all indoor settings until the earlier of: (1) the date MDHHS revises this recommendation, (2) the COVID-19 Risk level for Livingston County as reported on the MI Safe Start map (found at [mistart map.info](http://mistart.map.info)) is Moderate or lower, or (3) January 8, 2022. Any guidelines or other steps taken by the Superintendent will be subject to the exclusions and waivers set forth in Policy 8450.01.