

**TITLE 126
LEGISLATIVE RULE
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**SERIES 44H
NEXT GENERATION DRIVER EDUCATION CONTENT STANDARDS AND OBJECTIVES
FOR WEST VIRGINIA SCHOOLS (2520.8)**

§126-44H-1. General.

1.1. Scope. -- W. Va. §126CSR42, West Virginia Board of Education Policy 2510, Assuring the Quality of Education, Regulations for Educations for Education Programs, provides a definition of a delivery system for, and an assessment and accountability system for, a thorough and efficient education for West Virginia public school students. Policy 2520.8 defines the content standards (or instructional goals) and objectives for driver education as required by Policy 2510 and Policy 2422.2.

1.2. Authority. -- W. Va. Constitution, Article XII, §2, W. Va. Code §§18-2-5, 18-6-1, et seq., and 18-9A-22.

1.3. Filing Date. -- August 11, 2011

1.4. Effective Date. -- September 12, 2011

1.5. Repeal of a Former Rule. This legislative rule repeals and replaces W. Va. 126CSR44H, West Virginia Board of Education Policy 2520.8, “Driver Education Content Standards and Objectives for West Virginia Schools” filed March 19, 2007 and effective July 1, 2008.

§126-44H-2. Purpose.

2.1. This policy defines the content standards (or instructional goals) and objectives for the program of study required by Policy 2510 and W. Va. §126CSR22, West Virginia Board of Education Policy 2422.2, Driver Education Regulations.

§126-44H-3. Incorporation by Reference.

3.1. A copy of Next Generation Driver Education Content Standards and Objectives for West Virginia Schools is attached and incorporated by reference into this policy. Copies may be obtained in the Office of the Secretary of State and in the West Virginia Department of Education, Office of Healthy Schools.

§126-44H-4. Summary of the Content Standards and Objectives.

4.1. The West Virginia Board of Education has the responsibility for establishing high quality standards pertaining to all educational standards (W. Va. Code §18-9A-22). The content standards and objectives provide a focus for teachers to teach and students to learn those skills and competencies essential for future success in the workplace and further education. The document includes content standards for driver education, an explanation of terms; objectives that reflect a rigorous and challenging curriculum; and performance descriptors.