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| <b>LODI UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT</b> |
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**Policy 6159.7**

**Instruction**

**Transportation of Students with Exceptional Needs**

The Lodi Unified School District Board of Education intends that appropriate transportation be provided pupils identified with exceptional needs. It shall be the policy of the Lodi Unified School District that every effort be made to utilize regularly provided school and public transportation for individuals with exceptional needs.

Individualized Education Program Teams shall consider the unique needs of individuals with exceptional needs when decisions are made regarding transportation. Such decisions shall be consistent with Education Code 56773.5.

Policy  
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