

#### **R 4-5-2 Emergency School Closure**

The State Superintendent of Schools may make a declaration that there is a need for an emergency school closure. Once the State Superintendent has declared a need for an emergency school closure, consideration should be given to the following when determining the schools to which the displaced students will be transferred:

- ❖ Educational program - educational opportunities are equal or greater for students at the receiving school;
- ❖ Transportation - proposed routing schedule does not result in undue time in transit for students according to recommended age-appropriate travel times;
- ❖ Exceptional students - programmatic offerings and educational spaces are appropriately accessible to disabled students;
- ❖ Health/safety - transfer of students would not result in any health/safety concerns which would adversely affect students and staff; and
- ❖ Capacity - receiving school has the capacity to adequately house projected enrollment.