

Policy Comparison

Area	Current	Proposed
Parental Notification	Optional, determined based on the child's preferences.	Guaranteed, unless parents found unfit through formal proceedings with Child Protective Services.
School Approach	Schools affirm child gender choice (changing name and pronouns); no other options are provided.	Parents can choose affirmative therapy, traditional psychotherapy, or no intervention. Conversion therapy not allowed, even with parental consent.
Changing Areas	Based on gender identity	Based on biological sex
Overnight Stays	Based on gender identity	Based on biological sex
Sports Participation	Based on gender identity	Based on biological sex after age 11
Breast Binders/Tucking	No prohibition on staff providing (though they are not doing this that we are aware of in FCPS).	Staff are prohibited from providing binders or other devices to change students' physical appearance.
Gender Dysphoria Information Packet	FCPS does not provide.	FCPS provides objective, scientific information to assist parents in choosing the approach to support their children.
Scientific Basis	No research cited. Gender dysphoria not mentioned at all.	Over 100 research citations. Gender dysphoria thoroughly discussed.