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PROCEDURE MANUAL: 2022-2023

Public Health Considerations And Absentee Voting

A voter would qualify to vote by absentee ballot and register by absentee registration if, in the voter's personal judgment based on the individual medical or health circumstances of the voter, the voter is being advised by medical authorities to avoid going out in public. This applies to a voter experiencing symptoms of any communicable disease or illness. It would also apply to a voter limiting public exposure as a preventative measure due to medical or health circumstances where voting or registering by absentee registration would be consistent with that voter's general, preventative measures behavior. These two classes of voters have a reasonable basis to conclude that a "physical disability" exists within the meaning of RSA 654:16 and RSA 654:17.