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The purpose of this newsletter is to provide knowledge for parents and educators who want to save the children of America from the destructive forces that endanger them. Our children in the public schools are at grave risk in 4 ways: academically, spiritually, morally, and physically — and only a well-informed public will be able to reduce those risks.

"Without vision, the people perish."

## AIDS

### Disease Catastrophe In The Making

Recently the Boston Globe published the following small item under the heading "AIDS policy set":

"The doors of New Hampshire public schools will be open to teachers, cafeteria workers and other employees afflicted with Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome under a policy approved unanimously by the state Board of Education, subject to review by the attorney general. The board said the deadly disease represents no threat to coworkers in normal work settings, so school districts will be barred from imposing any restrictions on its victims. The policy also discourages routine screening of employees for AIDS."

If ever a policy was made in sheer ignorance, that one is it. And New Hampshire is not the only state guilty of such irresponsibility. According to Education Week (May 7, 1986), the Delaware Board of Education adopted a similar policy that will allow employees with AIDS to continue working in schools and students with AIDS to remain in the classroom unless the employee or student has an open sore or

is too ill to work or attend class.

In other words, infectious AIDS victims will be permitted to mingle with their healthy classmates and coworkers until they are ready to be carried out on stretchers! Considering the lethality of the disease, such policy borders on the insane.

When Rock Hudson left the Paris hospital where he had been undergoing treatment for AIDS, all the nurses who attended him were made to burn their dresses. Also, while in the hospital, Hudson was fed on paper and plastic plates, and given plastic forks and spoons which were immediately destroyed after use. Yet, boards of education are permitting AIDS victims to work in cafeterias serving food to school children! How stupid can these board members be?

What are the facts that school officials should know? A new book, The AIDS Cover-Up?, by Gene Antonio (reviewed in this issue) provides a wealth of information. The following is gleaned from that book.

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