Administrative Procedures Manual	Administrative Procedure 402
	Personnel Records
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LEGAL REFERENCE:	Section 52,53, 222 Education Act
	Alberta Human Rights Act Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act
	Personal Information Protection Act
	Access to Information Bulletin 3.2.5

## **Background**

The Division maintains secure, confidential personnel records to meet its operational information needs and to comply with legal requirements.

## **Procedures**

- 1. Each personnel file contains confidential employment and performance information relevant to the Division.
- 2. Personnel files may only be accessed on a confidential basis by Division staff members authorized by the Director of Human Resources or designate, with the exceptions noted in 3 and 4 below.
- 3. Employees may review their personnel file upon request to the Director of Human Resources or designate. The Director of Human Resources or designate will monitor the file review.
- 4. Information contained in a personnel file shall not be made available to parties external to the Division, except as authorized by:
  - 4.1 The Director of Human Resources or designate,
  - 4.2 A written request from the employee, or
  - 4.3 As required by law.
- 5. The retention and disposition of personnel files shall be in accordance with <u>Administrative</u> Procedure 185 Appendix Schedule of Records Retention and Disposal.