

**TERRELL COUNTY BOARD POLICY**  
**Leaves & Absences – Bereavement**

**Descriptive Code:      GBRIF**  
**Issue Date:             7/14/1997**  
**Rescinds Code:**  
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Sick leave may be used for absence due to the death in the employee's immediate family. For the purpose of this policy, relatives or "immediate family" shall be defined as: father, father-in-law, stepfather; mother, mother-in-law, stepmother; brother, brother-in-law, stepbrother; sister, sister-in-law, stepsister; son, son-in-law, stepson; daughter, daughter-in-law, stepdaughter; grandchild, grandparents; husband, wife; aunt, uncle, niece, nephew; or any relative who may be residing in the employee's household at the time of illness or death.