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Memorandum of Conference With Dr. Souder, Mrs. Cady, Mr. Gibson,  
and Miss Dale

The questions raised had to do with the relationship of the Health Department and the Public School with particular reference to the hearing and speech clinics and the work of a psychologist in the schools.

Dr. Souder stated that approximately \$1200 is available in 1952-53 for the work of a psychologist and that \$600 is available for the speech and hearing clinics.

It was agreed that the work of <sup>a</sup>psychologist would be done under the direction of the Health Department and Dr. Souder would handle all of the funds. Some work will be on a preventative basis in the first grade and other work on an individual basis with older pupils. Referrals will be made through the visiting teacher and in some cases may be made directly by doctors or others.

It was agreed, also, that the work of the speech and hearing clinics would be done under the direction of the public schools and that the visiting teacher would assume specific responsibility but that the work would be done in close cooperation with the supervisory staff of the schools and with the health departments.

It is specifically noted here that arrangements for the clinics will be made only after consultation with the school supervisory staff through the director of instruction.

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