

# MORRISVILLE BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: OPERATIONS

TITLE: BREASTFEEDING

ADOPTED: May 23, 2007

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	<p style="text-align: center;">840. BREASTFEEDING</p> <p>1. Purpose</p> <p>The Board of School Directors for the Borough of Morrisville appreciates the American Academy of Pediatrics statement that breastfeeding is important for optimal infant and child health and development. The American Academy for Pediatrics also reports that breastfeeding has advantages for infants, mothers, families, and society. These advantages include health, nutritional, immunologic, developmental, psychological, social, economic, and environmental benefits. Due to the obvious importance of breastfeeding, the Morrisville School District permits breastfeeding in all district buildings, at all times.</p> <p>2. Guidelines</p> <p>Out of respect for a woman's right to choose to breastfeed, anyone who harasses a woman for breastfeeding on district property will be asked to cease such behavior. If such behavior does not cease, the harasser will be removed from school property.</p> <p>In addition, the school district will provide a private area for female employees who are nursing to use for milk expression. This area will contain a small refrigerator to store the milk, and a locker for storage of pumps.</p>
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