

ALLENTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYEES
TITLE: USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS
ADOPTED: 5/27/99
REVISED:

<p>1. Purpose</p> <p>2. Authority SC 510</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">423. USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS</p> <p>In recognition of the hazards inherent in the use of tobacco products and their potential harm for the smoker and nonsmoker, the Board prohibits the use of tobacco products in or upon district buildings/property and in vehicles owned, rented, leased, or chartered by the district, as set forth herein.</p> <p>The use of any tobacco products by students, employees, and the public shall be prohibited:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Within all buildings owned by, leased to, leased by, or under the control of the district.2. On all district property, with the exception only of those properties which are leased by the district to the City of Allentown and which are under the control of the City of Allentown.3. In all school-owned, rented, leased, or chartered vehicles.4. At all district-sponsored events wherever such events are held. <p><u>Implementation</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Notification of this policy shall be given to all students and employees. Whenever practical, public address announcements at events held in district buildings or on district property shall inform the public of this tobacco-free policy.2. The district shall place appropriate signs wherever and whenever possible:<ol style="list-style-type: none">a. On all buildings owned by, leased by, leased to or under the control of the district;b. On all district property; and
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<p>Pol. 317, 417, 517</p> <p>Pol. 904</p> <p>SC 510</p> <p>Other Cites Act 168 of 1988</p> <p>Goals 2000</p>	<p>c. In all vehicles owned, leased or chartered by the district.</p> <p><u>Enforcement</u></p> <p>The use of tobacco products in violation of this policy by:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. An employee shall be subject to disciplinary procedures consistent with the current collective bargaining agreement and Policy 417.2. A member of the public shall be considered an act of trespass. <p>Further reference is made to Policies 323 and 523 prohibiting the use of tobacco products by administrators and classified employees, Policy 222 prohibiting the use of tobacco products by students, and Policy 904 prohibiting public smoking in or upon district facilities.</p>
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