

# FAIRVIEW SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: OPERATIONS

TITLE: CHILD ABUSE

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<p>1. Purpose 23 P.S. 6301 et seq Act 206 of 1990</p> <p>2. Procedures</p> <p>23 P.S. 6351-6353.4 Act 151 of 1994 Eff. 7/1/96</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">806. CHILD ABUSE</p> <p>It is the purpose of this policy to provide complete reporting of suspected child abuse and to establish procedures in compliance with the Child Protective Services Law of 1990 and the amendments thereto, known as the Act.</p> <p>The Superintendent shall develop and publish procedures in compliance with this policy and the Act. Such procedures shall advise all district employees of their obligations and rights with regard to the reporting of suspected child abuse as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Reports from persons required to report under the Act shall be made immediately by telephone and in writing within forty-eight (48) hours after the oral report.</li> <li>2. Oral reports shall be made to the Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare and to the appropriate child protective services and followed by a written report within forty-eight (48) hours.</li> <li>3. Any district employee who has reasonable cause to suspect that a student coming before the employee in the employee's professional or official capacity is a victim of serious bodily injury or sexual abuse or sexual exploitation by another district employee shall immediately contact the building administrator unless the suspected district employee perpetrator is an administrator, whereupon the reporting district employee shall immediately contact the local law enforcement officials and the District Attorney.</li> <li>4. The building administrator, upon receiving a report described in Paragraph 3, shall immediately report the same to law enforcement officials and the District Attorney.</li> <li>5. The building administrator will immediately report the same to the Superintendent.</li> </ol>
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