

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF SOUTH ORANGE AND MAPLEWOOD, NJ  
PUBLIC BOARD MEETING  
January 22, 2018

**RESOLUTION            3668**

**FOR ACTION**

**SUBJECT:                ADOPT BOARD POLICIES**

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education the Board of Education adopt the following policies as presented:

- 2415.30 Title I – Educational Stability For Children In Foster Care
- 5330.01 Administration of Medical Marijuana
- 8505 Local Wellness Policy/Nutrient Standards For Meals and Other Foods
- 5331 Management of Life-Threatening Allergies In Schools

**BACKGROUND**

Policy 2415.30 is a new policy in response to the requirement that school districts establish policies and procedures to ensure the educational stability for children in foster care.

Policy 5330.01 is being revised as per N.J.S.A. 18A:40-12.22 (P.L. 2015 Chapter 158) which requires school districts to develop a policy authorizing parents, guardians, and primary caregivers to assist a student in the medical use of marijuana pursuant to the "Compassionate Use Medical Marijuana Act" (N.J.S.A. 24:6I-1 et seq.) while on school grounds, aboard a school bus, or attending a school-sponsored event.

Policy 5331 requires the development of an Individualized Healthcare Plan (IHP) and/or an Individualized Emergency Healthcare Plan (IEHP) for all students at risk for a life-threatening allergic reaction.

Policy 8505 is being revised to align with the recommendations by the USDA. It includes: wellness policy goals; goals for nutrition education and physical activity; the establishment of a district wellness committee; annual school and district progress reports; the designation of a district and school wellness policy coordinator; and a wellness policy assessment every one, two, or three years.