MORRISVILLE BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: 200 PUPILS

TITLE: STUDENT ACCIDENT

INSURANCE

ADOPTED: SEPTEMBER 26, 2007

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211. STUDENT ACCIDENT INSURANCE

1. Purpose

The Board recognizes the need for insurance coverage for unforeseen accidents that may occur to students in the course of attendance at school or participation in the athletic and extracurricular programs of the schools.

2. Authority

The Board shall provide, at no cost to the Board, parents/**guardians** the opportunity to purchase insurance coverage for injury resulting from accidents sustained by students.

The Board shall maintain insurance coverage by a qualified insurer over and above the first responsibility of family coverage at no cost to the student for injury resulting from accidents sustained while participating in an interscholastic sports program, including band and cheerleading.[

3. Delegation of Responsibility

The Superintendent or designee shall be responsible to:

- 1. Prepare specifications and secure suitable coverage from qualified insurance carriers for recommendation and Board **approval**.
- 2. Notify all students and parents/**guardians** of students who may be eligible for insurance **purchase**.
- 3. **Ensure** that where the Board assumes the full cost of insurance, each eligible student is properly insured.