



Center Area School District

SECTION: PROPERTY

TITLE: INTEGRATED PEST
MANAGEMENT

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716. INTEGRATED PEST MANAGEMENT	
<p>1. Purpose</p> <p>Title 22 Sec. 4.12 Pol. 102</p>	<p>The school district utilize integrated pest management procedures to manage structural and landscape pests and the toxic chemicals used for their control in order to alleviate pest problems with the least possible hazard to people, property and the environment.</p> <p>The district shall integrate IPM education into the curriculum in accordance with relevant academic standards.</p>
<p>2. Definition</p> <p>SC 722.1</p>	<p>Integrated Pest Management (IPM) is the coordinated use of pest and environmental information to design and implement pest control methods that are economically, environmentally and socially sound. IPM promotes prevention over remediation and advocates integration of at least two (2) or more strategies to achieve long-term solutions.</p> <p>Integrated Pest Management Plan is a plan that establishes a sustainable approach to managing pests by combing biological, physical and chemical tools in a way that minimizes economic, health and environmental risks.</p>
<p>3. Authority</p> <p>3 Pa. C.S.A. Sec. 111.21- 111.61 7 Pa. Code Sec. 128 et seq SC 772.1</p>	<p>The Board establishes that the school district shall use pesticides only after consideration of the full range of alternatives, based on analysis of environmental, effects, safety, effectiveness and costs.</p> <p>The Board shall adopt an Integrated Pest Management Plan for the district buildings and grounds that complies with policies and regulations promulgated by the Department of Agriculture.</p>
<p>4. Delegation of responsibility</p> <p>SC 772.1</p>	<p>() The Superintendent or designee shall be responsible to implement integrated pest management procedures and to coordinate communications between the district and approved contractor.</p> <p>() The Board shall designate and employee to serve as IPM coordinator for the district.</p> <p>The Superintendent or designee shall be responsibility to annually notify parents and guardians of the procedures for requesting notification of planned and emergency</p>

