Hot Beverages and Other Food or Drink for Staff

Policy

No food or beverage that poses a risk to children or is different from what children are offered is allowed in a Head Start classroom.

Procedure

- Hot liquids, such as coffee or tea, could cause a burn if spilled and are not allowed in any area where children may be present.
- Any food or drink not on the class menu cannot be brought into a classroom or consumed in the presence of children.

This policy complies with Head Start Performance Standard <u>45CFR Section 1304.22 and 1304.23</u> and Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) guidelines.

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