

# UPPER BUCKS COUNTY AREA VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOL

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: STUDENT ASSISTANCE  
PROGRAM

ADOPTED: February 21, 2008

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<b>236. STUDENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM</b>	
1. Purpose	The Joint Operating Committee is committed to assisting all students to achieve to their fullest potential.
2. Definition Title 22 Sec. 12.16	<b>Student Assistance Program (SAP)</b> - a systematic process using effective and accountable professional techniques to mobilize school resources to remove the barriers to learning and, when the problem is beyond the scope of the school, to assist the parent/guardian and student with information so they may access services within the community.
3. Authority Title 22 Sec. 12.16, 12.42	As the Upper Bucks County Area Vocational Technical School is a shared-time career and technical school working as an extension of the school districts, this process will be handled through those districts.
	References:  PA Civil Immunity of School Officers/Employees Relating to Drug or Alcohol Abuse – 42 Pa. C.S.A. 8337  Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act – 20 U.S.C. Sec. 1232g  State Board of Education Regulations – 22 PA Code Sec. 12.16, 12.41, 12.42  Family Educational Rights and Privacy, Title 34, Code of Federal Regulations – 34 CFR Part 98, Part 99