



Special Dietary Needs of Our Students:

Southern Huntingdon County School District makes accommodations for children who are unable to eat the school meals because of a disability that restricts their diet. In order to make modifications or substitutions to the school meal, we must have a written Medical Statement on file that is signed by a State recognized medical authority (licensed physician, physician assistant, certified registered nurse practitioner, or dentist).

The statement must identify the following:

- *The child's disability
- *An explanation of why the disability restricts the child's diet
- *The major life activity affected by the disability
- *The food(s) to be omitted from the child's diet
- *The food or choice of foods that must be provided as the substitute

SHCSD does not make milk substitutions for students with non-disability special needs.

SHCSD will make accommodations for students with disabilities as defined by a medical authority defined above.

For information on special dietary needs please contact the school nurse or Mishell Schlegel at (814)447-5529, ext.2336.