



## Actions Have Consequences

### ACTIONS OF ADULTS

#### OFFENSE

#### CONSEQUENCES

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**Supplying Alcohol:**

Adult who knowingly makes alcohol available to a minor\* other than his/her own child.

**Criminal Penalty:**

Up to 6 months in prison  
Up to \$1,000 fine

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**Facilitating Supply:**

Adult who makes his/her home available to another with the purpose of making alcoholic alcoholic beverages available to minors.

**Criminal Penalty:**

Up to 6 months in prison  
Up to \$1,000 fine

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**Facilitating Consumption:**

Person who allows his/her home to be used for a party at which minors consume alcohol, or who supplies or facilitates the supply of alcohol.

**Civil (Lawsuit) Liability:**

Liable for any injury or death that results. Examples: Minor suffers alcohol poisoning or has automobile accident and injures himself/herself or others. Liability can apply even if property owner was not present or did not know party was taking place, and can result in forced sale of assets and garnishment of wages.

### ACTIONS OF MINORS (under age 21)

#### OFFENSE

#### CONSEQUENCES

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**Possessing / Consuming:**

Minor who possesses or consumes alcohol **anywhere** in the Borough – even on private property (except when minor’s parent is present, or for a religious ceremony).

**Criminal Penalty:**

Up to six-month driver’s license suspension\*  
Up to 90 days in prison  
Up to \$2,000 fine  
Up to 90 days’ community service

\* For a minor who does not have a driver’s license, the date on which the minor may apply for a license is postponed by 6 months.

Also: Automobile insurance premiums increase substantially.

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**Possessing / Consuming:**

Minor who possesses or consumes alcohol in a motor vehicle or in a public place (including streets, sidewalks, parking lots, parks, playing fields, wooded areas, etc).

**Criminal Code:**

Under State law, the penalties are greater. They include a lengthier prison term and a minimum \$500 fine.

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### ACTIONS OF STUDENTS in all places and at all times (“24 / 7”)

OFFENSE	CONSEQUENCES
Official police report names student as being involved in illegal drug- or alcohol-related activity.	Drug/alcohol counseling in School District. 10 hours of school or community service.* Extracurricular Activities: Not affected. Mandatory meeting with student, parents, administrators, and coach or activity advisor.
<b>Second Offense</b>	Mandatory individual drug/alcohol counseling, paid by family. Written essay about the the incident. 20 hours of community service.* Extracurricular Activities: Out for one minor event. Student remains in extracurricular and participates fully.
<b>Third Offense</b>	Verified attendance at professional group meetings dealing with alcohol and/or drug addiction, paid by family. 30 hours of community service.* Extracurricular Activities: Out for one week (in season) or two major student events (out of season). Student remains in extracurricular and participates fully in practices.
<b>Fourth Offense</b>	Verified attendance at professional group meetings dealing with alcohol and/or drug addiction, paid by family. 30 hours of community service.* Extracurricular Activities: Out for two weeks (in season) or three major student events (out of season). Student remains in extracurricular and participates fully in practices.
<b>Fifth and Subsequent Offenses</b>	Verified attendance at professional group meetings dealing with alcohol and/or drug addiction, paid by family. Mandatory individual drug and alcohol counseling, paid by family. Extracurricular Activities: Out for one calendar month (in season) or eight extra events (out of season). No extracurricular events during that time period. Student may remain in extracurricular and participate fully in practice sessions, but only if treatment is ongoing.

**NOTE:**

This document is intended for illustrative purposes only. Haddonfield School District Policy 5132 remains the authoritative document.

\* Students who fail to perform the prescribed community service will be banned from extracurricular events until the service is performed.