Indoor and Outdoor Built Environment  
(Approved by Board 08/08)

The Indoor and Outdoor built environment has a major impact on the health of individuals and populations. The NH PHA recognizes that by supporting initiatives that improve the quality of our built environment, we can help people maintain good health and prevent disease. For those reasons, the NHPHA supports the following efforts that will make our built environment healthier:

- Incorporate sustainable, “green,” and “high performance building practices in the siting, construction and renovation of schools and public buildings;
- Adopt policies to reduce hazards in homes, schools and workplaces that may negatively impact the health of individuals and populations;
- Support sustainable community development that promotes physical activity, access to pen space, preserves and protects natural resources, and encourages smart growth.

Resources


