





may be excluded if it is prohibited from being on the premises under another law. Examples include the *Health Protection and Promotion Act* and the *Food Safety and Quality Act*.

service dogs are permitted where food is served and sold (e.g. school cafeteria or lunchroom).

When there is a risk to the health and safety of another person as a result of the presence of a service animal, consideration must be given to options available prior to exclusion of a service animal. An example would be a situation where an individual has a severe allergy to the service animal.

It is the HCDSB's expectation that the reasonable accommodations available to a student with a disability be considered in a proactive manner, such as providing a separate seating area, making reasonable alterations to schedules, etc.

A service animal can be excluded if it is of a breed that is prohibited by law. An example is the *Ontario Dog Owners' Liability Act* which places restrictions on Pit B

