POLICIES RECOMMENDED FOR LIBRARIES  (revised March 2022)
(Personnel Policies are generally a separate document)

Policies available online at the following library websites:
Barrington Public Library: https://www.barringtonlibrary.com/Pages/Index/182553/library-forms-policies
Goffstown Public Library: http://www.goffstownlibrary.com/about/policies
Hooksett Public Library: https://www.hooksettlibrary.org/policies
Keene Public Library: https://ci.keene.nh.us/keene-public-library/policies
Langdon Public Library, Newington: https://www.langdonlibrary.org/about-us/policies/
Meredith Public Library: http://www.meredithlibrary.org/documents-and-policies.html
Nesmith Library, Windham: https://www.nesmithlibrary.org/library-policies
Stratham, Wiggin Library: https://www.library.strathamnh.gov/library-info/pages/library-policies
Wadleigh Memorial Library, Milford: https://www.wadleighlibrary.org/Pages/Index/95/library-policies

Sample List of Policies
Acceptance of Gifts
Alcohol and Drugs
Animals or Pets
Background Check
Bed Bugs
Borrowing Library Equipment (telescope, electronic equipment)
Borrowing Privileges
Bounced Check
Breastfeeding
Bulletin Board (Community Activities & Information Center)
Cardholder
Circulation (loan period, overdue materials)
Code of Conduct
Collection Development
Computer Use and Internet Access
Conflict of Interest
Confidentiality of Library User Records
Credit Card Use
Disposition of Records
Dress Code
Emergency Closing
Evacuation Plan and Procedure
Exhibits and Displays
Food and Beverages
Freedom to Read
Freedom to View
Fundraising Sales and Solicitations
Gifts, Bequests and Memorials
Hours of Operation open to the Public
InterLibrary Loan
Internet Access
Keys to Library building
Meeting Room/Facility Usage
Other Money Library Funds
Pandemic Emergency
Parent, Guardian and Caregiver definition
Photocopier/Fax service
Privacy
Programs
Reconsideration of Materials
Reference Service
Refunds
Registration requirements for library card
Respect for Staff, Users, Library Property
Security and Safety
Sexual Harassment and Child Molestation
Smoking
Social Media
Unattended Children
Videos/DVDs Circulations Standards
Volunteers
Wireless Internet Usage