

F.4.5 (Policy) Alcohol and Drug Use

Responsible Department: Vice Chancellor for Student Success

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The Chancellor shall ensure that the colleges adopt and implement a program to prevent the unlawful possession, use, or distribution of illicit drugs and alcohol by students in compliance with the Federal Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act Amendments of 1989.

Students who violate federal or state statutes, the Student Code of Conduct, College District policy, or other applicable requirements related to alcohol and drug use shall be subject to appropriate disciplinary action.

Such disciplinary action may include referral to drug and alcohol counseling or rehabilitation programs or student assistance programs, suspension, expulsion, and referral to appropriate law enforcement officials for prosecution.

Each student taking one or more classes for any type of academic credit except for continuing education units shall be given a copy of the College District's policy prohibiting the unlawful possession, use, or distribution of illicit drugs and alcohol, a description of the applicable legal sanctions under local, state, or federal law, and a description of the health risks associated with the use of illicit drugs and the abuse of alcohol.

Exhibit [F.4.5.Ex](#) Notice and Information on Illegal Drugs and Steroids

Legal Reference - TACC Policy Reference Manual

FL(LEGAL) - Student Rights and Responsibilities

FLBE(LEGAL) - Student Conduct: Alcohol and Drug Use

FLBE(EXHIBIT) - Student Conduct: Alcohol and Drug Use

FM(LEGAL) - Discipline and Penalties