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Title: Substance Abuse

Related Policy:

Division of Responsibility: Student Success and Enrollment Management

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Date of Last Review

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College of The Albemarle has a drug-free policy and adheres to the guidance set forth in Chapter 18B of General Statutes of North Carolina, 21 CFR Part 1308, the Drug Free Schools and Campuses (EDGAR part 86) and other Federal regulations.

College of The Albemarle shall develop and publish procedures outlining the substance abuse policy and maintain a record of student violations.

Administrative Responsibilities

It is the responsibility of the Vice President of Student Success and Enrollment Management in conjunction with the Enrollment Management Committee to review and revise this procedure.

Procedures

College of The Albemarle provides a safe and healthy environment for students to pursue academic excellence, technical and vocational training, career opportunities, and personal growth and development. Protecting this environment includes keeping it drug-free. College of The Albemarle may permit or request law enforcement personnel to conduct drug searches on College of The Albemarle property. Such searches may be performed by law enforcement officers on a random basis and/or when administration or law enforcement officers have a reasonable suspicion that illegal drugs may be present on campus. All searches will be executed in compliance with state and federal laws. Some programs have a more detailed substance abuse policy, which are outlined in the program's handbook.

This policy is guided by Chapter 18B of General Statutes of North Carolina, 21 CFR Part 1308, the Drug Free Schools and Campuses (EDGAR part 86) and other Federal Regulations. Under no condition will intoxicating liquor (defined as any beverage containing as much as one-half of one percent of alcohol), narcotics, illicit drugs, hallucinogens, barbiturates, or amphetamines, or the use of a "legal drug" not prescribed by a licensed physician be permitted in or on College property. Off-campus College-sponsored events are subject to the requirements of state and federal laws. Students representing the College at off-campus events are required to know and



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follow the Student Code of Conduct printed in the current College catalog. No student organization or club shall purchase, give away, or sell any aforementioned intoxicating beverage or substance. Anyone known to be under the influence of any aforementioned substance is prohibited from the College property. In addition, the introduction, possession, sale, exchange, and/or use thereof is expressly prohibited. Use of prescription medications in compliance with a prescribing physician's instructions shall not be considered a violation of this policy.

Students must inform the College in writing within five (5) working days of being convicted of a violation of any criminal drug statute or alcoholic beverage statute that occurred while on the College campus or while participating in college- sponsored activities.

If work-study students working under federal grant monies are convicted of violating drug laws in the workplace, on College premises or as part of a college- sponsored activity, they will be reported to the appropriate federal agency. As a condition of further employment on any federal government grant, the law requires all employees to abide by this policy.

Students receiving Federal Student Aid must abide by the Anti-Drug Abuse Act Certification printed on the Student Aid Report.

Any student violating any part of this policy shall be subject to disciplinary action under the Student Code of Conduct up to and including dismissal from the College. Completion of an approved drug abuse or alcohol rehabilitation program may be imposed as a precondition for continued employment or enrollment or readmission at the College.