

<p>3. Authority</p> <p>4. Guidelines</p>	<p>Uncooperative Behavior - is resistance or refusal, either verbal, physical or passive, on the part of the student to comply with the reasonable request or recommendations of school personnel. Defiance, assault, deceit, and truancy shall constitute examples of uncooperative behavior. Uncooperative behavior shall also include the refusal to comply with the recommendations of a licensed drug and alcohol facility.</p> <p>Drug Paraphernalia - includes any utensil or item which in the school's judgment can be associated with the use of drugs, controlled substances, alcohol, or mood-altering substances.</p> <p>The Joint Operating Committee opposes the possession and use of dangerous drugs and controlled substances on or off the school campus.</p> <p>The postsecondary programs shall cooperate with the state and federal law enforcement bodies. In addition, the school will abide by the structure set down by the Upper Bucks County Area Vocational Technical School policy, School Code and affiliating institutional policies, and the controlling governmental agencies.</p> <p>The school's postsecondary programs shall work to educate, prevent, and intervene in the use and abuse of all drug, controlled substance, alcohol, and mood-altering substances by the student population.</p> <p>Education and information will be brought to the student via curriculum, classroom activities, community resources and a strong and consistent administrative and faculty effort. Disciplinary procedures and rehabilitative efforts shall be utilized.</p> <p>Students who wish to seek counseling about the use of drugs and controlled substances and their effects are urged to seek information from faculty. Conferences with faculty members shall conform to the standards of privacy and confidentiality.</p> <p>The disciplinary action taken against a postsecondary student who violates the law or School Code may include separation from the program.</p> <p>Any student who on school grounds, clinical settings, or anywhere at a school-sponsored activity is or is suspected of being under the influence of alcohol, drugs, controlled substances or mood-altering substances or possesses, uses, dispenses, sells or aids in the procurement of any restricted substance shall be subject to discipline as stated in the provisions and procedures outlined in the administrative procedures.</p>
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