

## Policy/Standards of Conduct

*The City University affirms its continuing commitment to drug, tobacco, and alcohol education on campus. It is committed to the development of educational and support programs directed toward the use and abuse of drugs, tobacco, and alcohol, whether legal or illegal.*

The inappropriate use of alcohol and other drugs threatens the health and safety of students, employees, their families, fellow students, and the general public, as well as impairs performance. In addition to promoting health, safety, and a positive learning and working environment, The City University is committed to preventing alcohol- and other drug-related problems among all members of the University community.

The unlawful possession, use, or distribution of alcohol or other drugs by anyone, either on University property or at University-sponsored activities, is prohibited. Any person who is determined to have violated this policy will be subject to intervention by City University officials.

As a condition of employment, an employee of The City University must notify his/her supervisor if he or she is convicted of a drug-related offense involving the workplace within five (5) days of conviction. The University is required to notify the appropriate granting or contracting federal agency within ten (10) days of receiving notice of any such conviction. (Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988)

This policy and its requirements are consistent with The City University's desire to promote health and safety, and are in accordance with the requirements of the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988 and the Drug-Free School and Community Act Amendments of 1989.

Students are expected to comply with the Campus Behavior Code printed in the Undergraduate *Catalog* and *The Gazetteer*.

A student who is experiencing difficulty with alcohol or chemical dependency may be referred to the Vice President for Student Affairs or the appropriate counseling center by members of the instructional staff or may seek assistance directly. The Vice President for Student Affairs may take disciplinary action or recommend that the student meet with a counselor for appropriate referral or assistance through self-help organizations or other outside intervention agencies.

At the College of Staten Island, no alcoholic beverages of any kind may be served to students on campus without the written permission of the Vice President for Student Affairs. Such permission will be granted only if attendance at the event is limited to individuals 21 years of age or older. At these events, the sponsoring organization will be required to legally proof (double identification) all persons seeking admission to the event.

## Sanctions

**INSTITUTIONAL:** The unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of illegal drugs or other controlled substances and the unauthorized use of alcohol by University employees in the workplace is prohibited.

Employees found in violation of the standards of conduct referred to in this policy may be subject to discipline under the provisions of their union contract(s). Sanctions that may be imposed include, in addition to those found in the various contracts, verified attendance and successful participation in a drug/alcohol assistance program.

**STATE AND FEDERAL:** Both federal and state law make it a criminal offense to manufacture, distribute, or simply possess a controlled substance.

The New York State Penal Law makes it a criminal offense to possess, possess with intent to sell, or actually sell various drugs. The drugs to which this law applies include marijuana and those listed in the schedules contained in the New York Public Health Law section 3306.

The possible sanctions for violation of federal or state law depend upon the particular offense. The various offenses are premised upon aggravating factors, including the type and quantity of drugs involved. Sanctions range from community service to monetary fine and/or imprisonment.

It is a violation of New York State Penal Law section 240.40 for a person to appear in public under the influence of narcotics or a drug other than alcohol to the degree that the person may endanger him or herself or other persons or property, or annoy persons in his/her vicinity. It is also a violation of New York State Penal Law section 260.20 (2) for a person to give or sell an alcoholic beverage to a person less than 21 years old.

Any person who operates a motor vehicle while intoxicated or while his/her ability to operate such vehicle is impaired by the consumption of alcohol or drugs, in violation of Vehicle and Traffic Law section 1192, is subject to suspension or revocation of driving privileges in the state as well as a fine and possible imprisonment. These begin at \$300 to \$500 in fines and/or up to (15) days in prison, plus a 90-day suspension. In addition, under New York State Civil Practice Law and Rules sections 1311 and 1321, seizure and forfeiture of vehicles driven while impaired or intoxicated is also possible.

**For information and assistance call the CUNY Work/Life Program 24 hours a day/seven days a week at 800.833.8707 or [www.cuny.edu/worklife](http://www.cuny.edu/worklife)**

## Alcohol and Drug Treatment Services

### INPATIENT SERVICES:

**Flushing Hospital Medical Center**  
4500 Parsons Blvd.  
Flushing, New York 11355  
Intake: 718.670.5540

**Kingsboro Alcoholism Treatment Center**  
754 Lexington Avenue  
Brooklyn, New York 11221  
Intake: 718.453.3200

**Richmond University Medical Ctr.**  
355 Bard Avenue  
Staten Island, New York 10310  
Intake: 800.273.1114

**Staten Island University Hospital**  
392 Seguine Avenue  
Staten Island, New York 10309  
Intake: 718.356.8910

### OUTPATIENT SERVICES:

**Richmond University Medical Ctr.**  
355 Bard Avenue  
Staten Island, New York 10310  
Intake: 718.818.6132

**Staten Island University Hospital**  
392 Seguine Avenue  
Staten Island, New York 10309  
Intake: 718.356.8910

**YMCA Counseling Service**  
3911 Richmond Avenue  
Staten Island, New York 10312  
718.948.3232

**Staten Island Mental Health Teen Alcohol Program**  
14 Slossen Terrace  
Staten Island, New York 10301  
718.720.6727

## HOT LINES:

Al-Anon	212.941.0094
Alcoholics Anonymous	212.647.1680
Narcotics Anonymous	212.929.6262
NY State Drug Information Hotline	800.522.5353
Richmond University Medical Center Psychiatric Emergency Room	718.818.6300
NYS Smokers' Quitline	866.NY.QUIT



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# COMMON DRUGS: SYMPTOMS OF ABUSE

DRUG	DRUG NAME	STREET NAME	METHOD OF USE	SIGNS & SYMPTOMS	HAZARDS OF USE
<b>Alcohol</b> Depressant drug slows down central nervous system	Ethanol Includes Beer, Wine, Wine Coolers, Distilled Spirits Some Energy Drinks	Booze, Hooch, Juice, Brew, Taste, Sauce, "40"	Swallowed in liquid form.	Impaired muscle coordination & judgment. Slurred speech. Blackouts.	Heart & liver damage with prolonged extensive use. Death from overdose & accidents, addiction.
<b>Cocaine</b> A stimulant drug.		Coke, Snow, Toot, Blow Rock, Crack	Most often smoked or inhaled; also injected or swallowed in powder, pill, or rock form.	Restlessness, irritability, anxiety, talkativeness. Dilated pupils, sniffing. Intense, short-term high followed by depression. Hallucination & paranoia with prolonged use.	Intense psychological dependence; sleeplessness; anxiety; nasal passage damage; lung damage; liver toxicity, cardiovascular effects & death from overdose.
<b>Designer/ Rave/Club Drugs</b>	MDMA (methylenedioxy-methamphetamine)	Ecstasy, X-TC, ADAM	Most often taken orally, sometimes snorted and rarely injected.	Blurred vision, chills/sweats, increased heart rate/blood pressure, nausea, muscle tension, rapid eye movement, dilated pupils	Anxiety, depression, severe mood swings, paranoia, sleep problems, psychosis & violence.
	GHB (Gammahydroxybutyrate)	Soap, Liquid Ecstasy, Liquid X, Scoop, G	Taken orally, rarely injected.	High doses-interference with mobility, dizziness; induces sleep, drowsiness	Slower respiration & heart rate, drop in temperature, temporary amnesia & coma.
	Rohypnol (Flunitrazepam)	Roach, Roofies, Rope, Rib	Swallowed in pill form, snorted, or by drinking.	Difficulty in speaking & moving, amnesia when used with alcohol.	Blackouts, death from accidents, nausea & addiction.
	Ketamine	Special K, Kat Valium, Bump	Most often ingested in pill form, snorted, injected or, by drinking.	Slurred speech, confusion, paranoia, insomnia, ataxia, vomiting, hallucinations & disorientation.	Convulsions, muscle rigidity, elevated blood pressure and pulse rate & short-term memory loss.
<b>Hallucinogens</b> Drugs that alter perception of reality.	PCP (Phencyclidine)	Dust, Super-grass, Crystal, Embalming Fluid	Most often smoked, can be inhaled (snorted), injected, or swallowed in tablets.	Slurred speech, blurred vision, uncoordination. Confusion, agitation, aggression.	Anxiety, depression, impaired memory & perception. Uncontrolled aggression.
	LSD	Acid, Cubes, Purple Haze, Tabs, Blotter, Micro Dot, Dip	Usually swallowed in liquid form.	Dilated pupils, sweating, trembling, illusions, hallucinations, mood swings.	Breaks from reality, emotional breakdown, flashback.
<b>Inhalants</b> Substances abused by sniffing.	Gasoline, Airplane Glue, Paint Thinner, Dry Cleaner Fluid	Sniff, Huff	Inhaled or sniffed, often with use of paper or plastic bag or rag (also called huffing).	Poor motor coordination, impaired vision, memory & thought.	Drastic weight loss. Brain, liver & bone marrow damage. High risk of sudden death.
	Nitrous Oxide	Laughing Gas, Whippets	Inhaled or sniffed by mask or balloons.	Slowed thought, headache.	Death by anoxia. Neuropathy, muscle weakness.
	Amyl Nitrite Butyl Nitrite	Poppers, Snappers, Rush, Locker Room	Inhaled or sniffed from gauze or ampules.	Abusive violent behavior, lightheadedness.	Anemia, death by anoxia.
<b>Marijuana Hashish</b>	Tetrahydrocannabinol (THC)	Pot, Grass, Blunt, Joint, Weed, Sticks, Herb, Spliff, Dope, Tea, Buddha, Chronic	Most often smoked, can also be swallowed in solid form (baked in cookies).	Sweet, burnt odor; red eyes; lethargy, lack of coordination. Chronic heavy use may lead to loss of interest & motivation, possible weight change.	Impaired memory perception, interference with psychological maturation. Possible damage to lungs, heart, reproductive & immune systems. Psychological dependence.
<b>Narcotics</b> Natural or synthetic drugs that contain or resemble opium.	Dilaudid, Percodan, Demerol, Vicodin, Percocet, Darvocet, OxyContin	Dogs, K-4, Vikes, Killers. OC, Oxi, Norco	Swallowed in pill or liquid form, injected.	Drowsiness, lethargy. Constricted pupils, slurred speech.	Addiction with severe withdrawal symptoms. Loss of appetite, death from overdose.
	Codeine	School Boy, Licorice	Swallowed in pill or liquid form.		
	Morphine, Heroin	Dope, Smack, Dreamer, Miss Emma, Junk	Injected, smoked, or snorted.	Needle marks, constricted pupils, neglected appearance.	
<b>Sedatives</b> Depressant drugs that slow down the central nervous system.	Benzodiazepines Valium Xanax Halcion	Tranks, Sleepers, Vs or Vees, Blues, Sticks, Z-Bars, Drunk Pills, Pins	Swallowed in pill form or injected.	Drowsiness, confusion, impaired judgment, slurred speech, needle marks, constricted pupils.	Infection, addiction with severe withdrawal symptoms, loss of appetite, nausea, death from overdose.
	Barbiturates Pentobarbital Secobarbital Amobarbital Phenobarbital	Barbs, Downers, Nembies, Red Devils, Blue Devils, Red Dolls, Jellies, Strawberries	Swallowed in pill form or injected.	Impaired judgment & performance, also drowsiness, slurred speech.	Death from overdose, injury or accident; synergistic effects of interaction with alcohol.
<b>Steroids</b> (Anabolic) Synthetic hormones that promote protein storage and tissue growth.	Anabolic Androgenic Steroids	Juice, Rhoids	Orally in tablets or injected.	Irritability, increase in lean muscle mass, increased stamina for training, impaired judgment, acne.	Paranoid jealousy, cancer, high blood pressure, shrinking of testicles, infertility, baldness
<b>Stimulants</b> Stimulate the central nervous system.	Ritalin, Adderall, Amphetamines, Dextroamphetamine, Methamphetamine, Biphphetamine	Jif, Skippy, Vitamin R, R-Ball, Speed, Uppers, Pep Pills, Bennies, Ice, Dexies, Meth, Crank, Crystal	Smoked or swallowed in pill or capsule form; also injected; some are crushed and snorted	Excess activity, irritability, restlessness, nervousness & mood swings. Dilated pupils; needle marks.	Loss of appetite, weight loss, hallucinations, paranoia, addiction, psychosis, heart arrhythmias, tooth decay.
	Nicotine Found in cigarettes, cigars, pipe & chewing tobacco.	Smokes, Cigarettes, Cigars, Chew, Snuff	Smoked, inhaled, or chewed.	Smell of tobacco, stained teeth & yellowed fingers. High carbon monoxide levels.	Cancers of the lung, throat, mouth, esophagus. Heart disease, emphysema.
<b>Cough Suppressants</b>	Dextromethorphan	DXM, Dex, Robo, Skittles, Triple C, Tussin, Vitamin D	Swallowed in pill or syrup form	Slurred speech, disorientation, loss of coordination, vomiting	Hallucinations, confusion, dizziness, blurred vision, rapid heart beat, Tylenol in syrup may cause liver damage.