7.400 Drug-Free Campus

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National Park Community College is committed to maintaining a drug-free campus environment for students and employees. The Board of Trustees opposes the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession or use of a controlled substance by any employee or student. As a condition of employment, the employee must read the drug-free workplace policy and sign an acknowledgment that they have read and will adhere to the policy. The employee will abide by the terms of the statement and notify the employer in writing of any criminal drug statute conviction for a violation occurring in the workplace no longer than five (5) calendar days after such conviction.

The President or his designee shall direct a drug-free awareness program to inform students and employees of the dangers of drug abuse, the availability of drug counseling, rehabilitation, student and employee assistance programs, and the penalties for drug abuse violation.

We will adhere to Public Law 101-226, as mandated by the United States Department of Education. Public Law 101-226, the Drug-Free Workplace Policy.

NPC Bacchus Student Club

The BACCHUS chapter has been active on National Park College campus for more than 20 years. Each year events and activities are conducted to provide a variety of opportunities for everyone to participate in non-alcoholic and drug free fun activities. The BACCHUS Network is celebrating over thirty-five years supporting student leadership in promoting health and safety and saving students' lives since 1975. This international organization has grown to be the largest active student organization in Higher Education today.

The BACCHUS (Boost Alcohol Consciousness Concerning the Health of University Students) Student Club events and activities raise awareness concerning healthy choices about alcohol and other drug issues. The sponsored activities and booths provide educational information, interaction and fun non-alcoholic and drug free events where participants may also win prizes. During some of the activities, the food, games and ideas shared help to provide a socially and culturally acceptable atmosphere for our diversified campus and community. For more information about the organization, please contact Student Services at 760-4232 or Counselor Catherine Wells at 760-4231.