Drug and Alcohol Abuse Prevention Program

Biennial Review Report

School Name Address	Aviation Institute of Maintenance - Houston			
Date of Review	2/4/2025	Years Reviewed	2023-2024	Inserts (

Review Committee Members

Name	Title
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The biennial review has two objectives:

- 1. To determine the effectiveness of the Drug and Alcohol Abuse Prevention Program (DAAPP) and to implement any needed changes.
- 2. To ensure that the school enforces the code of conduct and disciplinary sanctions consistently.

The following table details each drug and alcohol related violation or fatalities that occurred on campus or part of campus activities during the previous 2 years. Identifying information has been removed to protect confidentiality. Details are available in the Campus Executive Director's office.

Date of	Details of the Offense and any Mitigating	School sanctions imposed or
Offense	Circumstances	referrals made
6/22/2023	Campus management received a staff report alleging 3 students returned from class after the lunch break under the influence. All 3 students denied using drugs or alcohol on campus. One student stated he used marijuana for medicinal purposes but only at home, one student stated that he had not used marijuana since attending a party a few weeks prior, and the third student denied using marijuana at any time altogether.	Student Code of Conduct investigation conducted. All three students were suspended for three terms and placed on permanent conduct probation. In addition, students were informed they could be subjected to random drug screenings and must show negative results.

Summarize the activities at the campus that are in line with the DAAPP. What recommendations and improvements could be implemented.

From orientation through graduation and beyond, students are held to the same standard regarding AIM Houston's no tolerance policy with drug and alcohol consumption, possession or intoxication. Students sign an acknowledgment form at orientation that they have not only received but also read and understand the Drug and Alcohol Addiction Program and Student Code of Conduct policy which incorporates the no tolerance policy. Every classroom has AIM Houston's Student Rules and Policies posted for students to review and for staff and faculty to address as needed. On the list, it specifically

states "Possession, consumption and or being under the influence of alcohol and or drugs will not be tolerated." For students needing assistance with treatment on their own or know someone, there are resources in the library and student services as well as QR codes that were set up on the Resources board in the student break area. Students can find the Student Code of Conduct policy and the Drug and Alcohol Awareness trifolds in the library, break room, monitors in both buildings, career services and student services offices in the form of QR codes that are easily accessible. These are always available when a student needs it and in areas where there is anonymity for privacy. AIM Houston makes it very clear to all students that resources are available and where to find the information. In addition, students are informed who they can go to for help. Once a year we have students and staff attend a Student Code of Conduct workshop and once a year we do a mandatory training for crime prevention and the effects and consequences of drug and alcohol abuse. Any changes to policy or as the need dictates, students and staff are informed either in person, electronically, or on our Sharepoint Site.

Compare data obtained year over year. Has the program been effective in preventing the possession, use, or distribution of illicit drugs or alcohol by students and employees on school property or during school sanctioned activities?

At this time, our methods have been successful. We have not had any drug and alcohol related infractions from employees or students since the code of conduct investigation concluded in 2023. We will adapt as necessary based on regulatory requirements, company policy changes and as the need dictates.

Have the sanctions been enforced consistently? Are there any recommendations for improvement? AIM Houston adheres to the Student Code of Conduct policy, Employee handbook and investigative process. We have had one incident of alleged drug use by a group of students that was substantiated only due to witness statements and not proven to have occurred on campus or through scientific analysis. We take this seriously and the students involved were disciplined accordingly. We continue to emphasize the importance of a drug/alcohol free environment and the no tolerance policy at the campus.

Additional Review Discussion

While student services provides regular Student Code of Conduct training and drug/alcohol awareness initiatives, we would recommend that our corporate office create a standardized training be available for students at different intervals of their time at AIM to reinforce the consequences of drug and alcohol abuse on a school level but also the effects at a personal level.

The undersigned has approved the Biennial Review Report and certifies that the school has adopted and implemented the drug and alcohol abuse prevention program as described in 34 CFR 86.100 to prevent the unlawful possession, use, or distribution of illicit drugs and alcohol by all students and employees on school premises or as any part of its activities.

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Date approved	2/6/2025



Drug and Alcohol Abuse Prevention Program

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The Drug Free Schools and Campus Regulations (EDGAR Part 86.100, Subpart B) require that, as a condition of receiving funds or any other form of financial assistance under any federal program, an institution of higher education must certify that it has adopted and implemented a program designed to prevent the unlawful possession, use, or distribution of illicit drugs and alcohol by students and employees, both on the institution's premise and as part of its activities. This Drug and Alcohol Abuse Prevention Program (DAAPP) policy was developed to inform the Institute, students, and employees of the seriousness of the use and abuse of illicit drugs and alcohol and to set forth the standards of conduct regarding such activity.

Aviation Institute of Maintenance supports the Drug-Free Schools and Campuses Regulations and is committed to providing a safe, healthy educational and work environment for all students and employees.

(1) Distribution of Annual Notification

The EDGAR Part 86 requires that schools annually distribute alcohol and drug policy notification in writing to students and employees. On or before October 1 of each year, an email is sent to all employees and students which contains a direct link to a PDF version of this policy. All new students who enroll after the distribution date will receive a copy of this policy during mandatory orientation prior to starting classes. New employees hired after the annual distribution date will receive a copy as part of the new employee materials. Additionally, a copy of the PDF is posted to the school's consumer information website for continuous reference.

Through the annual distribution of this policy, the school certifies that they have implemented a drug and alcohol prevention program in accordance with the Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act (DFSCA), as articulated in the Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) Part 86, known as the Drug-Free Schools and Campuses Regulations pertaining to Drug and Alcohol Abuse Prevention.

A. Standards of Conduct

The unlawful possession, use, or distribution of illicit drugs and alcohol on Institute property or at any school sponsored activity by all students, staff, and faculty is strictly prohibited, even by individuals who are otherwise of legal age to do so. This includes the campus buildings, campus grounds, and parking areas, or while participating in off-site school/work-related activities such as but not limited to field trips, graduation ceremonies, school-sanctioned community service activities, or professional meetings attended by employees on behalf of the school.

These standards of conduct apply to all students who are registered at the Institution for at least one course as well as all full time and part time staff and faculty.

The Institution reserves the right to take whatever measures it deems necessary in response to an allegation of alcohol or other drug use in order to protect employees and students and the personal safety of the entire Institute's community. A student or employee who violates the drug and alcohol policy, including underaged drinking, is subject to both the campus policies and to criminal sanctions provided by federal, state, and local law. All instances of illegal drug use or underage drinking will be referred to the local authorities. Additionally, the school will impose disciplinary sanctions as defined in the Student Code of Conduct or the Employee Handbook for failure to abide by the standards of conduct.

B. Legal Sanctions

A student or employee who violates the drug and alcohol policy is subject to both the Institute's policies and to criminal sanctions provided by federal, state, and local law. The following are a summary of the applicable legal sanctions.

DRUG/SCHEDULE	QUANTITY	PENALTIES	QUANTITY	PENALTIES
Cocaine (Schedule II)	500–4999 grams	First Offense: Not less	5 kgs or more	First Offense: Not less than
	mixture	than 5 yrs, and not	mixture	10 yrs, and not more than
Cocaine Base	28–279 grams	more than 40 yrs. If	280 grams or more	life. If death or serious
(Schedule II)	mixture	death or serious injury,	mixture	injury, not less than 20 or
Fentanyl (Schedule II)	40–399 grams	not less than 20 or	400 grams or more	more than life. Fine of not
	mixture	more than life. Fine of	mixture	more than \$10 million if an
Fentanyl Analogue	10–99 grams	not more than \$5	100 grams or more	individual, \$50 million if not
(Schedule I)	mixture	million if an individual,	mixture	an individual.
Heroin (Schedule I)	100–999 grams	\$25 million if not an	1 kg or more mixture	Second Offense: Not less
	mixture	individual.		than 15 yrs, and not more
LSD (Schedule I)	1–9 grams	Second Offense: Not	10 grams or more	than life. If death or
	mixture	less than 10 yrs, and	mixture	serious injury, life
Methamphetamine	5–49 grams	not more than life. If	50 grams or more	imprisonment. Fine of not
(Schedule II)	pure or 50–499	death or serious injury,	pure or 500 grams or	more than \$20 million if
	grams mixture	life imprisonment. Fine	more mixture	an individual, \$75 million if
		of not more than \$8		not an individual.
PCP (Schedule II)	10–99 grams	million if an individual,	100 gm or more pure	2 or More Prior Offenses:
	pure or 100–999	\$50 million if not an	or 1 kg or more	Not less than 25 years.
	grams mixture	individual.	mixture	Fine of not more than \$20
				million if an individual,
				\$75 million if not an
				individual.

FEDERAL PENALTIES FOR TRAFFICKING AND POSSESSION OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE

PENALTIES			
Other Schedule I & II drugs (and any drug product containing Gamma Hydroxybutyric Acid)	Any amount	 First Offense: Not more than 20 yrs. If death or serious injury, not less than 20 yrs, or more than life. Fine \$1 million if an individual, \$5 million if not an individual. Second Offense: Not more than 30 yrs. If death or serious bodily injury, life imprisonment. Fine \$2 million if an individual, \$10 million if not an individual. 	
Flunitrazepam (Schedule IV)	1 gram		
Other Schedule III drugs	Any amount	 First Offense: Not more than 10 years. If death or serious injury, not more that 15 yrs. Fine not more than \$500,000 if an individual, \$2.5 million if not an individual. Second Offense: Not more than 20 yrs. If death or serious injury, not more than 30 yrs. Fine not more than \$1 million if an individual, \$5 million if not an individual. 	
All other Schedule IV drugs	Any amount	First Offense: Not more than 5 yrs. Fine not more than \$250,000 if an individual, \$1 million if not an individual.	
Flunitrazepam (Schedule IV)	Other than 1 gram or more	Second Offense: Not more than 10 yrs. Fine not more than \$500,000 if an individual, \$2 million if other than an individual.	
All Schedule V drugs	Any amount	First Offense: Not more than 1 yr. Fine not more than \$100,000 if an individual, \$250,000 if not an individual. Second Offense: Not more than 4 yrs. Fine not more than \$200,000 if an individual, \$500,000 if not an individual.	

FEDERAL TRAFFICKING PENALTIES—MARIJUANA

DRUG	QUANTITY	1 st OFFENSE	2 nd OFFENSE *
Marijuana	1,000 kg or more	Not less than 10 yrs. Or more than	Not less than 15 yrs. Or more than life. If
(Schedule	marijuana mixture; or	life. If death or serious bodily	death or serious bodily injury, life
1)	1,000 or more marijuana	injury, not less than 20 yrs., or	imprisonment. Fine not more than \$20
	plants	more than life. Fine not more than	million if an individual, \$75 million if
		\$10 million if an individual, \$50	other than an individual.
		million if other than an individual.	
	100 kg to 999 kg	Not less than 5 yrs. Or more than	Not less than 10 yrs. Or more than life. If
	marijuana	40 yrs. If death or serious bodily	death or serious bodily injury, life
	mixture; or 100 to 999	injury, not less than 20 yrs. Or more	imprisonment. Fine not more than \$20
	marijuana plants	than life. Fine not more than	million if an individual,
		\$5 million if an individual, \$25	\$75million if other than an
		million if other than an individual.	individual.
	More than 10 kgs	Not more than 20 yrs. If death or	Not more than 30 yrs. If death or serious
	hashish; 50 to 99 kg	serious bodily injury, not less than 20	bodily injury, life imprisonment. Fine \$2
	marijuana mixture More	yrs. Or more than life. Fine \$1 million	million if an individual, \$10 million if
	than 1 kg of hashish oil;	if an individual, \$5 million if	other than
	50 to 99 marijuana plants	other than an individual.	an individual.
	Less than 50 kilograms	Not more than 5 yrs. Fine not more	Not more than 10 yrs. Fine
	marijuana,	than \$250,000, \$1 million if other	\$500,000 if an individual, \$2 million if
	1 to 49 marijuana plants;	than an individual.	other than individual.
Hashish	10 kg or less	Not more than 5 yrs. Fine not more	Not more than 10 yrs. Fine \$500,000 if an
(Schedule I)		than \$250,000, \$1 million if other	individual, \$2 million if other than
		than an individual	individual
	1 kg or less	Not more than 5 yrs. Fine not more	Not more than 10 yrs. Fine \$500,000 if
		than \$250,000, \$1 million if other	an individual, \$2 million if other than
		than an individual.	individual

* The minimum sentence for a violation after two or more prior convictions for a felony drug offense have become final is not less than 25 years imprisonment and a fine up to \$20 million if an individual and \$75 million if other than an individual.

Federal Law, Alcohol

Alcohol is not considered a controlled substance under the USE Code and is not subject to the same federal regulations as other drugs. The Federal Uniform Drinking Age Act of 1984 sets the minimum legal drinking age to 21. Individual states control the regulations and penalties relating to the possession and distribution of alcohol.

Texas State Law, Controlled Substances

The Institute complies with all federal, state, and local laws. A summary of the relevant sections of the Code of Texas are provided in this policy. Full details of the Code of Texas. Texas Controlled Substances Act can be found at <u>HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE CHAPTER 481. TEXAS CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT</u>

The Texas Controlled Substance Act Sec. 481.032 places controlled substances into categories called Schedules. In Texas, the criminal penalties for violating the controlled substance laws are divided into Penalty Groups 1 through 4.

Description	Penalties for manufacture, sell, or deliver, or possess with intent to manufacture, sell, or deliver	Penalties for Possession			
Schedule I controlled substances					
High potential for abuse and no accepted medical use.	Penalty Group 1 Sec 481.112 State Jail Felony	Penalty Group 1 Sec 481.115 State Jail Felony			
Sec 481.102 Includes opiates, heroin, cocaine. Sec 481.1021 Group 1-A includes LSD Sec 481.1022 Group 1-B includes fentanyl	Less than one gram Felony of the Second degree- One gram or more but less than four grams. Felony of the First degree- Four grams or more but less than 200 grams. 200 grams or more but less than 400 grams Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years or less than 10 years. Fine not to exceed \$100,000 400 grams or more. Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years or less than 15 years. Fine not to exceed \$250,000	Less than one gram Felony of the Second degree- One gram or more but less than four grams Felony of the First Degree Four grams or more but less than 200 grams. 200 grams or more but less than 400 grams Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years or less than 10 years. Fine not to exceed \$100,000			
	Penalty Group 1-A Sec 481.1121 State Jail Felony- Fewer than 20 units Felony Second degree- 20 or more units but fewer than 80 Felony of the First degree- 80 or more units but fewer than 4000 4000 units or more Imprisonment for not more than 99 years or less than 15 years. Fine not to exceed \$250,000.	Penalty Group 1-A Sec 481.1151 State Jail felony Fewer than 20 units Felony of the third degree- 20 units or more but less than 80 Felony of the Second degree- 80 or more units but fewer than 4000 Felony of the First Degree 4000 or more units but fewer than 8000. 8000 or more Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years or less than 15 years. Fine not to exceed \$250,000			

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	Penalty Group 1-B Sec 481.1123	Penalty Group 1-B Sec 481.115
	500 401.1125	500 401.115
	State Jail Felony	State Jail Felony
	Less than one gram-	Less than one gram
	Felony of the Second degree- One gram or	Felony of the Second degree-
	more but less than four grams.	One gram or more but less than four grams
	Four grams or more but less than 200 grams.	Felony of the First Degree
	Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years or less than 10 years. Fine not	Four grams or more but less than 200 grams.
	to exceed \$20,000	200 grams or more but less than 400 grams Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years
	200 grams or more but less than 400 grams Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years or less than 15 years. Fine not to exceed \$200,000	or less than 10 years. Fine not to exceed \$100,000
	400 grams or more. Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years or less than 20 years. Fine not to exceed \$500,000.	
Schedule II controlled substa	inces	
High potential for abuse and	Penalty Group 2 or 2-A	Penalty Group 2
severe dependence but have	Sec 481.113	Sec 481.116
a currently accepted medical		
use.	State Jail Felony	State Jail felony-
Sec 481.103	Less than one gram- Felony Second degree-	Less than one gram Felony of the third degree-
Group 2	One gram or more units but fewer than four	One gram or more but less than four grams
6100p 2	Felony First degree-	Felony of the second degree-
Sec 481.1031	Four grams or more but fewer than 400.	four gram or more but less than 400 grams.
Group 2-A	Imprisonment for not more than 99 years or	400 grams or more.
Includes Hallucinogenic	less than 10 years. Fine not to exceed	Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years
substances including THC and	\$250,000.	or less than 5 years. Fine not to exceed \$50,000
amphetamine.	400 grams or more. Imprisonment for life or term of not more	Penalty Group 2A
	than 99 years or less than 10 years. Fine not	Sec 481.1161
	to exceed \$100,000	Class B misdemeanor- Two ounces or less
		Class A misdemeanor- four ounces or less but more than two ounces
		State Jail Felony- Five pounds or less but more than
		four ounces
		four ounces Felony of the third degree-
		four ounces Felony of the third degree- 50 pounds or less but more than 5 pounds
		four ounces Felony of the third degree- 50 pounds or less but more than 5 pounds Felony of the Second degree-
		four ounces Felony of the third degree- 50 pounds or less but more than 5 pounds Felony of the Second degree- 2000 pounds or less but more than 50 pounds
		four ounces Felony of the third degree- 50 pounds or less but more than 5 pounds Felony of the Second degree- 2000 pounds or less but more than 50 pounds More than 2000 pounds
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		four ounces Felony of the third degree- 50 pounds or less but more than 5 pounds Felony of the Second degree- 2000 pounds or less but more than 50 pounds More than 2000 pounds Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years
Schedule III controlled substa	Inces	four ounces Felony of the third degree- 50 pounds or less but more than 5 pounds Felony of the Second degree- 2000 pounds or less but more than 50 pounds More than 2000 pounds Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years
Schedule III controlled subst a Have less potential for abuse		four ounces Felony of the third degree- 50 pounds or less but more than 5 pounds Felony of the Second degree- 2000 pounds or less but more than 50 pounds More than 2000 pounds Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years
Have less potential for abuse than Schedule II drugs, a	Penalty Group 3 Sec 481.114	four ounces Felony of the third degree- 50 pounds or less but more than 5 pounds Felony of the Second degree- 2000 pounds or less but more than 50 pounds More than 2000 pounds Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years or less than 5 years. Fine not to exceed \$50,000
Have less potential for abuse than Schedule II drugs, a potential for moderate or low	Penalty Group 3 Sec 481.114	four ounces Felony of the third degree- 50 pounds or less but more than 5 pounds Felony of the Second degree- 2000 pounds or less but more than 50 pounds More than 2000 pounds Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years or less than 5 years. Fine not to exceed \$50,000 Penalty Group 3
Have less potential for abuse than Schedule II drugs, a potential for moderate or low dependency and an accepted	Penalty Group 3 Sec 481.114 State Jail Felony	four ounces Felony of the third degree- 50 pounds or less but more than 5 pounds Felony of the Second degree- 2000 pounds or less but more than 50 pounds More than 2000 pounds Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years or less than 5 years. Fine not to exceed \$50,000 Penalty Group 3 Sec 481.117 Class A misdemeanor-
Have less potential for abuse than Schedule II drugs, a potential for moderate or low	Penalty Group 3 Sec 481.114	four ounces Felony of the third degree- 50 pounds or less but more than 5 pounds Felony of the Second degree- 2000 pounds or less but more than 50 pounds More than 2000 pounds Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years or less than 5 years. Fine not to exceed \$50,000 Penalty Group 3 Sec 481.117
Have less potential for abuse than Schedule II drugs, a potential for moderate or low dependency and an accepted	Penalty Group 3 Sec 481.114 State Jail Felony	four ounces Felony of the third degree- 50 pounds or less but more than 5 pounds Felony of the Second degree- 2000 pounds or less but more than 50 pounds More than 2000 pounds Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years or less than 5 years. Fine not to exceed \$50,000 Penalty Group 3 Sec 481.117 Class A misdemeanor-

Includes diazepam, tramadol,		
codeine, and testosterone.	Felony First degree- 200 grams or more but less than 400	Felony of the Second degree- 200 grams or more but less than 400 grams
	400 grams or more. Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years or less than 10 years. Fine not to exceed \$100,000	400 grams or more Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years or less than 5 years. Fine not to exceed \$50,000
Schedule IV controlled substa	nces	
Low potential for abuse than Schedule III drugs, a limited potential for dependency, and	Penalty Group 4 Sec 481.114	Penalty Group 4 Sec 481.118
are accepted in medical	State Jail Felony	Class B misdemeanor
treatment.	Less than 28 grams	Less than 28 grams
	Felony of the second degree	Felony of the Third degree-
Sec 481.105	28 grams or more but less than 200	28 grams or more but less than 200
Include buprenorphine	Felony First degree-	Felony of the Second degree-
	200 grams or more but less than 400	200 grams or more but less than 400 grams
	400 grams or more.	400 grams or more
	Imprisonment for life or term of not more	Imprisonment for life or term of not more than 99 years
	than 99 years or less than 10 years. Fine not to exceed \$100,000	or less than 5 years. Fine not to exceed \$50,000
Schedule V controlled substan		
Low potential for abuse,	Sec 481.119	Sec 481.119
accepted medical use, limited		
physical or psychological	Class A misdemeanor	Class B misdemeanor
dependency.		

The Texas Alcoholic Beverage Code <u>TABC Code and Rules</u> <u>TABC (texas.gov)</u>

The legal drinking age in Texas is 21. Adults and minors who give alcohol to a minor is a class A misdemeanor, punishable by a fine up to \$4000, confinement in jail for up to a year or both. Your driver's license would also by automatically suspended for 180 duas when convicted. Sale to a minor is a class A misdemeanor, punishable by a fine up to \$4000, confinement in jail for up to a year or both. In Texas, an operator of a motor vehicle is considered under the influence of alcohol if a chemical screening shows a blood-alcohol content (BAC) of 0.08 percent to greater. It is illegal for a person under 21 years old to operate a motor vehicle or watercraft in a public place while having any detectable amount of alcohol in their system.

Punishment and fines driving while intoxicated vary based on the number of prior convictions. Penalties range from a suspension of license through first degree felony, fines as much as \$10,000, or jail time up to 10 years.

Consequences for a minor's offense of driving under the influence of alcohol include the following. Third or subsequent offenses may be more strict.

- A class C misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of up to \$500
- Attendance of an alcohol awareness class
- 20 to 60 hours of mandatory community service
- 60 to 120 day driver's license suspension and no eligibility for an occupational license for the first 30-90 days

C. Health Risks

The use of drugs, including alcohol and tobacco, can produce serious short and long term health risks. Substance use can lead to dependency and addiction, health problems, mental illness, social issues, and violence. Beyond the harmful consequences for the individual, drug and alcohol use can cause serious emotional, mental, and physical health problems for others.

Alcohol consumption causes a number of marked changes in behavior. Even low doses significantly impair the judgement and coordination required to drive a car safely, increasing the likelihood that the driver will be involved in an accident. Low-to-moderate doses of alcohol also increase the incidence of a variety of aggressive acts including domestic and child abuse. Moderate-to-high doses of alcohol cause marked impairments in higher mental functions, severely altering a person's ability to learn and remember information. Very high doses cause respiratory depression and death. If combined with other depressants of the central nervous system, much lower doses of alcohol produce the effects just described.

Repeated use of alcohol can lead to dependence. Sudden cessation of alcohol intake is likely to produce withdrawal symptoms, including severe anxiety, tremors, hallucinations, and convulsions. Alcohol withdrawal can be life-threatening. Long-term consumption of large quantities of alcohol, particularly when combined with poor nutrition, can also lead to permanent damage to vital organs such as the brain and the liver.

Mothers who drink alcohol during pregnancy may give birth to infants with fetal alcohol syndrome. These infants have irreversible physical abnormalities and intellectual disabilities. In addition, research indicates that children of alcoholic parents are at greater risk of becoming alcoholics than are other youngsters.

A summary of the health risks associated with the substances covered by the Controlled Substances Act (21 USC 811) are summarized in the Appendix. For additional health risks specifically related to your situation, contact your health care provider.

Reference: U.S. Department of Justice Drug Enforcement Administration. Drugs of Abuse: A DEA Resource Guide.

D. Drug and Alcohol Programs

Students and employees who use controlled substances or who abuse alcohol are encouraged to seek assistance through the campus Student Services office or the office of the Campus Executive Director. A binder of community resources can also be found in the Learning Resource Center at the campus. Employees are also encouraged to seek confidential assistance from the Human Resources department at the corporate office by calling 757-456-5065. The staff will assist you or provide an appropriate referral. Although the school does not have in-house counseling or treatment services, many options are available in the surrounding areas for employees and students in need of substance-abuse counseling, treatment, or rehabilitation and reentry programs.

You can find treatment facilities in your area by searching at www.findtreatment.gov. In addition, the school maintains the following list of national and local services and hotlines related to substance abuse.

For more information relating to your area and needs, contact the Campus Executive Director or the Student Services Coordinator for a confidential discussion.

National Hotlines

Organization	Phone/Web	Services
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA)	1-800-662-HELP	information on alcohol and drug abuse, local treatment options, support through hotline counselors about to speak with about alcohol, drug or family problems
Alcoholic Anonymous	www.aa.org	Recovery assistance from alcoholism
Al-Anon and Alateen	www.al-anon.org	Guide for family whose lives have been affect by someone else's drinking
Narcotics Anonymous	www.na.org	Recovery assistance from addiction
National Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Information Center	1-800-784-6776	National database of the alcohol rehab treatment and drug rehab treatment centers for every level of treatment option
HelpGuide	www.helpguide.org	Guides to mental health and wellness, including addition and recovery information
National Suicide Prevention Lifeline	1-800-273-TALK Call or text: 988	24/7 support for people in distress
National Sexual Assault Hotline	800-565-4673	24/7 assistance for survivors of sexual violence and harassment
National Domestic Violence Hotline	800-799-7233	24/7 assistance for survivors of domestic violence
Veteran Crisis	Dial 988, press 1	27/4 crisis support for Veterans and their loved ones

Local Drug and Alcohol Related Services

Facility	Services	Address	Phone
Bay Area Recovery	Outpatient drug and alcohol rehab	6427 Fairmont Pkwy, Pasadena, TX 77505	281-947-3616
Bay Area Recovery	Alcohol and drug rehab	1100 Hercules Ave, Houston TX 77059	281-508-1352
Positive Recovery Centers	Addiction and substance use treatment	722 Fairmont Pkwy Suite 210, Pasadena, TX 77504	832-843-1537
Prevention and Recovery Center	Outpatient addiction treatment center	10907 Memorial Hermann Dr, Pearland TX 77584	346-456-4163
Cenikor Foundation	Alcohol addiction treatment	4525 Glenwood Ave, Deer Park TX 77536	888-236-4567
Houston Recover Center	Sobering center	150 N. Chenevert, Houston TX 77002	713-236-7800
Open Door Mission		5803 Harrisburg Blvd, Houston TX 77011	713-921-7520
Montrose Center	Chemical dependency services for LGBT and HIV positive communities	401 Branard Street, Houston TX 77006	713-529-0037
The Recenter	Substance abuse, transitional housing	3816 Fannin St, Houston Tx 77004	713-524-3682
The Womens Home	Womens residential treatment, addiction and mental illness	607 Westheimer Rd, Houston TX 77006	713-328-1954

E. Disciplinary Sanctions

<u>Student Sanctions</u>. In accordance with the Student Code of Conduct, use, possession, or distribution of illegal narcotic, alcoholic, or other controlled substances, except as expressly permitted by law, to include public intoxication, is a Level I violation and is deemed to be among the most serious types of violations. As a condition of enrollment, students must abide by the terms of this policy and the Student Code of Conduct. If any violation of the standards of conduct are violated, sanctions will be imposed which would include the following.

- Reporting the violation to law enforcement officials.
- Remove a student from Institution activities, to include classroom lecture, practical labs, and externships, when impairment is noted or feared.
- Taking appropriate disciplinary action against such student, up to and including probation, expulsion, termination of enrollment

<u>Employee Sanctions</u>. Our Institute's reputation depends entirely on the ethical and legal behavior of its employees. The Institute is committed to a standard of ethics, integrity and compliance with applicable laws in all aspects of conducting business. As such, employees are expected to observe standards of ethical conduct as described in the Employee Handbook and in this policy. If any violation of the standards of conduct are violated, sanctions will be imposed which would include the following.

- Reporting the violation to law enforcement officials.
- Remove the employee from the workplace or any Institution activities when impairment is noted or feared.
- Submission to a drug, alcohol, or illegal substance test.
- Taking appropriate disciplinary action against such employee in accordance with the Employee Handbook, which could include verbal or written warning, performance improvement plan, demotion, suspension, or separation of employment.
- Require participation in a substance abuse rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a federal, state, local health, law enforcement or other appropriate agencies as a condition of continued employment.

(2) Biennial Review

The school will complete a review of the Drug and Alcohol Abuse Prevention (DAAPP) policies and procedures. The biennial review will occur no later than February of each odd numbered year (2023, 2025, 2027, etc) and cover the previous two calendar years. For example, the review conducted in February 2023 will cover the calendar years 2021 and 2022.

The school will form a task force to accomplish the biennial review, to include at a minimum the following individuals. The task force will include the Campus Executive Director or Assistant Campus Director, the Student Services Coordinator, the Director of Education, and other campus representatives as needed. The objective of the review is to determine the effectiveness of, and to implement any needed changes to the DAAPP and to ensure the campus is enforcing the disciplinary sanctions and policies consistently. In accomplishing the objectives, the following steps will be considered during the review.

1. Determine the number of drug and alcohol-related violations and fatalities that occurred on campus or as part of any institution's activities and are reported to campus officials during the last 2 years. Document the particulars of the offense(s), any mitigating circumstances, and the

school sanctions imposed. Cover student and employee violations. Remove all personally identifying information from the documentation.

- 2. Review the offenses and subsequent institutional sanction. Compare data obtained year over year. Have the sanctions been enforced consistently?
- 3. Are there any recommendations for improvement in consistency of the disciplinary policies?
- 4. Review the educational programming held at the campus during the previous 2 years relation to the policy. Has the DAAPP policy been effective in preventing the possession, use, or distribution of drugs or alcohol, as defined in this statement?
- 5. If not, what action plans are in place to improve the process.

The Biennial Review Report, at a minimum, should include answers to the above questions. The report will also include a written statement certifying that the school has adopted and implemented the drug prevention program described in§ 86.100. The report and the certification statement will be kept on campus and a copy emailed to the Director of Academic Affairs at the corporate office no later than February 28 of each odd numbered year. A copy of the Biennial Review Report will be posted on the school's consumer information web site.

3) Record Keeping

The school will keep a copy of the annual Drug and Alcohol Prevention Plan policies, reports and backup documentation from the biennial review, and any other records reasonably related to the school's compliance with the drug and alcohol abuse prevention program for a minimum of 5 years.

Appendix: Health Risks Associated with Use of Illicit Drugs and Abuse of Alcohol

Drug	Schedule	Trade Names	Medical use	Dependency	Usual method of abuse	Possible effects	Effects of Overdose	Withdrawal
Narcotics		•			-	•	•	•
Fentanyl	11	Apache, China Girl, Dance Fever, Friend, Goodfellas, Great Bear, He- Man, King Ivory, Murder 8, Tango & Cash.	Analgesic, anesthetic	High	Injected, snorted, smoked, oral,	Drowsiness, inability to concentrate, apathy. Slowed physical activity, constriction of the pupils, flushing of the face and neck, constipation, nausea, vomiting, and slowed breathing	Overdoses of narcotics are not uncommon and can be fatal. Constricted (pinpoint) pupils, cold clammy skin, confusion, convulsions, extreme drowsiness, and slowed breathing	Restlessness, irritability, loss of appetite, nausea, tremors, drug craving, severe depression, vomiting, increased heart rate and blood pressure, and chills alternating with flushing and excessive sweating
Heroin	1	Big H, Black Tar, Chiva, Hell Dust, Horse, Negra, Smack, and Thunder	None	High	injected, smoked, snorted			
Hydromorphone	П	D, Dillies, Dust, Footballs, Juice, Smack	Pain reliever	High	Oral, ingestion			
Methadone	Ш	Amidone, Chocolate Chip Cookies, Fizzies with MDMA, and Wafer	Analgesic	High	Swallowed, injected			
Morphine	11	Dreamer, Emsel, First Line, God's Drug, Hows, MS, Mister Blue, Morf, Morpho, Unkie	Pain reliever	High	Oral, injected			
Opium	11	Aunti, BigO, Black ill, Chinese Molasses, Dopium, Dreams, FiDoNie, G, God's medicine, Guma, Joy, Midnight Oil, O, OP, Pox.	None	High	Smoked, injected, oral			
Oxycodone	11	Hillbilly Heroin, Kicker, OC, Ox, Roxy, Perc, and Oxy, OxyContin	Analgesic	High	Oral, injected			
Stimulants								
Amphetamines	II	Bennies, Black Beauties, Crank, Ice, Speed, and Uppers	Treat ADHD	High	Oral, injected	Sense of exhilaration, enhanced self- esteem, improve mental and physical performance, increase activity, reduce appetite, extend wakefulness for prolonged period, Chronic, high-dose use is frequently associated with agitation, hostility, panic, aggression, and suicidal or homicidal tendencies, tolerance	In overdose, unless there is medical intervention, high fever, convulsions, and cardiovascular collapse may precede death. Because accidental death is partially due to the effects of stimulants on the body's cardiovascular and temperature- regulating systems, physical exertion increases the hazards of stimulant use	Abrupt cessation is commonly followed by depression, anxiety, drug craving, and extreme fatigue
Cocaine	II	Blow, Coca, Coke, Crack, Flake, Snow	Rare	High	Snorted, injected, smoked			
Khat	I, IV	Abyssinian Tea, African Salad, Catha, Chat, Kat, and Oat	None	High	Chewed, smoked			
Methamphetamine	11	Batu, Bikers Coffee, Black Beauties, Chalk, Chicken Feed, Crank, Crystal, Glass, Go-Fast, Hiropon, Ice, Meth, Methlies Quick, Poor Man's Cocaine, Shabu, Shards, Speed, Stove Top, Tina, Trash, Tweak, Uppers, Ventana, Vidrio, Yaba, and Yellow Bam	Obesity, ADHD	Moderate	Swallowed, snored, injected, smoked			
Depressant								
Barbiturates	I, III, IV	Barbs, Block Busters, Christmas Trees, Goof Balls, Pinks, Red Devils, Reds & Blues, and Yellow Jackets	Sedatives, hypnotics, anesthetics, anticonvulsants	High	Swallowed, injected	Sleepiness, amnesia, impaired mental function, confusion. Slurred speech, loss of motor coordination, weakness, headache, dizziness	Extreme drowsiness, confusion, impaired coordination, decreased reflexes,	Withdrawal can be life threatening

Drug	Schedule	Trade Names	Medical use	Dependency	Usual method of abuse	Possible effects	Effects of Overdose	Withdrawal
Benzodiazepine	IV	Benzos and Downers, valium, zanaz, Ativan, klonopin, flurazepam,	Anesthesia, insomnia, anticonvulsant	Low	Oral, snorted	vomiting, low blood pressure. Prolonged use produces physical and psychological dependence and tolerance	respiratory depression, coma, and possible death. Overdose effects of concomitant use of benzodiazepines and opioids include: Profound sedation, respiratory depression, coma, and death	
GHB	1 111	Sodium oxybate, xyrem	None	High	Ingested			
Rohypnol	IV	Date rape drug, Forget Pill, La Rocha, Lunch Money Drug, Mexican Valium, Pingus, R2, Reynolds, Roach, Roapies, Roofies, Row-Shay, Wolfies	None		Oral			
Hallucinogens								
Ecstasy/MDMA	1	Adam, Beans, Clarity, Disco Biscuit, E, Ecstasy, Eve, Go, Hug Drug, Lover's Speed, MDMA, Peace, STP, X, and XTC	None	High	Oral	Sensory effects, perceptual distortions, flashbacks, elevated heart rate, increased blood pressure, dilated pupils, nausea and vomiting.	Psychological harm, fear, depression, anxiety, and paranoia.	
Ketamine	111	Cat Tranquilizer, Cat Valium, Jet K, Kit Kat, Purple, Special K, Special La Coke, Super Acid, Super K, and Vitamin K	anesthetic	Moderate	Snorted, smoked, oral, injected		Deaths generally occur due to suicide, accidents, dangerous	
LSD	1	Acid, Dots, Mellow Yellow, Window Pane	None	High	Oral		behavior, inadvertently eating poisonous plant	
Peyote & Mescaline	1	Buttons, Cactus, Mesc, and Peyoto	None	High	Oral, smoked		material. Respiratory	
Psilocybin	1	Magic Mushrooms, Mushrooms, and Shrooms	None	High	Oral		depression, coma, convulsions, seizures, and death due to respiratory arrest	
Steroids								
Anabolic Steroids		Arnolds, Juice, Pumpers, Roids, Stackers	Hormone deficiencies, delayed puberty		Oral, injected, applied to skin	Mood swings, hostility, impaired judgement, aggression, growth stunt in adolescents, changes in sexual development, high cholesterol levels, acne and fluid retention, liver damage	Anabolic steroids are not associated with overdoses.	Depression
Marijuana/ Canna	abis							
Marijuana	1	Aunt Mary, Bud, Blunts, Chronic, Dope, Gangster, Ganja, Grass, Hash, Herb, Joint, Kif, Mary Jane, Mota, Pot, Reefer, Sinsemilla, Skunk, Smoke, Weed, Yerba	None	Moderate	Smoked, oral	Learning impairments, dizziness, nausea, tachycardia, flushing, tremors, merriment, relaxation, sedation, blood shot eyes, coughing, increased appetite, increased blood pressure, burnt lung tissue	None	Restlessness, irritability, sleep difficulties
Marijuana concentrates	1	710, wax, honey oil, budder, butane honey oil, shatter, dabs, black glass, errl.	None	Moderate	Smoked, oral			
Vaping		E-cigs, e-hookahs, mods, vape pens, vapes, and Juuls or Juuling	None	Moderate	Inhaling			
Inhalants								
Inhalants		Gluey, Huff, Rush, and Whippets	None		inhaled	Brain damage, cognitive abnormalities, slow body function,	Loss of consciousness, death by asphyxiation	

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						loss of consciousness, drowsy		
Designer Drugs								
Bath Salts		Bliss, Blue Silk, Cloud Nine, Drone, Energy-1, Ivory Wave, Lunar Wave, Meow Meow, Ocean Burst, Pure Ivory, Purple Wave, Red Dove, Snow Leopard, Stardust, Vanilla Sky, White Dove, White Knight, White Lightning	None		Snorting, oral, smoking, injected	Euphoria and alertness, confusion, psychosis, hallucination agitation, aggression, self destructive behavior, rapid heartbeat, hypertension, sweating, headaches, palpitations	Nausea, anxiety, seizures, stroke, coma, organ injury, death	
K2/Spice		Spice, K2, Blaze, RedX Dawn, Paradise, Demon, Black Magic, Spike, Mr. Nice Guy, Ninja, Dream, Genie, Sence, Smoke, Skunk, Serenity, Yucatan, Fire, Skooby Snax, and Crazy Clown	None					
Drugs of Conce	rn							
DSM		CCC, Dex, DXM, Poor Man's PCP, Robo, Rojo, Skittles, Triple C, and Velvet	Cough suppressant, cold medication		Oral	Confusion, agitation, paranoia, sensor changes, euphoria and hallucinations, excitability, sweating	Impairment of the senses	
Kratom		Thang, kakuam, thom, ketum, and biak	None		Oral, chewed	Nausea, itching, sweating, constipation, vomiting, drowsiness, loss of appetite, seizure, hallucination		
Salvia Divinorum		Maria Pastora, Sally-D, and Salvia	None		Chewed, smoked	Distorted perception, fear and panic, paranoia, hallucination, impaired judgment, loss of coordination, slurred speech		
Alcohol								
		Undistilled: Beer, wine hard cider, mead, sake Distilled: Gin, brandy, whiskey, rum, tequila, vodka, absinthe, everclear	None	Common	Oral	Short term risks: injuries, violence, alcohol poisoning, risky behaviors, miscarriage Long term risks. Long term risks: high blood pressure, heart disease, stroke, liver disease, cancer, weakened immune system, memory problems, mental health problems, social problems	Alcohol poisoning: confusion, difficulty remaining conscious, vomiting, seizures, slow breathing, clammy skin, low body temperature	Anxiety, shaking, insomnia, headache, nausea, hallucinations, seizures, delirium

Reference: U.S. Department of Justice Drug Enforcement Administration. Drugs of Abuse: A DEA Resource Guide.