COLUMBIA GORGE COMMUNITY COLLEGE **BOARD POLICY**

Code: 3550

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3550 - Drug Free Environment and Drug Prevention Program

Columbia Gorge Community College shall be free from all drugs. Students and employees may not possess, use, or distribute illicit drugs and alcohol.

The unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in all facilities under the control and use of the Columbia Gorge Community College.

Any student or employee who violates this policy will be subject to disciplinary action (consistent with local, state, or federal law), which may include referral to an appropriate rehabilitation program, suspension, demotion, expulsion, or dismissal.

The President shall assure that the Columbia Gorge Community College distributes annually to each student and employee the information required by the Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act Amendments of 1989 and complies with other requirements of the Act.

Legal Reference(s):

- Drug Free Schools and Communities Act, 20 U.S. Code Section 1145g;
- 2. 34 Code of Federal Regulations Parts 86.1 et seq.;
- 3. Drug Free Workplace Act of 1988, 41 U.S. Code Section 702