

BOARD POLICY 5500 STANDARDS OF STUDENT CONDUCT

The Chancellor shall establish regulations and procedures for the imposition of discipline on students in accordance with the requirements for due process of the federal and state law and regulations.

The regulations and procedures shall clearly define the standards of conduct that is subject to discipline, shall detail the discipline due process, and shall identify potential disciplinary actions, including but not limited to the removal, suspension or expulsion of a student.

The Board shall consider any recommendation from the Chancellor for expulsion. The Board shall consider an expulsion recommendation in closed session unless the student requests that the matter be considered in a public meeting. Final action by the Board on the expulsion shall be taken at a public meeting.

The student standards of conduct and discipline due process shall be made widely available to students through the college catalog and other means.

Reference:

Education Code Sections 48900(q); 66300; 66301; 66450; 67361; 67362; 76033; 76120; 78907; 81600, and 87708

ACCJC Accreditation Standards I.C.8 and 10 (formerly II.A.7.b)

Government Code Sections 995 et seq.

Business and Professions Code Section 4240

Health and Safety Code Sections 11014.5 and 11053

Penal Code Sections 415, 502, and 626.2

Administrative Procedures 5500, 5520

Replaces:

Board Policy 4.40 Student Code of Conduct, Discipline and Due Process adopted April 27, 1993 and last revised March 15, 2011.

Board Policy 8.01 Due Process adopted April 26, 1994.

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