



BOARD POLICY

No. 6800

MENDOCINO - LAKE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

SAFETY

The Board of Trustees of the Mendocino-Lake Community College District is committed to a safe and secure work and learning environment in all District facilities and affirms that reasonable effort shall be made to provide conditions which are safe for students, employees, and members of the general public.

The Superintendent/President shall establish administrative procedures to ensure the safety of employees and students on District sites, including the following:

- Compliance with the United States Department of Transportation regulations implementing the Federal Omnibus Transportation Employee Testing Act of 1991. Specifically, the District shall comply with the regulations of the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and, if applicable, the Federal Transit Administration (FTA). Compliance with these policies and procedures may be a condition of employment.
- Compliance with applicable OSHA regulations and state law, which shall promote an active and aggressive program to reduce and/or control safety and health risks.
- Establishment of a Hazardous Material Communications Program, which shall include review of all chemicals or materials received by the District for hazardous properties, instruction for employees and students on the safe handling of such materials, and proper disposal methods for hazardous materials.
- Prohibition of the use of tobacco in all public buildings (see also BP 305).

All students, employees and Trustees are expected to observe safety precautions and notify the Vice President of Administrative Services of potentially unsafe conditions via the procedures outlined in AP 6800.1.

See Administrative Procedure AP 6800.1.

References: 49 Code of Federal Regulations, Parts 40 and 655;
Title 8 Section 3203;
29 Code of Federal Regulations 1910.101 et seq.;
Health and Safety Code Section 104420

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