STATE COLLEGE AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: DRUGS AND ALCOHOL

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227. DRUGS AND ALCOHOL

1. Purpose

SC 510, 511 Title 22 Sec. 12.3

2. Authority 42 P.S. 8337 Pol. 218, 233 It is the policy of the State College Area School District to take all appropriate actions to provide a drug and alcohol free school environment for all students.

The goal of this school district is to eliminate the improper use of drugs, alcohol and behavior-altering substances in our schools, on school property, on school conveyances and at school-sponsored activities.

The Superintendent will develop and implement instructional programs and procedures which are consistent with federal and Pennsylvania legislation and guidelines. The procedures will emphasize discipline and rehabilitation and will provide effective and confidential services, effective communication with parents, fair but firm penalties, appropriate involvement of law enforcement services and a process for reporting and review.

References:

Controlled Substances Act – 21 U.S.C. Sec. 801 et seq

PA Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act – 35 P.S. 780-101 et seq

PA Civil Immunity of School Officers/Employees Relating to Drug or Alcohol Abuse – 42 Pa. C.S.A. 8337

Steroids – 35 P.S. Sec. 807.2

School Code – 24 P.S. Sec. 510, 511, 1303-A

State Board of Education Regulations – 22 PA Code Sec. 12.3; 22 PA Code Sec. 403.1

No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 – 20 U.S.C. Sec. 7114, 7161

Board Policy – 122, 123, 210, 218, 233