AP 3550 Drug Free Environment and Drug Prevention

Reference:
*Drug Free Schools and Communities Act Amendment, 1989;*
*20 United States Code Section 1145g;*
*34 Code of Federal Regulations 86.1 et seq.;*
*Federal Drug-Free Workplace Act, 1988;*
*41 United States Code Section 702*

The Gavilan Joint Community College District is committed to providing its employees and students with a drug-free workplace and campus environment. It emphasizes prevention and intervention through education.

**Prohibition of Drugs**
The unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession or use of alcohol or any controlled substance is prohibited on District property, during District-sponsored field trips, activities or workshops, and in any facility or vehicle operated by the district.

Violation of this prohibition will result in appropriate action up to and including termination of employment, expulsion, and referral for prosecution, or, as permitted by law, may require satisfactory participation in an alcohol or drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program.

As a condition of employment, employees must notify the District within five days of any conviction for violating a criminal drug statute while in the workplace. The District is required to inform any agencies that require this drug-free policy within ten days after receiving notice of a workplace drug conviction.