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Information in this notification is directly derived from University policies. No information in this notification is meant to supersede the policies.

## POLICIES AND EXPECTATIONS

As an academic community, Binghamton University is committed to providing an environment in which learning and scholarship can flourish. The possession, use of illegal drugs or the abuse of those which may otherwise be legally possessed, seriously affects the university environment, as well as the individual potential of our students and staff.

The University enforces state laws and related University policies, including those prohibiting the following activities on campus:

1. Providing alcoholic beverages to in 3.52 -8b(r)1ve policies, as well as all applicable local, state, a

The University strongly encourages students and staff to voluntarily obtain assistance for dependency or substance use problems

8. Intentionally or recklessly destroying or damaging property.
9. Endangering, threatening, causing, or attempting to cause physical harm to any person or causing reasonable apprehension of such harm.
10. Sexual harassment.
11. Domestic violence or dating violence.
12. Any form of sexual violence, sexual assault and/or rape.
13. Hazing.

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to and including termination of employment. In addition, for employees serving in safety sensitive positions covered under OTETA, they shall be required to take post accident alcohol and drug tests. Employees serving in OTETA covered positions shall not use alcohol for eight (8) hours following an accident or until the employee undergoes the post-accident alcohol test, whichever occurs first.

6. An employee shall notify their supervisor of any criminal drug and/or alcohol statute conviction, which results from a violation occurring ~~at~~ than five (5) days after the

Binghamton University will assist faculty and staff who have a drug or alcohol problem in their recovery provided the employee seeks and/or accepts assistance. However, Binghamton University will take appropriate formal disciplinary action, which can include penalties up to, and including termination of employment in order to resolve drug or alcohol related performance and/or misconduct problems.

## Binghamton University Alcoholic Beverages on Campus Policy

Binghamton University has long had a strong commitment to providing an environment that promotes academic, social and personal development. In keeping with this commitment, the University has developed [a policy](#) governing the sale and service of alcoholic beverages on campus at University sanctioned events. When the responsible use of alcoholic beverages at University sanctioned events is appropriate, such use must be consistent with the University's mission, vision and responsibilities to all members of the University community. All sales and service of alcoholic beverages must be provided in adherence with and subject to enforcement of all federal, state and local laws concerning alcohol and alcoholic beverages.

Click Here [Full Policy on Alcoholic Beverages on Campus](#)

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President (or designee). Very limited exceptions to the policy may include specific University approved events (i.e. Homecoming Tailgate) or Ceremonial Use.

8. Sponsor(s) of social events at which alcohol is served assume full responsibility for the enforcement of all federal, state and local laws and University policies with respect to the consumption of alcohol. This responsibility includes serving appropriate amounts of non-alcoholic beverages and food at events where alcohol is served.
  9. Permission for serving alcohol may be obtained by following the Procedure for Requesting Permission to Serve Alcohol at University Sanctioned Events.
  10. Proof of age with photo identification is required and must be presented to the appropriate "responsible person" as designated on the Procedure for Requesting
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### C. Policy Enforcement

The University President or designee reserves the right to terminate any event, with or without notice, which does not adhere to the requirements outlined in this policy. Additionally, the University President or designee may terminate any event that becomes dangerous or disruptive to the instructional and business functions of the institution. Failure to comply with this policy may result in the disciplinary or other remedial actions including removal of alcohol by University Police from University premises

Department of Athletics' Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug (ATOD) Policy and Substance Abuse Scr



## HEALTH RISKS OF COMMONLY ABUSED SUBSTANCES

Substance	Nicknames/Slang Terms	Short Term Effects	Long Term Effects
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Gamma Hydroxy Butyrate	GHB, liquid B, liquid X, liquid ecstasy, G, georgia homeboy, grievous bodily harm	euphoria, decreased inhibitions, drowsiness, sleep, decreased body temperature, decreased heart rate, decreased blood pressure	memory loss, depression, severe withdrawal symptoms, physical dependence, psychological dependence
Heroin	H, junk, smack, horse, skag	euphoria, flushing of the skin, dry mouth, "heavy" arms and legs, slowed breathing, muscular weakness	constipation, loss of appetite, lethargy, weakening of the immune system, respiratory (breathing) illnesses, muscular weakness, partial paralysis, coma, physical dependence, psychological dependence
Ketamine	K, super K, special K	dream-like states, hallucinations, impaired attention and memory, delirium, impaired motor function, high blood pressure, depression	Urinary tract and bladder problems, abdominal pain, major convulsions, muscle rigidity, increased confusion, increased depression, physical dependence, psychological dependence

		blurred vision, teeth clenching, depression, anxiety, paranoia, sleep problems, muscle tension	nausea, confusion, increased blood pressure, sweating, depression, anxiety, memory loss, kidney failure, cardiovascular problems, convulsions, death, physical dependence, psychological dependence
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Marijuana/Cannabis pot, grass, dope, weed, joint, bud, reefer,

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crystal, tea, angel dust,

## RESOURCES FOR STUDENTS AND STAFF

[Help](#) is available both on campus and within the community for students and staff members who are dependent on, or who abuse the use of alcohol or other drugs.

### Prevention and Education

Whether working with students individually, or providing campus-wide programming, the Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drugs office staff are committed to empowering Binghamton University students to make healthy lifestyle choices surrounding substance use. Through a variety of programs and services, the ATOD staff strive to engage the community and build collaborations that will ensure a safe campus environment for all. The ATOD program is built on a foundation of evidence-based prevention and harm reduction approaches that ask students to explore the how and why behind their behaviors, and give them the tools necessary to support their well being.

The ATOD program at Binghamton University uses a multi-pronged approach to address drug and alcohol misuse by the campus community. Among the strategies employed by the ATOD office are:

- **eCHECKUP TO GO**: evidence based online prevention tool used for indicated students who are referred to the ATOD Office by University professionals or who self-refer. Students can take the alcohol, cannabis, or tobacco assessment.
- **Brief Alcohol Screening and Intervention for College Students (BASICS)**: intervention for students who drink alcohol heavily or are at risk for alcohol-related problems. Students participate in a motivational interview designed to help them make better alcohol use decisions by providing personalized feedback on their habits and situating them in the larger context of peer drinking norms.
- **Cannabis Screening and Intervention for College Students (CASICS)**: intervention for students who use marijuana heavily or are at risk for marijuana-related problems. Students participate in a motivational interview designed to help them make better marijuana use decisions by providing personalized feedback on their habits and situating them in the larger context of peer drinking norms.
- **Binghamton Campus and Community Coalition (BCCC)**: ATOD office recognizes that addressing college student substance misuse requires buy

Campus Recovery Center (CRC). The CRC hosts regular meetings for students struggling with addiction who are looking for additional support in a safe and inclusive space.

For more information concerning current programs, interventions and policies, contact Linda Reynolds, College Prevention Coordinator at (607) 777-3088 or [lreynold@binghamton.edu](mailto:lreynold@binghamton.edu).  
[emonroe@binghamton.edu](mailto:emonroe@binghamton.edu).

### Counseling and Treatment

The University Counseling Center offers free services to all students. Students may receive referrals from counselors in the Counseling Center to local treatment centers for evaluation and treatment. Through Binghamton University's Human Resources department, the Employee Assistant Center offers employees additional education and counseling, as well as appropriate referrals.

The agencies named below provide a variety of services which may include evaluation services, medically supervised withdrawal and stabilization services, inpatient and outpatient treatment, individual and group therapy, and family programs. Interested individuals are encouraged to contact each agency for additional information regarding specific services and costs.

### Emergency Services

- [Binghamton University Campus Police](#) 911
- [Harpur's Ferry Volunteer Ambulance](#) (607) 777-3333
- [University Counseling Center](#) (607) 777-2772
- Provide same-day urgent appointments Monday through Friday from 1 to 4 p.m. After hours crisis line for nights, weekends and holidays: (607) 777-2772, push number 2 when prompted. A crisis counselor will speak with you immediately.
- [UHS Binghamton General Hospital Comprehensive Psychiatric Emergency Program \(CPEP\)](#) (607) 762-2302
- 24-hour crisis hotline and confidential psychiatric advice.

### Nearest Hospital Emergency Departments

When the Decker Student Health Services Center is closed or they have no available appointments, these are your options for receiving immediate medical care:

- [Lourdes Hospital](#)
- [Lourdes Orthopedics Walk](#)
- [UHS Wilson Medical Center](#)
- [UHS Binghamton General Hospital](#)

### On-Campus Resources

- [College Prevention Coordinator for ATOD Programs](#)  
Linda Reynolds [lreynold@binghamton.edu](mailto:lreynold@binghamton.edu) (607) 777-3088
- [ATOD Office](#) [adstaff@binghamton.edu](mailto:adstaff@binghamton.edu)
- [University Counseling Center](#) (607) 777-2772
- [Binghamton University Campus Police](#) Non-emergency number (607) 777-2393

## Off-Campus/Community Resources

- [The Addiction Center of Broome County](#) (607) 7237308  
Assists individuals with substance use disorders and their families.
- [Alcoholics Anonymous \(Broome County\)](#) (607) 7225983  
Is a community of men and women who have had a drinking problem.
- [Co-Dependents Anonymous](#) (607) 6875620  
Program for recovery from substance use codependence.
- [Crime Victims Assistance Center](#) (607) 7224256  
Safe environment for people who have been a victim of, or affected by, a crime. Provide free counseling to survivors as well as a 24-hour crisis line and advocacy program.
- [Fairview Recovery Services, Inc.](#) (607) 7774777  
Provides a wide range of substance use disorder treatment services including stabilization services, Medication Assisted Treatment, vocational counseling, recreational therapy, peer support, etc.
- [Helio Health](#) (315) 471-1564  
Provides drug and alcohol withdrawal and stabilization services, detoxification, inpatient rehabilitation, counseling, etc.
- [Triple Cities Narcotics Anonymous](#) (315) 8473842  
Community of men and women who have a drug problem.
- [Southern Tier AIDS Program \(STAR\)](#) (607) 7981706  
Comprehensive HIV/AIDS services, syringe exchange program, opioid overdose prevention program, substance use information and referrals, etc.
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## SANCTIONS AND PENALTIES

### Student Sanctions Alcohol and Drugs

Students found to be in violation of local, state, and/or federal law, or who violate the University's policies, are subject to University disciplinary procedures and/or referral to the appropriate authorities for legal action. Arrest and prosecution for alleged violations of criminal law or city ordinances may result from the same incident for which the University imposes disciplinary sanctions.

Campus disciplinary sanctions include, but are not limited to student conduct warnings, educational ATOD interventions, loss of privileges, probation, suspension, and/or dismissal. Sanctions also apply to registered student organizations. Additional disciplinary procedures may also be applied by the Department of Athletics and the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA). Students are responsible for complying with all University policies and rules. If alcohol or drug violations occur, students are subject to appropriate discipline according to the Student Code of Conduct.

Commonly Imposed Disciplinary Sanctions for On-Campus Alcohol and Other Drugs Policy Violations





	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Removal from all University housing</li> <li>• Loss of visitation to all residential areas</li> </ul>
<p>Rule#3: Personal Use/ Possession of Drugs          Possession/personal use of prescription drugs prescribed to another person. Purchasing or attempting to purchase prescription drugs prescribed to another person.</p>	<p><u>First offense:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4 semesters of Disciplinary Probation</li> <li>• Educational</li> </ul> <p><u>Second offense:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Final Probation</li> <li>• Relocation if appropriate</li> <li>• Loss of visitation to appropriate area</li> <li>• Educational Intervention</li> </ul>

<p>Rule#3 Personal Use/ Possession of Drugs          Possession/personal use of other drugs          Possession of drug paraphernalia with residue other than marijuana          Purchasing or attempting to purchase other drugs</p>	<p><u>First offense:</u></p>
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## Federal and New York State Penalties Alcohol and Drugs

### NYS Penal Laws Regarding Alcohol and Other Drugs

#### 220.18 Criminal possession of a controlled substance in the second degree

A person is guilty of criminal possession of a controlled substance in the second degree when he or she knowingly and unlawfully possesses:

1. one or more preparations, compounds, mixtures or substances containing a narcotic drug and said preparations, compounds, mixtures or substances are of an aggregate weight of four ounces or more; or
2. one or more preparations, compounds, mixtures or substances containing methamphetamine, its salts, isomers or salts of isomers and preparations, compounds, mixtures or substances are of an aggregate weight of two ounces or more; or
3. a stimulant and said stimulant weighs ten grams or more; or
4. lysergic acid diethylamide and said lysergic acid diethylamide weighs twenty-five milligrams or more; or
5. a hallucinogen and said hallucinogen weighs six hundred twenty-five
6. milligrams or more; or
7. a hallucinogenic substance and said hallucinogenic substance weighs five grams or more; or
8. methadone and said methadone weighs two thousand eight hundred eighty milligrams or more.

Criminal possession of a controlled substance in the second degree is a class A felony.

#### S 220.21 Criminal possession of a controlled substance in the first degree.

A person is guilty of criminal possession of a controlled substance in the first degree when he or she knowingly and unlawfully possesses:

1. one or more preparations, compounds, mixtures or substances containing a narcotic drug and said preparations, compounds, mixtures or
2. substances are of an aggregate weight of eight ounces or more; or
3. methadone and said methadone weighs five thousand seven hundred sixty milligrams or more.

Criminal possession of a controlled substance in the first degree is a class A felony.

#### S 220.25 Criminal possession of a controlled substance; presumption.

1. The presence of a controlled substance in an automobile, other than a public omnibus, is presumptive evidence of knowing possession thereof by each and every person in the automobile at the time such controlled substance was found; except that such presumption does not apply (a) to a duly licensed operator of an automobile who is at the time operating it for hire in the lawful and proper pursuit of his trade, or (b) to any person in the automobile if one of them, having obtained the controlled substance and not being under duress, is authorized to possess it and such controlled substance is in

the same container as when he receives possession thereof, or (c) when the controlled substance is concealed on the person of one of the occupants.

2. The presence of a narcotic drug, narcotic preparation, marijuana or phenylcyclidine in open view in a room, other than a public place, under circumstances evincing an intent to unlawfully mix, compound, package or otherwise prepare for sale such controlled substance is presumptive evidence of knowing possession thereof by each and every person in close proximity to such controlled substance at the time such controlled substance was found; except that such presumption does not apply to any persons if (a) one of them, having obtained such controlled substance and not being under duress, is authorized to possess it and such controlled substance is in the same container

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3. concentrated cannabis as defined in paragraph (a) of subdivision four of section thirty

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2. a controlled substance in violation of any one of subdivisions one through eight of section 220.39 of this article, when such sale takes place upon school grounds or on a school bus; or
3. a controlled substance in violation of any one of subdivisions one through six of section 220.34 of this article, when such sale takes place upon the grounds of a child day care or educational facility under circumstances evincing knowledge by the defendant that such sale is taking place upon such grounds; or
4. a controlled substance in violation of any one of subdivisions one through eight of section 220.39 of this article, when such sale takes place upon the grounds of a child day care or educational facility under circumstances evincing knowledge by the defendant that such sale is taking place upon such grounds.







of this article, or a violation of this section.

manufacture of methamphetamine in the first degree as defined in section 220.75 of this article.

Unlawful manufacture of methamphetamine in the second degree is a class C felony.

prosecuted for a controlled substance offense under article two hundred twenty or a marihuana offense under article two hundred twentyone of this title, other than an offense involving sale for consideration or other benefit or gain, or charged or prosecuted for possession of alcohol by a person under age twenty years under sectionsixty-five-c of the alcoholic beverage control law, or for possession of drug paraphernalia under article thirty-nine of the general business law, with respect to any controlled substance, marihuana, alcohol or paraphernalia that was obtained as a result of such seeking or receiving of health care.

2. A person who is experiencing a drug or alcohol overdose or other life threatening medical emergency and, in good faith, seeks health care for himself or herself or is the subject of such a good faith request for health care, shall not be charged or prosecuted for a controlled substance offense under this article or a marihuana offense under article two hundred twentyone of this title, other than an offense involving sale for consideration or other benefit or gain or charged or prosecuted for possession of alcohol by a person under age twenty years under section sixfive-c of the alcoholic beverage control law, or for possession of drug paraphernalia under article thirty-nine of the general business law, with respect to any substance, marihuana, alcohol or paraphernalia that was obtained as a result of such seeking or receiving of health care.
3. Definitions. As used in this section the following terms shall have the following meanings:
  - a. "Drug or alcohol overdose" or "overdose" means an acute condition including, but not limited to, physical illness, coma, mania, hysteria or death, which is the result of consumption or use of a controlled substance or alcohol and relates to an adverse reaction to or the quantity of the controlled substance or alcohol or a substance with which the controlled substance or alcohol was combined; provided that a patient's condition shall be deemed to be a drug or alcohol overdose if a prudent layperson, possessing an average knowledge of medicine and health, could reasonably believe that the condition is in fact a drug or alcohol overdose and (except as to death) requires health care.
  - b. "Health care"ah heab"He"r.005 Tt1 (c)8 (o)trd"ri3 (s)6 (a)14 (a)4 (.Hn)-4 (,)11r ( ) ] (s)6 d



If death or serious bodily injury result from the use of a controlled substance which has been illegally distributed, the person convicted on federal charges of distributing the substance faces mandatory life sentence and fines ranging up to \$8 million.

Persons convicted on federal charges of drug trafficking within 1,000 feet of a University (21 USC 845a) face pen

LSD	10 grams or more	Not less than 10 years' prison, not more than life. Fine up to \$4 million
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- It is a second conviction and the amount of crack possessed exceeds 3 grams;
- It is a third or subsequent crack conviction and the amount exceeds 1 gram.

Civil penalties of up to \$10,000 may also be imposed for possession of small amounts of controlled substances, whether or not criminal prosecution is pursued.