

Procedure 4.1505

Communicable Disease Procedure

- Persons infected with communicable diseases* shall not be excluded from enrollment or employment, or restricted in their access to the institution's services or facilities unless medically-based judgments in individual cases establish that exclusion or restriction is necessary to the welfare of the individual or the welfare of other members of the institution.
- Persons who know that they are infected with a communicable disease are urged to share that information, on a confidential basis, with the Vice President of Student Services, so that the institution can respond appropriately to their health and educational needs.
- Persons who know, or have reasonable basis for believing, that they are infected are expected to seek expert advice about their health circumstances. They are obligated, ethically, and in some circumstances legally, to conduct themselves responsibly in accordance with such knowledge, for the protection of other members of the community.

* Communicable diseases may include, but are not limited to: chicken pox, hepatitis, measles, tuberculosis, mononucleosis, whooping cough, AIDS, AIDS - related complex, seropositive to AIDS virus, and other sexually transmitted diseases.

References

Legal References: *1C SBCCC 200.94*

SACSCOC References: *Enter SACSCOC references here*

Cross References: [Safety Control Measures Policy](#)

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