## **Illinois State University**

## **Recommended Minimum Sanctions for Alcohol and Other Drug Violations**

These are recommended minimum sanctions for alcohol and other drug violations for students at Illinois State University. The purpose of sanctioning is to educate a student as to why their behavior is inappropriate, as well as to make the student aware of, and sensitive to, the possible consequences of the behavior in question. Sanctions for misconduct will be determined on a case by case basis, utilizing four main criteria: 1) the nature of the offense; 2) the precedent established at the University for similar conduct; 3) the disciplinary record of the student; and, 4) the student's attitude and behavior throughout the conduct process. Sanctions may be increased based on the nature of the behavior and/or aggravating factors but may not be reduced unless the case manager or hearing body finds adequate mitigating factors present. The University encourages students to make healthy and responsible choices, as well as to adhere to the Code of Student Conduct, federal, state, and local laws. Be advised that the University asserts jurisdiction for all off-campus cases involving the possession, use, manufacture and/or distribution of alcohol and other drugs.

AOD Record	Behavior	Sanctions
No Previous AOD	Off-Campus Cannabis law violation (OV) by of-age student	Censure
Violations	Being in presence of alcohol with no possession/use	Censure Brief Alcohol Assessment
1 <sup>st</sup> Violation	<ul> <li>Possession/consumption of alcohol</li> <li>Possession/use of cannabis (less than 15 grams)</li> </ul>	Censure \$125 fine Alcohol – Under the Influence and Alcohol Class (fee) Cannabis – Marijuana 101 Program and/or BASICS-D
	<ul> <li>Possession/use of cannabis (15 grams or greater)</li> </ul>	<b>Disciplinary Probation</b> (one semester minimum) \$200 fine BASICS-D
	<ul> <li>Distribution/sale/furnishing of alcohol</li> <li>Distribution/sale of cannabis (less than 15 grams)</li> </ul>	Disciplinary Probation (one semester minimum) \$250 fine Your Impact
	Driving under the influence of alcohol, cannabis, and/or other illicit drugs (no damage or injury)	Disciplinary Probation (two semesters minimum) \$200 fine Outpatient Substance Assessment
	Social Hosting	<b>Disciplinary Probation</b> (two semesters minimum) \$250 fine Social Host Liability Workshop
	Distribution/sale of cannabis (15 grams or greater)	<b>Disciplinary Probation</b> (two semesters minimum) \$250 fine Outpatient Substance Assessment
	Possession/use of illicit drugs and/or illicit use of prescription drugs	Disciplinary Probation (two semesters minimum) or Disciplinary Suspension (two semesters minimum), (depending on drug/quantity) \$250 fine BASICS-D with Other Drug Module or Outpatient Substance Assessment

	<ul> <li>Driving under the influence of alcohol, cannabis, and/or other illicit drugs (damage or injury results)</li> <li>Distribution/sale of other illicit or prescription drugs</li> </ul>	Restrictive Disciplinary Probation (two semesters minimum) or Disciplinary Suspension (two semesters minimum), (depending on the nature of injury/damage) \$200 fine Outpatient Substance Assessment Disciplinary Suspension (two semesters minimum) \$400 fine Outpatient Substance Assessment Other conditions upon return
2 <sup>nd</sup> Violation	<ul> <li>Possession/consumption of alcohol</li> <li>Possession/use of cannabis (less than 15 grams)</li> </ul>	Censure \$200 fine Alcohol – BASICS (two sessions) Cannabis – BASICS-D
	<ul> <li>Possession/use of cannabis (15 grams or greater)</li> </ul>	Disciplinary Probation (two semesters minimum) \$300 fine Comprehensive Substance Assessment - Cannabis or Outpatient Substance Assessment
	<ul> <li>Distribution/sale/furnishing of alcohol</li> <li>Distribution/sale of cannabis (less than 15 grams)</li> <li>Social Hosting</li> </ul>	Disciplinary Probation (two semesters minimum) \$300 fine Alcohol – Social Host Liability Workshop Cannabis – Outpatient Substance Assessment Restrictive Disciplinary Probation (two semesters minimum)
	Distribution/sale of cannabis (15 grams or greater)	\$300 fine Appropriate Educational Sanction(s)  Restrictive Disciplinary Probation (two semesters minimum) \$300 fine Outpatient Treatment Program
	Illicit drugs and/or illicit use of prescription drugs	Disciplinary Suspension (two semesters minimum) or Disciplinary Dismissal (depending on drug/quantity) \$300 fine Outpatient Substance Assessment Other conditions upon return
	<ul> <li>Driving under the influence of alcohol, cannabis, and/or other illicit drugs</li> </ul>	Disciplinary Suspension (two semesters minimum) or Disciplinary Dismissal (depending on the nature of the injury or damage, if applicable) \$400 fine Outpatient Treatment Program Other conditions upon return
3 <sup>rd</sup> Violation	<ul> <li>Possession/consumption of alcohol</li> <li>Possession/use of cannabis (less than 15 grams)</li> </ul>	Disciplinary Probation (two semesters minimum) \$250 fine Comprehensive Substance Assessment - Alcohol or Comprehensive Substance Assessment - Drug

	Possession/use of cannabis (15 grams or greater)      Distribution/sale/furnishing of	Disciplinary Suspension (two semesters minimum) \$400 fine Outpatient Substance Assessment Other conditions upon return Disciplinary Suspension (two semesters minimum)
	<ul> <li>Distribution/sale/furnishing of alcohol</li> <li>Distribution/sale of cannabis (less than 15 grams)</li> </ul>	\$400 fine Outpatient Treatment Program Other conditions upon return
	Illicit drugs and/or illicit use of prescription drugs	Disciplinary Dismissal \$400 fine
	<ul> <li>Distribution/sale of cannabis (15 grams or greater)</li> </ul>	Disciplinary Dismissal \$400 fine
4 <sup>th</sup> Violation	<ul> <li>Possession/consumption of alcohol</li> <li>Possession/use of cannabis (less than 15 grams)</li> </ul>	Disciplinary Suspension (two semesters minimum) \$300 fine Outpatient Substance Assessment Other conditions upon return
	Possession/use of cannabis (15 grams or greater)	Disciplinary Dismissal \$400 fine
	<ul> <li>Distribution/sale/furnishing of alcohol</li> <li>Distribution/sale of cannabis (less than 15 grams)</li> </ul>	Disciplinary Dismissal \$400 fine

## OTHER CONSIDERATIONS IN SANCTIONING ALCOHOL AND DRUG CASES

**Addendum #1:** Sanctioning is a cumulative process. Students with multiple violations across categories will generally be subject to greater levels of sanctioning. All sanctions will include the assignment of an inactive sanction (Censure, Disciplinary Probation, Restrictive Disciplinary Probation, Disciplinary Suspension, and Disciplinary Dismissal) as well as the assignment of one or more active (educational) sanctions.

**Addendum #2:** Many sanctions will require the completion of a written reflection assignment and/or other written components, even when not explicitly stated in the above chart.

**Addendum #3:** Violations of multiple categories in any single disciplinary incident may result in maximum sanctions.

**Addendum #4:** When a student is sanctioned with Restrictive Disciplinary Probation, Disciplinary Suspension, or a Disciplinary Dismissal, or Disciplinary Probation of more than one semester, a Parental Notification will be issued if the student is under 21 years of age and financially dependent.

**Addendum #5:** Any student accruing four or more violations during their academic career shall have fines imposed in the amount of \$100.00 per incident resulting in violations.

**Addendum #6:** AOD fines will <u>not</u> be assessed for alcohol and drug violations referred from off-campus law enforcement agencies (i.e. Normal Police Department, Bloomington Police Department, McLean County Sheriff's Office, etc.), but all other sanctions will be applied.

Addendum #7: All SCCR issued fines and fees will be automatically billed to the student's account.

Questions? Contact Student Conduct and Community Responsibilities to speak with a case manager: (309) 438-8621, <a href="mailto:SCCRHelp@IllinoisState.edu">SCCRHelp@IllinoisState.edu</a>