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Tobacco Use, Smoking, and E-Cigarettes/Vaping



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[Revision History](#)

Rule Summary

Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi (TAMU-CC) strives to maintain an environment that protects the health of each person while on the TAMU-CC campus. TAMU-CC restricts the use of tobacco and prohibits the use of e-cigarette/vaping products on university property or in university facilities by all persons, including employees, students, and visitors.

Definitions

University Property and Facilities – all interior and exterior space property owned, leased, or otherwise controlled by TAMU-CC. For purposes of this rule, this includes, but is not limited, to all enclosed or partially enclosed areas such as walkways, breezeways, sidewalks, parking lots, and parking structures (whether attached or unattached), grounds, buildings and structures, indoor and outdoor athletic facilities to include grandstands of outdoor facilities, personal vehicles while on campus, and all vehicles owned, leased, rented or otherwise controlled by TAMU-CC.

Tobacco Products – all forms of tobacco products including but not limited to cigarettes, cigars, pipes, water pipes (hookah), bidis, kreteks, smokeless tobacco, snuff and chewing tobacco. This term includes any device that could be used to facilitate the smoking of a tobacco product.

See system policy *34.05, Smoking* for additional relevant definitions.

Rule

The use of tobacco products, as defined above, is prohibited in and on all university property and facilities, residence facilities, and athletic events, except in designated areas depicted on the campus smoking area maps found on the Facilities Services website.

The use of e-cigarettes and any kind of vaping are prohibited in and on all university properties and facilities, residence facilities, and athletic events, without exception.

Related Statutes, Policies, or Requirements

System Policy [34.05, Smoking](#)

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