Policy Name: Medications on Campus

Policy Number: None

Functional Area(s) Responsible: Administration & Finance

Owner(s) of Policy: Campus Police; Student Health Services

Most Recent BOT Approval Date: Spring 2019

Most Recent Review Date: Spring 2023

Most Recent Review/Revision Type: ☒ minor/non-substantive  ☐ substantive/extensive

Policy Statement:
FLCC Student Health professionals may directly administer medications and medical services under appropriate circumstances as outlined in established procedures.

A current list of over-the-counter medications, as reviewed and approved by Kerry Graff, M.D., shall be maintained and available in the Student Health Services office.

Finger Lakes Community College students requiring prescription medication are strongly advised to administer such medications prior to coming to campus. Only duly authorized Student Health Services staff shall administer medications to students, including in emergency situations.

If a student needs to take medication while on campus, he/she is solely responsible for the security of his/her medications, and may not share or administer medication to another individual on campus.

Medication must be clearly labeled indicating the substance, dosage and prescribing physician.

Bio-hazardous materials, including but not limited to, needles, syringes, sharps, glass medical vials may not be disposed of in the regular trash receptacles. These materials must be disposed of in the College’s syringe disposal units.

Reason(s) for Policy:
This policy is intended to ensure that students receive and administer medications in a safe manner while on College premises.

Applicability of Policy:
All college employees and students, and especially Student Health Services staff, should be familiar with this policy.

Definitions:
None

Related Documents:
None

Procedures:
None
Forms/Online Processes:
None

Appendix:
None