

AP 3560 Alcoholic Beverages and Controlled Substances

References:

34 Code of Federal Regulations Section 668.46(b);
23 U.S. Code Section 158;
23 Code of Federal Regulations Section 1208.4
ORS 471.105

A person must be at least 21 years of age to purchase alcoholic beverages in Oregon. It is unlawful to sell, furnish or provide alcohol to a person under the age of 21. The possession of alcohol by anyone under 21 years of age in a public place or a place open to the public is illegal.

The possession, sale, consumption or furnishing of alcohol is controlled by the Oregon Liquor Control Commission (OLCC). However, the enforcement of alcohol policies on-campus is the primary responsibility of TVCC. Organizations or groups violating alcohol or substance policies or laws may be subject to sanctions by the College.

The possession, sale, manufacture or distribution of any controlled substance may be illegal under both state and federal laws and is prohibited on all College property, including leased property, and at college sponsored events, except with a valid prescription. Cannabis products, whether in illegal or legal quantities, are prohibited on campus. Such laws are strictly enforced by the College. Violators are subject to disciplinary action, trespass, criminal prosecution, fine and/or imprisonment.

Oregon law includes an exemption for students enrolled in a food or beverage career program at a higher education institution, including a community college. "Food or beverage career program" means a course of study designed to qualify a person for a career in the food service industry or alcoholic beverage industry, including but not limited to a course of study in culinary arts, viticulture, winemaking, enology, brewing or restaurant management. (ORS 471.580)

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