

PUBLIC ACTIVITIES INVOLVING PERSONNEL,  
STUDENTS, OR MID-PLAINS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FACILITIES

Tobacco Free College

Mid-Plains Community College (MPCC) is committed to a healthy work and study environment that is supportive of employees, students, and visitors. To protect public health and the environment, MPCC prohibits the use of all tobacco products on all MPCC owned or leased property, including residence halls and vehicles. Tobacco as used in this policy shall mean all tobacco products, including smokeless (chewing) tobacco and electronic cigarettes.

The sale of tobacco products and tobacco advertisements on MPCC property is prohibited. MPCC operations and organizations are prohibited from accepting cash or other gifts from tobacco companies, with the exception of Nebraska Tobacco Settlement Trust Funds, or funds from any other governmental entity, which was generated from tobacco litigation or tobacco taxes, and which is intended to be used to fund tobacco cessation or other projects at MPCC.

All MPCC administrators, faculty, and staff shall be responsible for monitoring and assisting with compliance. Guests at MPCC shall be informed of the policy and will be expected to comply. Those not complying with Policy 7300 are to be referred to the appropriate Vice-President.

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