

Substance Free Housing Contract

Community Contract Terms & Expectations

I _____, have chosen to live in a substance free living environment and understand that I must abide by the conditions identified below.

At the College of the Holy Cross, Substance Free Housing is sponsored by the Office of Residence Life & Housing and provides a living opportunity for students of all class years. The Office of Residence Life & Housing strongly enforces expectations that all residence halls comply with all federal, state and college regulations related to the use or possession of alcohol and other drugs.

Substance Free rooms offer an additional measure of support for those individuals who choose to live a lifestyle free of substances including but not limited to alcohol, cigarettes, and other smoking materials as well as all illicit drugs.

Substance Free residents of the College are expected to adhere to this policy inside of the residence halls and the larger Holy Cross community. The office holds students under contract to a higher community standard.

This includes, but is not limited to:

- Bringing alcohol and/or illegal drugs into your room or the residence hall
- The possession, consumption, and/ or distribution of alcohol/ or illegal drugs in the residence halls
- The possession and utilization of alcohol or drug paraphernalia
- Returning to the residence hall room under the influence of alcohol and/ or illegal drugs
- Being documented or arrested by College officials for alcohol or drug related incidents
- Tobacco use or possession of any kind within the residence halls
- Creating disruption or destroying property while under the influence

** Substance Free residents are also responsible for their guests visiting the room who must also abide by the substance terms of the free policy within this contract*

Substance Free residents are expected to adhere to the aforementioned conditions in addition to the community standards we uphold for all residents illustrated in our student handbook. Substance Free residents should familiarize themselves with the College's policies provided here: http://www.holycross.edu/sccs/community_standards/.

Violation of the Substance Free policy may include but not limited to the following:

- Removal from the substance free room
- Sanctions that align with the severity of the incident as it pertains to alcohol and/or drugs
- A Behavioral contract - Violation of the terms within a behavioral contract may result in more severe sanctions

I acknowledge that I have read the above contract terms and agree to uphold the stated substance free policy. I also acknowledge the consequences of violating these terms.

I agree to release my information (name and substance free housing interest) in order to be paired with another resident interested in Substance Free Housing for the purpose of pairing with a roommate if one has not been listed

Printed Name

Signature

Date