

The consumption of alcohol outdoors on campus is not permitted. Exceptions may be made for restricted events like Senior Week, where all of the participants will be of legal drinking age, upon the prior approval of the director of the AMU and dean of student development.

The Marquette community will not permit, under any circumstances, any member or non-member of the university community to violate the rights of any other member of the community, or to create an environment not appropriate to an educational institution and to a residential community. University action may be taken if an individual's conduct is inappropriate to this community, whether his or her actions may be due to the consumption of alcoholic beverages.

Specifically:

- The Marquette community expects persons to take responsibility for themselves, for others, and for the environment of which they are all a part.
- Learning about the responsible use of alcohol is one of the key tasks for young adults in American society.
- The university will provide an environment that supports those who choose not to drink as well as those of legal age who choose to drink responsibly.
- The university will discourage the misuse of alcohol by any member of its community and will offer assistance to any member having problems related to alcohol.
- The university will comply with state law and expects others affected to do likewise.

DEATH OF A PARENT/SIBLING OF A STUDENT POLICY

Please notify University Ministry immediately in the event of the death of a student's parent or sibling. The Director of University Ministry will notify others in the University, as appropriate, so that assistance can be offered to the student as well as to the family. University Ministry is also available to offer pastoral care to others in the Marquette community who may have been affected by this death.

DEMONSTRATIONS POLICY

It is clearly inevitable, and indeed essential, that the spirit of inquiry and challenge that the university seeks to encourage will produce many conflicts of ideas, opinions and proposals for action. The university community recognizes its responsibility to provide effective channels for internal communication, free discussion and rational persuasion, as the normal and preferred means of airing and reconciling such differences. On occasion, however, recourse to public demonstration and protest may become, for some, a necessary and justified means of supporting their cause or position.

In such cases, the university must seek to insure a fair and reasonable balance and coordination between two sets of rights which can be brought into conflict with one another. The first is the right of the members of the university community freely to pursue their academic and vocational objectives without unreasonable obstruction or hindrance. The second is the right of the members of the university community freely to communicate, by lawful demonstration and protest, the positions that they conscientiously espouse on vital issues of the day.

The university endorses both sets of rights and believes that each can be fully exercised without serious damage to the other.

However, neither set of rights justifies jeopardizing nor threatening the safety of persons or property, including serious overcrowding of campus areas; interference with processes or procedures of instruction, research, administration or other activities authorized to be conducted in university facilities or on university property; violation of established closing hours, or obstruction of authorized access to, use of, or egress from university facilities. These are regarded as conduct inimical to the policies and objectives of the university community, and such conduct by students may result in disciplinary actions from the university under university student conduct procedures.

While clearly violent, unlawful, or otherwise disruptive activities of identified participants during a given demonstration will subject those persons to university sanction despite any prior warning or admonition to the student, such activities shall not, of themselves or ordinarily in the absence of express prior warning, impair the right of other students to participate or continue in lawful demonstration and protest.

Circumstances may, however, combine to produce a situation in which reasonable persons may differ as to whether the demonstration — regarded as a whole — infringes, or threatens immediately to infringe, upon the rights of other members of the university community. When in such cases the university person in authority — administrator, faculty, or student chairperson — judges that the demonstration has passed proper bounds, she/he shall communicate to the demonstrators insofar as feasible that this is his/her judgment, and she/he shall require that the demonstration be modified on stated conditions or promptly terminated. Failure of any student to observe such a declaration may subject him/her to disciplinary proceedings. The vice president for Student Affairs shall ordinarily be the administrator whose judgment shall be determinative in such situations; and, whenever she/he is available and the circumstances otherwise reasonably permit, she/he shall authorize such declaration to be issued where, in his/her judgment, it is appropriate under this policy. Students seeking additional information should contact the dean of student development.

DRUG POLICY

Possession, use, distribution and/or sale of narcotics and marijuana is illegal, and student involvement in such illicit use, possession, distribution or sale of narcotics, amphetamines, barbiturates, LSD, marijuana or any other harmful or hallucinogenic drug is prohibited. Student involvement in such matters is of university concern whether it occurs on or off campus and irrespective of any action or inaction by civil authorities. Whenever such student involvement comes to the attention of the university, the circumstances may render the student subject to disciplinary action. Student abuse of prescription drugs is also a matter of university concern.

The full professional resources of the University Counseling Center, Student Health Service and all other student personnel services are available to assist any student to meet problems related to involvement with drugs. The university strongly urges that full advantage be taken of these services.

Specific information regarding prevailing law may be obtained from the Office of the Milwaukee County District Attorney, (414) 278-5183, 821 W. State St.