

FLATHEAD VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Policy and Procedures Manual

CHAPTER I– DOCTRINE

SECTION 85: Smoking and Tobacco Free Policy

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PURPOSE

To limit smoking of any substance, and usage of chewing and other forms of tobacco or similar substances.

POLICY

The College is committed to complying with the Montana Clean Indoor Air Act, and further supports a healthy, comfortable and productive work environment for all students, employees and visitors to the campus. Therefore, FVCC prohibits any form of smoking including the use of electronic cigarettes (e-cigarettes) or any form of tobacco usage in all of its campus facilities as well as at all points of entrance and exit from its facilities, including all walkways and parking lots. Smoking or tobacco usage is only allowed inside designated enclosures or designated tobacco usage areas. Failure to comply will result in disciplinary action as stipulated by College Policy for student infractions and the appropriate disciplinary process as set forth in collective bargaining agreements or Board of Trustees policy for faculty and staff.

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