

## Procedures for Students Who Have Failed Extracurricular Drug Screening

### 1st Offense:

1. Ineligible to participate in extracurricular activities for one year unless-
2. He or she successfully completes Appalachian Community Service board-approved substance abuse counseling program
3. After successfully completion of program, student must also participate in the next two consecutive drug screenings in order to maintain eligibility

### 2nd Offense:

1. Ineligible to participate in extracurricular activities for 6 weeks
2. At the end of the 6 weeks, the student may participate in extracurricular activities only if he or she successfully completes Appalachian Community Service board-approved substance abuse counseling program and agrees to submit to the next two consecutive drug screenings

### 3rd Offense:

1. After a student's 3rd offense, the student will be banned from participating in extracurricular activities for one calendar year.
2. After one calendar year, the student may participate in extracurricular activities only if he or she has successfully completed Appalachian Community Service board -approved substance abuse counseling program and agrees to submit to the next two consecutive drug screenings

### 4th Offense:

1. After a student's 4th offense, the student will be permanently banned from participating in extracurricular activities.

### Appeals

A student may appeal a decision under this section in writing to the athletic director or sponsor. The athletic director or sponsor, principal and one other interested party appointed by the superintendent will review the appeal and will inform the student of their decision in writing within seven working days.

Costs - all costs involved with participation in abuse counseling programs in the responsibility of the student and/or his family.

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