

Post-Secondary Institute Smoking Policies - Universities and Other Institutes

INSTITUTE	Athabasca University	University of Alberta	University of Calgary	University of Lethbridge	The Banff Centre	Northern Alberta Institute of Technology (NAIT)	Southern Alberta Institute of Technology (SAIT)
POLICIES							
Institutional Policy In Place = ✓, & Year policy or amendment effective	☑ 1996	☑ 1994	☑ 2002	☑ 2003	☑ n/a	☑ 1993	☑ 0000
Policy amendment or development in progress & expected implementation date		Under review					Information not yet available
Inside Campus¹ Buildings	Smoking prohibited (P) or restricted² (R) in the following specific areas:						
All campus owned or leased academic and administrative buildings	P	P	P	P	P	P	
Other campus buildings and facilities	P	R	P	P	P	P	
All satellite campus buildings and facilities	P	R	P	P		P	
In indoor campus athletic facilities	P	P	P	P	P	P	
In campus/student eating areas – e.g., dining halls, cafeterias, restaurants, snack bars	P	R	P	P	P	P	
In “on-campus” bars and pubs			R	P	R	R	
In campus owned or leased vehicles and equipment	P	P	P	P	P	P	
In Student Union buildings		As designated by Student Union	P	P	R	P	
At campus-sponsored functions (on or off premises, or both)				P, on campus	Some exceptions apply		
Use of <u>all tobacco products</u> is prohibited							
Aboriginal ceremonial tobacco use is permitted in some cases							
Outdoor Campus Areas & Entrances	Smoking prohibited (P) or restricted (R) in the following specific areas:						
On campus grounds	R				R		
Within XX meters of all campus building entrances and air intakes	R	P	5m		P	R	
Outside campus residence entrances		P	5m		P		
In outdoor athletic/recreational areas		P	R				
Within XX meters of all on-campus bus shelters			5m				
Student Residences	Smoking prohibited (P) or restricted (R) in the following specific areas:						
Inside “on-campus” student residences – common areas (e.g., hallways, lobbies, function rooms, laundry rooms)		At discretion of CSA & housing authority	P	P	P		
Inside “on-campus” student residences – individual student rooms				P			
Inside “on-campus” sorority and fraternity housing			Not applicable	P			

¹ For the purpose of this summary, ‘campus’ refers to all post-secondary institutional types

² ‘Restricted’ means smoking is permitted in designated indoor areas only or in Designated Smoking Rooms (DSR’s) that are enclosed and separately ventilated.

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Awareness, Support & Assistance							
Student health plan coverage includes stop smoking aids				✓		✓	
Faculty & staff health plan coverage includes stop smoking aids		✓	✓	✓	(Staff)		
Smoking cessation programs for <u>students</u> available on-campus (or referral to existing off-campus programs provided)	Under review		✓	✓		✓	
Smoking cessation programs for <u>faculty & staff</u> available on-campus (or referral to existing off-campus programs provided)	Under review	✓	✓	✓	(Staff)	✓	
Information and education about the hazards of smoking and tobacco use provided		✓	✓	✓	(Staff)	✓	
Signage & Enforcement							
Enforcement policy or procedures in place		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
'No-smoking' signs will be posted in all buildings, facilities, vehicles and at all entrances, where applicable		✓	✓		✓	✓	
Notification of Smoking Policy							
Students advised of smoking policy	✓		✓		✓		
Staff/candidates advised of smoking policy			✓		✓	✓	
External users/contractors advised of smoking policy			✓				
Tobacco Industry Marketing							
Acceptance of <u>all</u> monies from tobacco companies whether gifts, donations or grants is prohibited		Each instance is reviewed					
Institutional investment in stocks with holdings in tobacco companies is prohibited		Each instance is reviewed					
Sale of tobacco products prohibited			Through vending machines in smoking prohibited areas only	✓		Restricted	
Tobacco industry advertisements prohibited in all campus and student run publications						Restricted	
Promotion and free distribution of all tobacco products is prohibited						Restricted	
Tobacco industry sponsored events are prohibited							

Disclaimer: Inventory of Alberta Post-Secondary Institution Tobacco Policies, updated November 12, 2003

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