

LOUISIANA COMMUNITY & TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM
Policy # 6.024

Title: SMOKE-FREE ENVIRONMENT POLICY

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The purpose of this policy is to set forth rules to create a smoke-free environment throughout facilities and ground of LCTCS campuses.

Each LCTCS college is responsible for developing and implementing a smoke-free policy throughout its facilities and grounds in accordance with Act 211 of the 2013 Legislative Session. “Smoking” means inhaling, exhaling, burning, carrying, or possessing any lighted tobacco product, including, cigarettes, cigars, pipe tobacco, and any other lighted combustible plant material.

This policy does not prohibit colleges from developing a tobacco-free policy on campuses, in accordance with Act 211 of 2013. “Tobacco-free” means the prohibition on the use of tobacco derived or containing products, including but not limited to cigarettes, cigars, cigarillos, pipes, hookah-smoked products, and oral tobacco products.

Each college will develop a smoke free policy to include all of its campuses and submit a copy to the LCTCS Office before August 1, 2014.