

COUNTERFEIT OR LOOK-ALIKE DRUGS

Students are prohibited from possessing, or distributing counterfeit controlled substances.

Counterfeit controlled substance is defined in the following ways:

- A. Any drug or drug container or label that bears a trademark, trade name, or other identifying mark used without the owner of the rights to such trademark's authorization;
- B. Any unmarked or unlabeled substance that is represented to be a controlled substance that is manufactured, processed, packed or distributed by a person other than the person with legal rights to manufacture, process, pack or distribute it;
- C. Any substance that is represented to be a controlled substance or is a different substance; and
- D. Any substance other than a controlled substance that a reasonable person would believe to be a controlled substance because of its similarity in shape, size, and color, or its markings, labeling, packaging, distribution, or the price for which it is sold or offered for sale.

Not only will students be disciplined in accordance with Board policy for violating this policy, but such conduct will also be reported to law enforcement for prosecution.

A controlled substance is defined as a drug, compound, mixture or substance included in Schedule I, II, III, IV, or V (Ohio Administrative Code 4729-11). Included in these schedules are narcotics such as amphetamines, depressants and hallucinogens, as well as many other types of drugs.

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