

Policy No. 456 Rule 1
ALCOHOL AND OTHER DRUG ABUSE (AODA)
PROGRAMS

It is the responsibility of the School District of Lodi to safeguard the health, character, citizenship and personality development of students in the schools and to maintain an atmosphere which will promote a quality learning environment. Since use of alcohol and other drugs constitutes a hazard to the positive development of students, the school district will:

- work to establish and implement a K-12 curriculum related to the prevention of alcohol and other drug use by students.
- establish and implement procedures which will provide proper assistance for students using alcohol and other drugs. These procedures shall be printed and made available to all students, staff and the general public. They shall be incorporated into each school's faculty handbook.
- establish and maintain appropriate procedures for adhering to the legal requirements and confidentiality relating to information shared by an individual.
- cooperate with local municipalities and the various city, county, state and private agencies that are involved in the health of students relating to the use and abuse of alcohol and other drugs within guidelines provided by the administration.
- through the guidance and counseling program and K-12 curriculum establish and maintain prevention programs designed to provide students with appropriate information and the skills necessary to make responsible decisions regarding the use of alcohol and other drugs.
- establish and maintain a continuing in-service education program for all staff to increase their awareness and knowledge of alcohol and other drugs. The in-service will be designed to increase awareness of the impact family alcohol and drug abuse has on a child's behavior, and the impact chemical use has on the individual user.

Legal Reference: s.58.34(7m)
 s.115.35
 s.115.36(4)
 s.118.01(2)(d) 2, 6
 s.118.126
 s.118.24 (2)(f)
 s.118.257
 s.125.02 (8m)
 s.125.037
 s.125.09(2)
 s.140.84
 s.895.437