

OREGON INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Controlled Substance Policy

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OIT is committed to maintaining a workplace and educational environment free from unlawful manufacture, possession, distribution, and/or use of controlled substances and alcohol. OIT has therefore adopt

another agency for evaluation and/or treatment. Students receiving federal financial aid may lose the aid. Students may also be referred for prosecution by the legal system. The severity of the sanction will depend, in par

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Appendix A
Effects and Health Risks of Controlled Substances

Type of Drug	Possible Health Risks
Stimulants – speed up central nervous system Amphetamines (speed, uppers, bennies, pep pills) Cocaine (coke, rock, snow, rack) – classified as a narcotic	Hallucinations, heart problems, malnutrition, dependency, paranoid psychosis, death. Confusion, depression, convulsions, damaged nasal membranes, lung

Appendix A (Cont'd)
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Type of Drug	Possible Health Risks
Deliriant – mental confusion Aerosol products, lighter fluid, paint thinner, amyl nitrite (poppers) Other inhalants	Confusion, loss of coordination, hallucinations, convulsions, dependency, death. Damage to lungs, brain, liver, bone marrow
Alcohol – depressant	Tolerance, dependence, depression, coma, death. Alcohol abuse is linked to cancer, heart and liver damage. Decreased sexual performance. Fetal alcohol syndrome.
Nicotine	Emphysema, lung cancer, heart disease, dependency.