

Health Services

AP 5090

The Foothill and De Anza Colleges Health Services will, at a minimum, maintain a professional staff adequate to recognize health problems and to provide support and referral that would assist students in achieving their educational goals. Any further services offered shall be pursuant to implementing regulations adopted by the President of each College, subject to approval by the Chancellor.

Referrals will be made, but medical treatment or therapy is not the primary responsibility of the Colleges. Health Services may provide some limited medical services. Such services should not take the place of or duplicate services offered by off campus public or private health providers and, in any event, shall not be for other than limited reproductive health (e.g., annual/cancer screening exams, pregnancy and HIV testing, urinary tract infections, sexually transmitted disease, birth control and menstrual irregularities), cough, cold, rash, and immunizations.

Health Services Programs may also include but not be limited to:

- a. Health education, consultation, referrals and psychological counseling programs.
- b. Assessment, intervention, and referral services which include, but are not limited to, health appraisal, screening, first aid and urgent care (*see Appendix AP-5092*), health and psychological counseling and crisis intervention, nursing or medical and/or other health services.
- c. Health promotion activities.
- d. Communicable disease control programs and services.
- e. Programs and services designed to prevent illness and injury.
- f. Advisory activities for the promotion of a healthy campus community.
- g. Advise college administration in the implementation of all state and federal laws pertaining to college health issues.

Notwithstanding any other policy to the contrary, the health services at each campus shall be available to all students of the District.

See Board Policy 5090—Health Services

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