

**University of West Florida**  
**University Commons and Student Activities**  
**The Big Book: Policy and Procedure Manual**  
**Topic: Student Organization Alcohol Policy**

**Topic: University Tobacco Promotion Policy**  
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Whereas the use of tobacco products is widely considered a major community health issue and whereas the State of Florida prohibits smoking in all public facilities and in addition, the University Commons and Student Activities prohibits the use of tobacco products (to include smokeless) in its facilities, the following student organization policy is established.

Student organizations at The University of West Florida are prohibited from participating in tobacco product promotional activities. There can be no promotional “giveaways” such as tee shirts, glasses, cups, signs, etc. to individual students, faculty, or staff nor to student living groups such as residence halls. University student organizations shall not accept money or products from any promoter or other entity in exchange for any promotional consideration. This shall include but not be limited to equipment and materials that bear some industry brand name or symbol. There shall be no student organization sponsored programs held on campus which directly or indirectly facilitate or promote the use of any tobacco product.