

# **SUBSTANCE FREE**

## **Housing Contract and Application**

### **Alternate Housing Process**

The vision for Substance Free housing is to create and foster an environment where students who value substance free living can thrive and be successful. Substance Free housing requires residents to refrain from any and all use of tobacco, alcohol, and drugs at all times. Those choosing to live in this area can expect the full commitment of the Residential Life staff to encourage this choice of living through enforcement of contracted rules, fostering of positive attitudes, and themed programming efforts.

#### **The Application Process**

This application process is open to all students that have submitted a completed Room and Board Contract Card and paid the \$300 Room Reservation Deposit by February 14, 2014. If you are not successful in securing a spot, you may use your Lottery number and participate in the Housing Lottery and Room Selection process.

There is no recognition of priority based upon seniority and this application process is independent of the Housing Lottery. A committee comprised of students, staff, and administrators will review applications and make recommendations of acceptance and placement to the Director of Residential Life and Education. Notification of acceptance and placement will be communicated via e-mail.

#### **Expectations**

Substance Free residents living in designated pods in Holy Cross Hall will be subject to not only all College rules and regulations but these stated requirements of this contract and application. Violations of the contract or College policies will result in disciplinary action and may result in the ineligibility for applicant/resident to remain in Substance Free housing.

Guests of residents must be informed and understand all College policies and must support initiatives put forth in this Substance Free community. Guests are the full responsibility of their resident host.

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**All students applying to live in Substance Free housing must sign this contract to be considered for placement.**

I, (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ have read the above information concerning Substance Free housing and agree to and understand the expectations required to live in the specified pod in Holy Cross Hall. I will be cooperative, communicative, and will compromise as a member of this community. I understand that civility and respect for rules in this community are vital. As well, I understand that failure to adhere to these expectations and College policy may result in my removal from Substance Free housing.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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**This application is due in the Office of Residential Life and Education  
by Friday, February 28<sup>th</sup> by 4 pm.**

**\*\*\*Late applications will be considered on a space available basis.\*\*\***

## **SUBSTANCE FREE QUESTIONS**

Please take some time to reflect and respond to the following questions. Please be thorough, candid, and honest in your answers. You are welcome to respond to these questions on a separate piece of paper.

- 1. Have you been in a Substance Free community before? If so, where and for how long?**
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 2. Is your request a single room or double room? \_\_\_\_\_**  
**(Please know double rooms are limited)**
  - a. If a double room, state a roommate request if you have one \_\_\_\_\_**
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 3. What is your primary reason for applying for Substance Free housing?**
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 4. What would you hope to gain from living in this type of housing and community?**
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 5. What do you feel will be the greatest challenge for you in being a member of this community?**
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 6. What are you involved in at Saint Anselm College, the community, etc.?**
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 7. Have you been involved in judicial action at Saint Anselm College? If so, explain briefly.**
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 8. Please provide any additional information that you feel would assist the committee in the consideration of your application.**

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