Federal Trafficking Penalties

**DRUG/SCHEDULE** | **QUANTITY** | **PENALTIES** | **QUANTITY** | **PENALTIES**
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Cocaine (Schedule I) | 500-4,000 gms mixture | First offense: Not less than 5 years | 500 or more gms mixture | First offense: Not less than 10 years
Cocaine Base (Schedule I) | 5-49 gms mixture | Second offense: Not more than 5 years | 100 or more gms mixture | Second offense: Not more than 10 years
Fantany (Schedule I) | 40-390 gms mixture | First offense: Not more than 10 years | 100 or more gms mixture | First offense: Not more than 10 years
Fantany Analogue (Schedule I) | 10-99 gms mixture | Second offense: Not more than 10 years | 100 or more gms mixture | Second offense: Not more than 10 years
Hash (Schedule I) | 100-999 gms mixture | First offense: Not more than 20 years | 1000 or more gms mixture | First offense: Not more than 20 years
LSD (Schedule I) | 1-9 gms mixture | Second offense: Not more than 10 years | 1000 or more gms mixture | Second offense: Not more than 10 years
Metamphetamine (Schedule II) | 5-49 gms pure or 50-499 gms mixture | First offense: Not more than 5 years | 500 or more gms mixture | First offense: Not more than 10 years
Morphine (Schedule II) | 10-99 gms pure or 100-999 gms mixture | Second offense: Not more than 10 years | 500 or more gms mixture | Second offense: Not more than 10 years

Federal Penalties and Sanctions for Illegal Possession or Controlled Substance

| Schedule | Offense | Fine/Words | Reserve | Mandatory
|---|---|---|---|---
| 1 | Unlawful possession or sale | Up to $1,000 | Not more than 6 months | Not more than 30 days
| 2 | Possession in premises or vehicle | Up to $2,500 | Not more than 6 months | Not more than 30 days
| 3 | Possession in premises or vehicle | Up to $5,000 | Not more than 6 months | Not more than 30 days
| 4 | Possession in premises or vehicle | Up to $10,000 | Not more than 6 months | Not more than 30 days
| 5 | Possession in premises or vehicle | Up to $10,000 | Not more than 6 months | Not more than 30 days

**Federal Trafficking Penalties—Marijuana**

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| Marijuana | 1,000 kg or more mixture; and more plants | First offense: Not less than 10 years | 5 kg or more mixture | First offense: Not less than 10 years
| | | or more than life | or more than life |
| | | and not more than life | and not more than life |
| | | or less than 20 years | or less than 20 years |
| | | or more than 10 years if an individual, $10 million | or more than 10 years if an individual, $10 million |
| | | or other than an individual | or other than an individual |
| | 100 kg to 999 gms or 100 to 999 gms mixture | Second offense: Not less than 10 years | 1 kg or more mixture | Second offense: Not less than 10 years
| | | or more than 20 years | or more than 20 years |
| | | or more than 10 years if an individual, $5 million | or more than 10 years if an individual, $5 million |
| | | or other than an individual | or other than an individual |
| | More than 10 kg together | Not less than 10 years | Not more than 5 years | Not less than 10 years
| | 50 gms mixture | or more than 20 years | or more than 20 years |
| | | or more than 10 years | or more than 10 years |
| | | or other than an individual | or other than an individual |
| | 1 to 49 gms plastic | Not less than 10 years | Not less than 10 years | Not less than 10 years
| | less than 50 kg mixtures | or more than 20 years | or more than 20 years | or more than 20 years
| | | or more than 10 years | or more than 10 years | or more than 10 years
| | | or other than an individual | or other than an individual | or other than an individual
| Hashish (Opium) | 10 kg or less | $2,500 | Not more than 10 years | $500 or more if an individual, $2 million
| | 1 kg or less | $2,500 | Not more than 10 years | $500 or more if an individual, $2 million

**Rules Governing the Use of Alcohol**

1. Alcoholic beverages will not be permitted under any circumstances anywhere in the residence halls or residences of Adelphi students who are under the age of 21 and bring alcoholic beverages into the residence halls or rooms will be subject to expulsion from the University.

2. Alcoholic beverages may be provided only through the University in licensed premises, including the Ruth S. Harleyer University Center and Alumni House. No other alcoholic beverages may be brought onto campus or served.

3. Licensed premises must operate within the rules, regulations and statutory requirements of federal, state and local governments.

**General Policies**

1. The unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession or intending use of either illicit or prescription drugs is prohibited.

2. Students and others who have demonstrated a repeated abuse of alcohol will be referred to appropriate counseling services.

3. Disciplinary behavior, inappropriate behavior or intoxication caused by drugs or alcohol use will not be tolerated. Violators are subject to removal from campus and disciplinary action.

4. All members of the Adelphi community must abide by the terms of this policy.

5. Violations of the policies, rules and standards adopted by the University concerning substance abuse should be reported to the Office of Human Resources when the violation involves an employee. The assistant vice president for human resources and labor relations or a designated representative will be assigned to process reports as defined in this policy.

**Sanctions for Violation of These Policies, Rules and Standards**

Students charged with violations of this policy shall be referred to the Office of Student Conduct and Community Standards or in some cases to the student’s residential halls for student residents or to the Adelphi Police Department for off-campus students.

In the event of a criminal conviction or plea, Sanctions may include:

1. Dismissal of charges, student found not responsible
2. Student found responsible and sanctions imposed

Depending on the merits of the case, possible sanctions may include:

1. Referral for substance abuse assessment, counseling and/or treatment
2. Community service and/or educational sanction (which may include the mandatory completion of an educational program for which the credits are charged to the student)
3. Restitution
4. Probation
5. Loss of privilege
6. Loss of University housing
7. Suspension from the University
8. Expulsion from the University

In addition to University sanctions, the President of the University or a designated representative may issue the student to appropriate governmental authorities when the student’s activity is in violation of federal, state or local laws.

Students employed by the University must abide by the rules and standards established by the University.

**Adelphi University Policies, Rules and Standards Regarding Illicit Drugs and Alcohol**

Adelphi University—in its mission to provide a quality education for students and to prepare them for a productive and civilized life—realizes the importance of a drug-free campus and is therefore strongly committed to the prevention of substance abuse and the protection of the health, welfare and safety of its community.

To maintain an atmosphere conducive to this mission, the following policies, rules and standards have been implemented. They apply to all students, employees and their organizations, and are in accordance with all applicable federal, state and local laws.

A biennial review of this program will be conducted to determine its effectiveness and to update the implementation of the changes to the program, if necessary. This review will also ensure that the sanctions developed by the University are consistently enforced.

**Rules Governing the Use of Alcohol**

1. A student who is convicted of any crime involving the illegal use of alcoholic beverages on campus, or who is convicted of an offense under any other federal, state or local law, that is related to the unlawful possession, sale, manufacture, or utilization of an alcoholic beverage, shall be subject to review in accordance with the University's policies and procedures for student conduct.

2. Drinking and other activities may be restricted by the Campus Alcoholic Beverage Ordinance, the Village of Garden City, and the Village of Malverne.

3. Solicitation and intoxicated advertisements in University publications and media is prohibited.

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The University policies, rules and standards may be enforced, depending on the nature of the violation.

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**Health Risks Associated with the Use of Illicit Drugs and Alcohol**

**Alcohol Effects**

Alcohol consumption causes a number of marked changes in behavior. Even low doses significantly impair the judgment and coordination required to drive a car safely, increasing the likelihood that the driver will be involved in an accident. Low to moderate doses of alcohol also increase the incidence of a variety of aggressive acts, including assault and child abuse. Moderate to high doses of alcohol cause marked impairments in higher mental functions, severely altering a person’s ability to learn and remember information. Very high doses cause respiratory depression and death. If combined with other depressants of the central nervous system, much lower doses of alcohol will produce the effects just described.

Repeated use of alcohol can lead to dependence. Sudden cessation of alcohol intake is likely to produce withdrawal symptoms, including severe anxiety, tremors, hallucinations and convulsions. Alcohol withdrawal can be life threatening. Long-term consumption of large quantities of alcohol, particularly when combined with poor nutrition, can also lead to permanent damage to vital organs such as the brain and the liver.

**Counseling, Treatment and Education Programs**

The Student Counseling Center, 516.877.3646, a unit of the Division of Student Affairs, has been designated as the coordinating office for all matters regarding referrals for substance abuse counseling and/or treatment programs for students. The Center for Psychological Services, 516.877.4820, has been designated as the coordinating office for employees, who may be referred to the center by the Office of Human Resources. For on-campus counseling, information about or referrals to off-campus detoxification, inpatient and outpatient treatment programs, please contact the above offices.

During each semester, a program for new students that includes a seminar covering the use and abuse of illicit drugs and alcohol is provided. In addition, the University’s policies, rules and standards for maintaining a campus free of substance abuse, as well as available counseling, treatment and educational programs are reviewed.

**Legal Sanctions for Unlawful Possession and Distribution of Illicit Drugs and Alcohol**

It is not possible to exhaustively list all the applicable laws pertaining to controlled substances and alcohol. The following summary is provided as a guide. Adelphi University assumes no responsibility for changes to or errors in interpreting local, state or federal laws.

### Federal

Please see tables on last page for federal penalties and sanctions. In addition, students convicted of possession or sale of a controlled substance face a period of one year or more ineligibility for federal grants, loans or work assistance. Second and subsequent convictions result in ineligibility for five years.

### State

New York State law has a variety of sanctions for the criminal possession or sale of controlled substances, as well as criminal possession of a hyposmidetic drug, criminal injection of a narcotic drug, criminally using unregistered hypodermic needles, criminal possession of precursors of controlled substances and criminal sale of a prescription for a controlled substance. These offenses range from a Class B misdemeanor to a Class A felony with penalties ranging from a fine to 15 years imprisonment.

New York State’s Zero Tolerance Law applies to a person under 21 who operates a motor vehicle with a blood alcohol concentration of 0.02 percent or more, but not more than 0.07 percent. Procedures include an administrative hearing punishable by a license suspension for six months and a civil penalty of $125. If you have any prior alcohol-related traffic offenses on your record, your license will be revoked for one year or until you reach the age of 21, whichever is longer.

### Local

It is a violation of local ordinance to possess or consume alcoholic beverages in public and is punishable by a fine and/or imprisonment.