

College and University Substance Use Prevention and Intervention Programs

Recommendation 1

Option A - ABC:

1) - Amend the *Code of Virginia* to add §4.1-103.02(B) to direct the Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) Board to establish and seek the advice of the Virginia Institutions of Higher Education Substance Use Advisory Board to develop and update a statewide strategic plan for substance use education, prevention, and intervention at Virginia's public institutions of higher education and nonprofit private institutions of higher education.

This statewide strategic plan shall (i) incorporate the use of best practices, which may include, but not be limited to, student-led peer-to-peer education and college recovery programs; (ii) determine and provide for the collection of statewide school data on student alcohol and substance use and (iii) facilitate institutions of higher education in developing their individual strategic plans by including networking, resources, and training materials.

The ABC Board shall convene a group of representatives from Virginia's colleges and universities and such other members as the Board may require to make up the Virginia Institutions of Higher Education Substance Use Advisory Board. Membership on the Advisory Board shall be broadly representative of public and nonprofit private institutions of higher education. OR:

2) - Introduce a §1 bill to direct the Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) Board to establish and seek the advice of the Virginia Institutions of Higher Education Substance Use Advisory Committee to develop and update a statewide strategic plan for substance use education, prevention, and intervention at Virginia's public institutions of higher education and nonprofit private institutions of higher education.

This statewide strategic plan shall (i) incorporate the use of best practices, which may include, but not be limited to, student-led peer-to-peer education and college recovery programs; (ii) determine and provide for the collection of statewide school data on student alcohol and substance use and (iii) facilitate institutions of higher education in developing their individual strategic plans by including networking, resources, and training materials.

The ABC Board shall convene a group of representatives from Virginia's colleges and universities and such other members as the Board may require to make up the Virginia Institutions of Higher Education Substance Use Advisory Committee. Membership on the Advisory Committee shall be broadly representative of public and nonprofit private institutions of higher education. OR:

3) - Request the Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) Board to establish and seek the advice of the Virginia Institutions of Higher Education Substance Use Advisory Committee to develop and update a statewide strategic plan for substance use education, prevention, and intervention at Virginia's public institutions of higher education and nonprofit private institutions of higher education.

This request would call on the Board created committee to develop a statewide strategic plan that would (i) incorporate the use of best practices, which may include, but not be limited to, student-led peer-to-peer education and college recovery programs; (ii) determine and provide for the collection of statewide school data on student alcohol and substance use and (iii) facilitate institutions of higher education in developing their individual strategic plans by including networking, resources, and training materials.

The ABC Board would convene a group of representatives from Virginia's colleges and universities and such other members as the Board may require to make up the Virginia Institutions of Higher Education Substance Use Advisory Committee. Membership on the Advisory Committee would be broadly representative of public and nonprofit private institutions of higher education.

OR:

Recommendation 2

Option B - SCHEV:

1) - Amend the Code of Virginia to add §23.1-203.1 to direct the State Council of Higher Education to establish and seek the advice of the Virginia Institutions of Higher Education Substance Use Advisory Board, to develop and update a statewide strategic plan for substance use education, prevention, and intervention at Virginia's public institutions of higher education and nonprofit private institutions of higher education.

This statewide strategic plan shall (i) incorporate the use of best practices, which may include, but not be limited to, student-led peer-to-peer education and college recovery programs; (ii) determine and provide for the collection of statewide school data on student alcohol and substance use and (iii) facilitate institutions of higher education in developing their individual strategic plans by including networking, resources, and training materials.

The State Council of Higher Education shall convene a group of representatives from Virginia's colleges and universities and such other members as the Council may require to make up the Virginia Institutions of Higher Education Substance Use Advisory Board. Membership on the Advisory Board shall be broadly representative of public and nonprofit private institutions of higher education. OR:

2) - Introduce a §1 bill to direct the State Council of Higher Education to establish and seek the advice of the Virginia Institutions of Higher Education Substance Use Advisory Committee to develop and update a statewide strategic plan for substance use education, prevention, and intervention at Virginia's public institutions of higher education and nonprofit private institutions of higher education.

This statewide strategic plan shall (i) incorporate the use of best practices, which may include, but not be limited to, student-led peer-to-peer education and college recovery programs; (ii) determine and provide for the collection of statewide school data on student alcohol and substance use and (iii) facilitate institutions of higher education in developing their individual strategic plans by including networking, resources, and training materials.

The State Council of Higher Education shall convene a group of representatives from Virginia's colleges and universities and such other members as the Council may require to make up the Virginia Institutions of Higher Education Substance Use Advisory Committee. Membership on the Advisory Committee shall be broadly representative of public and nonprofit private institutions of higher education. OR:

3) - Request the State Council of Higher Education to establish and seek the advice of the Virginia Institutions of Higher Education Substance Use Advisory Committee to develop and update a statewide strategic plan for substance use education, prevention, and intervention at Virginia's public institutions of higher education and nonprofit private institutions of higher education.

This request would call on the Council created Committee to develop a statewide strategic plan that would (i) incorporate the use of best practices, which may include, but not be limited to, student-led peer-to-peer education and college recovery programs; (ii) determine and provide for the collection of statewide school data on student alcohol and substance use and (iii) facilitate institutions of higher education in developing their individual strategic plans by including networking, resources, and training materials.

The State Council of Higher Education would convene a group of representatives from Virginia's colleges and universities and such other members as the Council may require to make up the Virginia Institutions of Higher Education Substance Use Advisory Committee. Membership on the Advisory Committee would be broadly representative of public and nonprofit private institutions of higher education.