



Tanning Devices Prohibition Policy	
Responsible Official: Chief Operating Officer	Responsible Office: Facilities

Policy Purpose

This policy specifies that ETSU prohibits Tanning Devices use on university-controlled or rented property.

Policy Statement

East Tennessee State University enforces a strict prohibition on indoor Tanning Facilities or the use of Tanning Devices on university-controlled or rented property due to the significant health and safety risks of these facilities. In addition, ETSU will not permit any indoor tanning business to be included as an ID BUC\$ off-campus merchant. This policy applies to all students, faculty, staff, and visitors. Compliance with this policy is mandatory. Any infractions of this policy will be addressed in accordance with the university's disciplinary procedures.

Authority: Focus Act § 49-8-203, et seq.

Previous Policy: PPP-82

Defined Terms

Tanning Device Equipment that emits electromagnetic radiation having wavelengths in the air that is used for tanning of human skin. Such term shall not include a therapy device used under the supervision of or prescribed for use by a physician.

Tanning Facility Any location, place, area, structure, or business that provides persons access to any Tanning Device including, but not limited to, tanning salons, health clubs, gyms, student centers, dormitories, and mobile tanning units, regardless of whether or not a fee is charged or not for access to the tanning equipment.

Policy History

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Procedure

Effective Date: N/A

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Related Form(s)

Scope and Applicability

Primary:

Secondary: