ECB 91-11 SUBSTANCE ABUSE EDUCATION PROGRAMS

1. WHEREAS: Public Law 101-226, Section 26 (The Drug Free Schools and Communities Act Amendment of 1989), new section 1213, stipulates certain conditions be met before receiving federal funds, and
2. WHEREAS: The minimum requirements of this mandate have not been achieved necessary success, and
3. WHEREAS: The Substance Abuse Prevention/Education Program at USU is already working with the USU Athletic Department to further educate all athletes by presenting educational workshops.
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5. USU's officer to Substance Abuse Education programs as a precursor to receiving ASUSU funds.

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PROPOSED DRUG EDUCATION PROGRAM
FOR ALL USU STUDENTS

This one hour class would be presented once a year to every club, organization and athletic team on campus. It would provide very basic and elementary education to as many students as possible in a setting that is comfortable and supportive for them. Where possible, we will use student facilitators who are members of the club, organization or team and request the attendance and participation of the faculty advisor or coach.

If feasible, the presentation would be preceded by a confidential survey of the group that would identify possible areas needing extra emphasis. This would be administered at least one week prior to the presentation to ensure the topic would be covered.

Proposed Content

1. Rationale of alcohol and other drug training for students.
   Why is this important and what impact does it have on USU.

2. Rationale of A & other D training for advisors.
   What is the expected role of an advisor in relation to federal and school requirements.

   How can I recognize it in others. How can I tell if my alcohol or other drug use is becoming abuse and adversely affecting my life and my ecosystem?

4. What you can, and should, do.
   What do you do if you have a friend or acquaintance that's using alcohol or other drugs to cope with college life?

5. OSAPE - USU Substance Abuse Policy
   What our office is, does and where it's located. Substance Abuse policy on campus. Federal, state and local laws.


6. Other Referral Sources
   There IS help available
SEC. 22. DRUG-FREE SCHOOLS AND CAMPUSES.

(a) IN GENERAL.—

(1) CERTIFICATION OF DRUG AND ALCOHOL ABUSE PREVENTION PROGRAM.—Title XII of the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1001 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end a new section 1213 to read as follows:

"DRUG AND ALCOHOL ABUSE PREVENTION

"Sec. 1213. (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, no institution of higher education shall be eligible to receive funds or any other form of financial assistance under any Federal program, including participation in any federally funded or guaranteed student loan program, unless it certifies to the Secretary that it has adopted and has implemented a program to prevent the use of illicit drugs and the abuse of alcohol by students and employees that, at a minimum, includes—

"(1) the annual distribution to each student and employee of—

"(A) standards of conduct that clearly prohibit, at a minimum, the unlawful possession, use, or distribution of illicit drugs and alcohol by students and employees on its property or as part of any of its activities;

"(B) a description of the applicable legal sanctions under local, State, or Federal law for the unlawful possession or distribution of illicit drugs and alcohol;

"(C) a description of the health risks associated with the use of illicit drugs and the abuse of alcohol;

"(D) a description of any drug or alcohol counseling, treatment, or rehabilitation or re-entry programs that are available to employees or students; and

"(E) a clear statement that the institution will impose sanctions on students and employees (consistent with local, State, and Federal law), and a description of those sanctions, up to and including expulsion or termination of employment and referral for prosecution, for violations of the standards of conduct required by paragraph (A); and

"(2) a biennial review by the institution of its program to—

"(A) determine its effectiveness and implement changes to the program if they are needed; and

"(B) ensure that the sanctions required by paragraph (A) are consistently enforced."