I. Purpose:

To establish guidelines to ensure fair and just student disciplinary action as determined by the nature of the offense and to ensure the right of appeal

II. Procedure:

A. South Florida State College (SFSC) has established regulations governing student conduct which are considered necessary to preserve and maintain an environment conducive to learning, to ensure the safety and welfare of members of the College community, to encourage students in the development and practice of good citizenship and self-discipline, and to protect property and equipment of the College. Students who fail to observe College regulations or to maintain acceptable standards of personal conduct on the campus or at SFSC-sponsored functions or facilities are subject to disciplinary action. Violations of law will be referred to the appropriate law enforcement agency.

B. The Code of Student Conduct (Code) is published in the current Student Handbook (http://www.southflorida.edu/current-students/student-handbook). The Code contains proscribed conduct, judicial authority and process, and substantive/procedural due process. Each student, by registration, assumes the responsibility to become familiar with the Code and to abide by College regulations and acceptable standards of conduct.