

Higher Education Students Discipline Instructions Number (2) for the year 2009

Article One

A student is required to comply to the following regulations:

1. Strict Commitment to the applied laws, regulations, instructions, and orders issued by the University, Board of Technical Education, the Higher Council of Kurdistan Medical Specialties, College, or Institute.
2. Not to defaming the University Reputation, Board of Technical Education, the Higher Council of Kurdistan Medical Specialties, College, or Institute orally or/and action, inside or/and outside the university.
3. Avoiding any conduct that contradicts with the recognized academic behavior .Showing due respect to the teaching and administrative staff and showing the spirit of cooperation with colleagues.
4. Keeping discipline and maintaining the secure environment of the university, the college, the Institute or the department.
5. Maintaining the university property and other assets.
6. Avoiding any disturbance to the university Teaching. /Learning process.
7. Showing due respect and regard to religious and national values.

Article Two

A student will be given a warning notice in case that he shows disregard to the fraternity spirit among students or offending any of his colleagues.

Article Three

A student committing the following offences will be punished by warning notice:

- 1- If a student is having an active Advice notice, then committed another act that requires another a device notice.
- 2- If he did not recognize the academic environment within the University, college department, or Institute.
- 3- If he misbehaves with other students.

Article Four

The student will get a Reprimand penalty if he/she committed one the following:

1. Has been warned and the warning is still active, then committed another act that requires a second warning again.
2. Does not show due respect to any of the academic or administrative staff or any of his colleagues. .
3. If he inflicts damage to the university property due to negligence or deliberately. .

Article Five

The Student will be suspended from the university or college or institute for a period not exceeding one academic year, if he commits one of the following violations:

1. Receiving two Reprimands which are still active, then commits another act which requires another reprimand penalty during the study years.
2. If the student assaulted by action any member of the university, Board of Technical education or the Higher Council of Kurdistan Medical Specialties.
3. Posing an aggressive attitude towards one of his colleagues.
4. Carrying unauthorized weapon on the university campus, college or institute .
5. Inflicting damage to the property of university, Board of Technical Education or the higher Council of Kurdistan Supreme Medical Specialties, intentionally or not.
6. Breaching the national unity or touching badly upon religious beliefs, national unity or national feelings.
7. Showing disrespect to the University, the Board of Technical Education or the higher council of Kurdistan Medical Specialties faculty members or any of the lecturing individuals.
8. If the evidence are clear that the student is alcohol addict or drugs addicted within the university campus, The Board of Technical Education or the Higher Council of Kurdistan Medical Specialties College or institute.
9. Defaming the University, the Board of Technical Education or the Higher Council of Kurdistan Medical Specialties, verbally or physically.
10. Interrupting study at the university.

Article 6

The Student will be dismissed permanently from the University, the Board of Technical Education, the Higher Council of Kurdistan Medical Specialties, college or institute if he commits one of the following violations:

- 1- Reiterating one of the violations mentioned in article 5.
- 2- Launching actual assault on any of the University, the Board of Technical Education or the Higher Council of Kurdistan Medical Specialties, non- faculty members.
- 3- If he acts in contradiction to the recognized ethics and morals within the Institutions of higher Education.
- 4- If the student is convicted for a felony or misdemeanor of honor.
- 5- If there is clear evidence that the student administers drugs or alcohol on the campus, at the university , the Higher Council of Medical Specialties ,the college or the Institute.

Article 7

- 1- Applying these penalties on guilty student does not prevent imposing any other legal penalties according to the penalty code or any other laws.
- 2- If a criminal charge is filed against a student for an act carried out outside the university, The Higher Council of Medical Specialties, the Board of Technical Education, the college or the institute, a temporary measure might be taken until the judge gives the verdict.

Article 8

The Higher Council of Kurdistan Medical Specialties or the Dean of the college has to formulate a Student Disciplinary Committee headed by one of the faculty members whose academic rank is no less than” Assistant Professor “, including two of the teaching stuff whose ranks are no less than” Lecturer”. It should include a representative of the students as well. A committee formulated at technical institutes must include three faculty members and a representative of the students.

Article 9

Upon the occurrence of the acts set forth in Articles Fifth and Sixth of these regulations the committee considers the student's case and makes the appropriate recommendations to the president of the Higher council of Kurdistan Medical Specialties, or the Dean of the Institute for approval or making Further recommendations..

Article 10

1- The penalty of Warning or Reprimand or suspension for a period not exceeding one month is authorized to the dean.

2-The penalty of suspending for more than one month is authorized to the College Board or the institute.

3- The penalty of permanent and final dismiss from the University, Board of Technical Education Higher council of Kurdistan Medical Specialties, college, or technical institute is authorized to the heads of these organizations on the recommendation of the Faculty Council or the Institute.

Article 11

A suspended student , for a period not exceeding one year and not less than one month, from the university has the right to complain about the suspension decision to the heads of already mentioned agencies within fifteen days from the date of notification of the dismissal or the date of publication on the bulletin board at the college or institute .However if the student has been suspended permanently then he has the right to complain to the University Council ,The Council of Technical Education, or Higher Council of Kurdistan Medical Specialties, .The Council and its president, each are authorized to look into the complaint within fifteen days from the date of submission and make a decision on it.

Article 12

The punishment decision attached on the bulletin board in the college, or institute for no less than a week, informing the student guardian by a written letter, the punishment must be explained clearly to the student.

Article 13

These regulations to be published in the Official Gazette, They shall come into force from the date of the academic year (2009-2010)

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