**Policy Statement:** In the interest of promoting the health, well-being and safety of students, faculty, staff, campus visitors, and campus community the University of North Texas at Dallas prohibits smoking anywhere on university property and prohibits the use of smokeless tobacco products and electronic cigarettes (including the use of vaporizers) anywhere on university property.

**Application of Policy:** This policy applies to all students, faculty, staff, visitors, contractors and sub-contractors while on property owned or leased by UNT Dallas at all times.

**Definitions:**

1. **Smoking.** “Smoking” means inhaling and/or possessing a lit pipe, cigar, cigarette or any other smoking equipment filled with tobacco.

2. **Smokeless tobacco products.** “Smokeless tobacco products” means tobacco products including snuff, chewing tobacco, smokeless pouches or other forms of loose-leaf tobacco.

3. **University property.** “University property” means all indoor and outdoor areas and facilities owned, leased or controlled by the university, including but not limited to residence halls, academic and auxiliary buildings, athletic complexes and facilities, sidewalks, green spaces, parking lots and roadways, parking facilities, bus depots and all university-owned vehicles.

**Procedures and Responsibilities:**

1. **Smoking is prohibited on all UNT Dallas Property:** UNT Dallas prohibits smoking on all university property by all individuals, including contractors and subcontractors providing services on behalf of the university.

2. **Use of smokeless tobacco, e-cigarettes and vaporizers is prohibited on all UNT Dallas property:**
   
   UNT Dallas prohibits the use of smokeless tobacco, e-cigarettes, and vaporizers on all university property by all individuals, including contractors and sub-contractors providing services on behalf of the university.

3. **The sale and distribution of tobacco and nicotine products is prohibited on UNT Dallas property.**
4. **Violations:**

   a. An individual who witnesses a violation of this policy should initially seek voluntary compliance through an informal request to the individual.

   b. If informal requests for compliance are unsuccessful, the witness to the violation should contact Human Resources or Student Affairs.

   c. Repeat offenses may be referred for consideration in accordance with established administrative or disciplinary policies and procedures.

**Responsible Parties:**

All students, faculty, staff, visitors and other members of the campus community on university owned or leased property.

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