

Policy of Affirmative Consent

(Also Located Under Student Responsibilities located in the Student Handbook)

Students are expected to conform to a policy of affirmative consent to any sexual activity as it pertains to their conduct, while on campus or at any AAMI sponsored function or activity.

Consent to any sexual act or prior consensual sexual activity with a person does not constitute consent to any other sexual act with that person, is required regardless of whether the person initiating the act is under the influence of drugs and/or alcohol, and may be withdrawn at any time.

Consent cannot be given when a person is incapacitated, which occurs when an individual lacks the ability to knowingly choose to participate in sexual activity.

Incapacitation may be caused by the lack of consciousness or being asleep, being involuntarily restrained, or if an individual otherwise cannot consent.

Depending on the degree of intoxication, someone who is under the influence of alcohol, drugs or other intoxicants may be incapacitated and therefore unable to consent.

Consent cannot be given when it results from coercion, intimidation, force or threat of harm, and when withdrawn, requires stopping sexual activity.

See Appendix L, Definition of Sexual Consent.