

**BLUEFIELD STATE UNIVERSITY  
BOARD OF GOVERNORS  
POLICY NO. GA-604**

**ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON CAMPUS**

**SECTION 1. GENERAL**

- 1.1 Scope: This Rule establishes the policy for the use and possession of alcoholic beverages on campus.
- 1.2 Repeal of Former Rule – This Rule revises and replaces Series 42, effective July 8, 1975, which was amended, effective March 21, 2002.
- 1.3 This Rule replaces Title 131, Legislative Rule, Series 42.
- 1.4 Effective Date: April 24, 2025.
- 1.5 Purpose: It is not the purpose of this Policy to promote or condone the possession or sale of beer, wine or other alcoholic beverages on or in property or facilities (including student housing) of Bluefield State University, but to regulate such possession within strict guidelines.

**SECTION 2. POLICY**

- 2.1 The possession or use of beer, wine or other alcoholic beverages is prohibited on or in property or facilities (including student housing) of Bluefield State University, except as herein provided:
  - 2.1.1 In dwellings located thereon and occupied as a family residence.
  - 2.1.2 On such property or in such locations as authorized by the President or the President's designee, on a case-by-case basis consistent with the following rules:
    - 2.1.2.1 Wine, beer or other alcoholic beverages will not be the primary reason for the gathering.
    - 2.1.2.2 The preponderance of those attending must be of legal drinking age.
    - 2.1.2.4 No person under the legal drinking age will be served.
    - 2.1.2.5 Alternative non-alcoholic beverages will be available.
    - 2.1.2.6 Anyone serving such beverages must be appropriately trained to adhere to all laws and regulations regarding such service.
    - 2.1.2.7 No state funds will be used to purchase such wine, beer or other alcoholic beverages.