


First Unitarian Universalist Church Columbus, Ohio 	Policies and Procedures
Chapter: I. Conduct	Source:
Title: Youth Smoking	
Approved by: Board of Trustees	Date Approved: 2001
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Policy: Youth Smoking: We strongly discourage smoking at youth group events. If parents do not know the youth smokes, the youth will not smoke at First UU. We prefer that youth NOT SMOKE AT ALL, and will make every possible effort to communicate that message to youth at our church. We cannot, however, forbid smoking by anyone who is of legal age or already smokes around their parents. For those rare exceptions, we insist that the smoker smokes outside at the provided ashtrays, and that the smoker clean up all cigarette butts, matches and empty packs.

Rationale or Reference: The members of the junior and senior high youth groups have discussed the issue of smoking and have decided that we have the power to make rules for youth ONLY DURING YOUTH GROUP RELATED EVENTS. It is our intention to comply with Ohio Legislature r.C. 2151.87(C); effective March 15, 2001