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**WAC 246-341-0746 Outpatient services—Substance use disorder information and assistance services—Alcohol and drug information school.** Alcohol and drug information school services provide an educational program about substance use. These services are for an individual referred by a court or other jurisdiction(s) who may have been assessed and determined not to require treatment. An agency providing alcohol and drug information school services must:

- (1) Ensure courses are taught by a substance use disorder professional, a substance use disorder professional trainee, or a person who has received documented training in:
  - (a) Effects of alcohol and other drugs;
  - (b) Patterns of use;
  - (c) Current laws and regulations pertaining to substance use violations, and consequences of the violations; and
  - (d) Available resources and referral options for additional services that may be appropriate for the individual.
- (2) Ensure the curriculum:
  - (a) Provides no less than eight hours of instruction for each course;
  - (b) Includes a post-test for each course after the course is completed;
  - (c) Includes a certificate of completion; and
  - (d) Covers the following topics:
    - (i) Information about the effects of alcohol and other drugs;
    - (ii) Patterns of use; and
    - (iii) Current laws, including Washington state specific laws and regulations, and consequences related to substance use violations.
- (3) Ensure each student be advised that there is no assumption the student has a substance use disorder and that the course is not a therapy session;
- (4) Ensure each individual student record contains:
  - (a) An intake form, including demographics;
  - (b) The hours of attendance, including dates; and
  - (c) A copy of the scored post-test.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 71.24.037, 71.05.560, 71.34.380, 18.205.160, 71.24.037 and chapters 71.05, 71.24, and 71.34 RCW. WSR 21-12-042, § 246-341-0746, filed 5/25/21, effective 7/1/21. Statutory Authority: 2018 c 201 and 2018 c 291. WSR 19-09-062, § 246-341-0746, filed 4/16/19, effective 5/17/19.]

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  - (a) Effects of alcohol and other drugs;

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- (2) Ensure the curriculum:
- (a) Provides no less than eight hours of instruction for each course;
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- (3) Ensure each student be advised that there is no assumption the student has a substance use disorder and that the course is not a therapy session;
- (4) Ensure each individual student record contains:
- (a) An intake form, including demographics;
  - (b) The hours of attendance, including dates; and
  - (c) A copy of the scored post-test.
- (5) An agency providing alcohol and drug information school services must include in the individual service record a copy of an assessment, if the individual was assessed, that indicates the individual does not have a substance use disorder.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 71.24.037, 71.05.560, 71.34.380, 18.205.160, 43.70.080(5), 41.05.750, 43.70.250, and 74.09.520 and chapters 71.05, 71.12, 71.24 and 71.34 RCW. WSR 22-24-091, § 246-341-0746, filed 12/6/22, effective 5/1/23. Statutory Authority: RCW 71.24.037, 71.05.560, 71.34.380, 18.205.160, 71.24.037 and chapters 71.05, 71.24, and 71.34 RCW. WSR 21-12-042, § 246-341-0746, filed 5/25/21, effective 7/1/21. Statutory Authority: 2018 c 201 and 2018 c 291. WSR 19-09-062, § 246-341-0746, filed 4/16/19, effective 5/17/19.]