

<p align="center">New Hampshire Department of Safety Division of Fire Standards and Training & Emergency Medical Services</p>	<p align="center">POLICY</p>
<p align="center">NAME: NHBSL Practical Examinations Code of Conduct & Removal</p>	<p align="center">EFFECTIVE DATE: 8/21/2018</p>

INTRODUCTION:

The purpose of this is to establish a behavioral guideline for participants of any Division of Fire Standards and Training & Emergency Medical Services (FST&EMS), Basic Life Support Practical Examination.

Any participant at a Division of FST&EMS authorized practical examination who is either impaired/appears to be under the influence, or is being disruptive, will be asked to leave from exam site.

If the participant is either removed, or asked to leave the examination, this shall be considered a failed attempt of the practical examination.

Examples of disruptive and/or unacceptable behavior could include, but are not limited to:

- Under the influence and/or impaired by alcohol, drugs or other substances
- Possession of a weapon (gun, knife, etc.)
- Use of foul language
- Argumentative, rude, or disrespectful behavior
- Threats made to any exam participants
- Children under 16 years of age who are not part of the exam
- Pets (excludes Service Dogs)
- Electronic devices, e.g. cell phones, pagers, computers, music, etc.
- Any unauthorized viewing and/or handling of administrative exam paperwork

A NH EMS Incident Report Form shall be filed by Examination Staff Personnel should a candidate be removed from the exam for any reason.

Appeals are in accordance with Saf-C 200.