

Policy Change Log - August 2021

Major Edits

Major edits include anything that alters the purpose or effect of the document.

Title

[COVID-19 Community Standards](#)

The COVID-19 Community Standards describe the behaviors all Carolina community members are expected to follow during the pandemic.

The Roadmap Implementation Team made changes to the COVID-19 Community Standards based on lessons learned from the Fall and Spring semesters in addition to changes in state and local mandates and ordinances.

The COVID-19 Community Standards are:

- Get Vaccinated
- Face Masks
- Practice Healthy Habits and Be Respectful
- Carolina Together Testing Program
- Contact Tracing and Quarantine/Isolation Requirements

[706 - Student Payments Paid via Accounts Payable Campus Vouchers Policy](#)

The policy provides guidance for entering student payments in the Accounts Payable campus voucher system.

This policy was retired in January 2021 because it provided conflicting information regarding student financial aid payments processed in Accounts Payable. This version correctly routes those payments to GradStar.

This updated version correctly describes the scope of Accounts Payable payments for students (mainly reimbursements) and guides departments to enter their student financial aid transactions in GradStar, not in Accounts Payable campus vouchers.

[1502 - Policy on Allowable Travel Expenses, Lodging, and Per Diem Rates](#)

Updating the subsistence rates (lodging and per diem) for the 2021 - 2023 biennium. The state increased these rates by approximately 5% and they will be in effect from 7/1/2021 - 6/30/2023.