MEMORANDUM

TO: All Employees and visitors to the Stamford Campus

FROM: Dr. Sharon White, Campus Director

DATE: August 19, 2014

RE: Outside Smoking Rules for the Stamford Campus

In an effort to promote a healthy and safe environment for students, faculty, staff, and visitors, leadership of the Stamford Campus within the campus building have agreed upon rules for smoking outside. These rules are intended to reduce the health risks related to the secondhand smoke that enters the building when people smoke near the building entrances. The rules are consistent with the UConn smoking task force’s recommendations.

Individuals choosing to smoke outdoors are requested to remain at least 25 feet from all doorways, open windows, enclosed walkways, patio areas, and ventilation systems to prevent smoke from entering enclosed buildings and facilities, and to prevent public access from being denied to an individual with a respiratory medical condition. Smoking is defined as the burning of tobacco or any other material in any type of smoking equipment including but not restricted to cigarettes, cigars, e-cigarettes or pipes.