The Office of Student Conduct

Conduct Process:

**REFERRAL TO STUDENT CONDUCT**

The University Conduct Officer initiates an initial meeting with the student after receiving a report of a violation.

The conduct officer may dismiss the case if there is insufficient evidence. The standard of proof TAMUCT operates under is a “more likely than not” standard.

OR the student may choose not to dispute the facts and accept an administrative disposition,

OR the student may choose a formal hearing. If a violation of 4.12 of the Code, then administrative disposition is not an option.

**ADMINISTRATIVE DISPOSITION**

Students have the option of appealing the decision by submitting an appeal request within 48 hours. After 48 hours, the decision is final.

**FORMAL HEARING**

After hearing the facts involved, the conduct officer may dismiss the case or find the student responsible and issue a sanction.

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**APPEALS**

The appellate process can result in the following:

1) Appellate body upholds the decision regarding both the facts and the sanction, OR;

2) Appellate body requests the lower hearing body to review with instructions attached.