

# I CARE

**The I CARE program is intended to provide a safe place to help students.**  
Once a student is enrolled in the counseling process, the only information given to the Deans' Office is when a student has completed/ not completed counseling recommendations, or if more treatment is needed.

## Who is Eligible for I Care?

Any student referred or who chooses to come forward for being under the influence of and/or in possession of nicotine products (including electronic delivery devices), alcohol, or other controlled substances.

## What is I Care?

1. Student signs I CARE contract
2. Student will meet with a licensed counselor to get a substance abuse evaluation, and follow all recommendations.
3. Student will meet with a School Clinician for one year. Frequency is determined at the time of assessment.
4. Students will get random substance screening for at least one year from program start date.
5. Students may become eligible for less treatment support after one year of compliance.

## Discipline **vs.** I Care

Discipline applies when a student is **found** under the influence of and/or in possession of nicotine products (including electronic delivery devices), alcohol, and other controlled substances.

## Communication

The Dean's Office will notify guardian(s) of students upon entering into the I CARE program. Recommendations from the Counseling Program will be sent to both the student and their guardian(s).

## Honesty

Any student referred to I Care is required to be fully truthful and cooperative. Failure to do so will result in a discipline action and the students' placement at The Hill School could be jeopardized.

## Compliance

Rejecting the I CARE program or treatment recommendation(s) can put a student's position at Hill in jeopardy.

In addition, knowingly creating a false I Care report will result in disciplinary actions

## Contacts and Further Information

Deans Office:  
Deans'Office@thehill.org  
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Refer to pages 69 and 70 of the Hill School Handbook for further information

