

## Policy and Procedure # 647

## **Use of Tobacco Products**

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## POLICY:

EFI wishes to put forth the healthiest possible workplace. Therefore, no person may smoke in a public place or in any place of employment. This includes EFI client homes, EFI office locations and EFI owned vehicles.

REFERENCES: RCW 70.160 Smoking in public places (formerly Washington clean indoor air act)

## PROCEDURES:

- 1. Use of Tobacco products, which includes chewing tobacco, snuff, and electronic nicotine delivery systems i.e. "Vapes" or E-cigarettes, by EFI employees while on shift is only allowed if:
  - a. Employees are on a break in designated smoking area (subject to lease agreements or client requests).
  - b. Designated smoking areas as designated by the Executive Director will be a minimum of twenty-five feet from entrances, exits, windows that open, and ventilation intakes.
- 2. Employees that do not comply with this policy may be subjected to corrective action up to and including termination.