



**PIERCE**  
COLLEGE  
**Library and Media Services**  
**Operational Policies and Procedures**

### **Internet Acceptable Use**

#### **Policy**

Washington State law specifically, "...prohibits the transmission of any information that promotes discrimination on the basis of age, sex, marital status, race, creed, color, national origin, sensory, mental or physical handicap, or sexual preference; sexual harassment; copyright infringement; personal beliefs or personal business interest; or any unlawful activity." (Executive Order 91-10) (Implemented in conjunction with RCW 40.14, RCW 42.17)

In addition to state law, Pierce College Library upholds the Pierce College Information Systems Resources (CISR) Acceptable Use Policy.

Internet use in the Pierce College Library is primarily for the purpose of facilitating the exchange of information in furtherance of education and research. Internet users in the Pierce College Library shall respect the rights and property of all others and shall NOT improperly access, misappropriate or misuse the information/files of other users. Pierce College Library may withdraw privileges in using the Internet if there are violations of this policy.

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