

Proposal that NWU Evanston and Chicago campuses be made smoke-free:

This proposal is based on the fact that dormitories and other university buildings on both campuses are currently smoke-free. Legally, those who smoke must leave the building and stand at least 25 feet away from the building entrance. This can sometimes make a cloud of smoke as a barrier for those entering the building. Making the campuses smoke-free will eliminate this smoke barrier. Therefore, the Benefits Committee recommends that Northwestern University make both the Evanston and Chicago campuses smoke-free zones.

The proposed start date is September 1, 2013.

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