

## **BEAU'S LAW PARENTAL NOTIFICATION POLICY**

In accordance with FERPA and New York State Education Law §6438-d (Beau's Law), MSON **may notify** a parent, guardian, or emergency contact when a student under 21 years of age is involved in one or more of the following, including but not limited to: (i) a violation of MSON's Code of Conduct or other MSON policies related to alcohol and controlled substances; (ii) a violation of federal, state, or local laws involving alcohol or controlled substances; and/or (iii) an alcohol or controlled substance related incident, including a medical emergency, hospitalization, overdose, or other circumstance presenting a concern for the student's health or safety.

Notification determinations are made on a case-by-case basis, considering the totality of the circumstances. The MSON Dean or Dean's designee will determine whether notification is warranted.