



SC HOSA
2026 STATE LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE
ADVISOR/CHAPERONE/PARENT/GUEST
CODE OF CONDUCT

- 1. Advisors, Chaperones, Parents, and Guests play an essential role in creating a positive and successful experience for students at SC HOSA SLC. As leaders, they are expected to model integrity, leadership, professionalism, good sportsmanship, and to consistently serve as positive Ambassadors for all students.
2. It is essential that all Advisors, Chaperones, Parents, and Guests understand and comply with the established procedures in the organization that safeguard the rights of all members.
3. The conduct of the student is the responsibility of the individual student and the local chapter advisor.
4. During any HOSA-related activities, including those involving additional safety protocols, Advisors, Chaperones, Parents, and Guests bear responsibility for themselves and their students. All students should know your location and how to contact you in the event of an emergency.
o To ensure the safety of students, it is important to establish appropriate and clear rules and guidelines, including but not limited to the following:
• Preventing students from loitering in hotel and conference center hallways and lobbies
• Requiring that students remain under the supervision of a chapter advisor or chaperone when in the pool area
• Ensuring students travel in groups of three or more when not in their assigned room.
• Requiring students to wear conference nametags at ALL conference events and removing the nametag when leaving the conference.
• Accompanying students after 6:00 PM, whether they are outside the hotel or still on the conference premises. Advisors should refrain from leaving their students unchaperoned for shopping or dining purposes.
• Ensuring your SC HOSA students are safe and secure in their rooms in compliance with the hotel's quiet time policy and the SC HOSA curfew starting at 10:00 PM

ADDITIONAL ADVISOR RESPONSIBILITIES:

- 1. If students violate any school, district, or SC HOSA regulations, you will be responsible for sending them home, as per established protocol.
o Advisors must inform school administration and parents if any safety protocols from your school, district, or SC HOSA are breached. It is not the responsibility of SC HOSA management to contact parents or administrators about your student's behavior.
2. HOSA advisors take pride in upholding a standard of excellence for themselves and their students. It's important to note that attendance at any HOSA event means accepting and adhering to these guidelines. Failure to comply may result in certain consequences. HOSA Advisors may not purchase, consume or be under the influence of alcohol or drugs while in attendance at the SC HOSA State Leadership Conference. Should a HOSA advisor/chaperone not fulfill their duties or display inappropriate behavior, several actions may be taken by the SC HOSA Board of Directors:
o Contacting school administration.
o Submitting a written report to the school district.
o Disallowing advisor/chaperone from attendance and participation in future SC HOSA and International HOSA activities.
o Removal of a teacher from their role as an official HOSA advisor.
3. In order to provide a successful and well-rounded SLC, all advisors are expected to assist on Thursday in either the competitive events program or the educational symposium.

School name: Administrator/Director name: Print name

After-hour phone number for your Administrator/Director: ()

Advisor/Chaperone/Guest: Date: Print name

Advisor/Chaperone/Guest: Handwritten signature, no electronic signatures accepted