

SAFE SLO

Party Smart



THE FACTS

If you host a party or gathering, you are responsible for making sure no one under the age of 21 possess or consume alcohol (SLO Social Host Ordinance — Municipal Code Section 9.05.010). If anyone under 21 is drinking at your party, you will be held criminally liable.

A violation is a misdemeanor and convictions go on your criminal record.

FINES

1st offense: \$350

2nd offense: \$700 within 12 months

3rd offense: \$1,000 within 12 months

Additional court costs will be added to all fines.

HOSTING TIPS

Here are some tips to help you comply with the law:

- Keep your gatherings small and in control.
- Do not violate the noise ordinance or disturb your neighbors.
- Control who attends your party — know who is there and how old they are.
- Do not let people off the street come into your party.
- Check IDs if necessary.
- If things get out of control, call the Police Department for help before someone else complains.

For more information,
<http://hcs.calpoly.edu/safe-n-slo>

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SLOPD
Sierra Vista Hospital
University Police Department