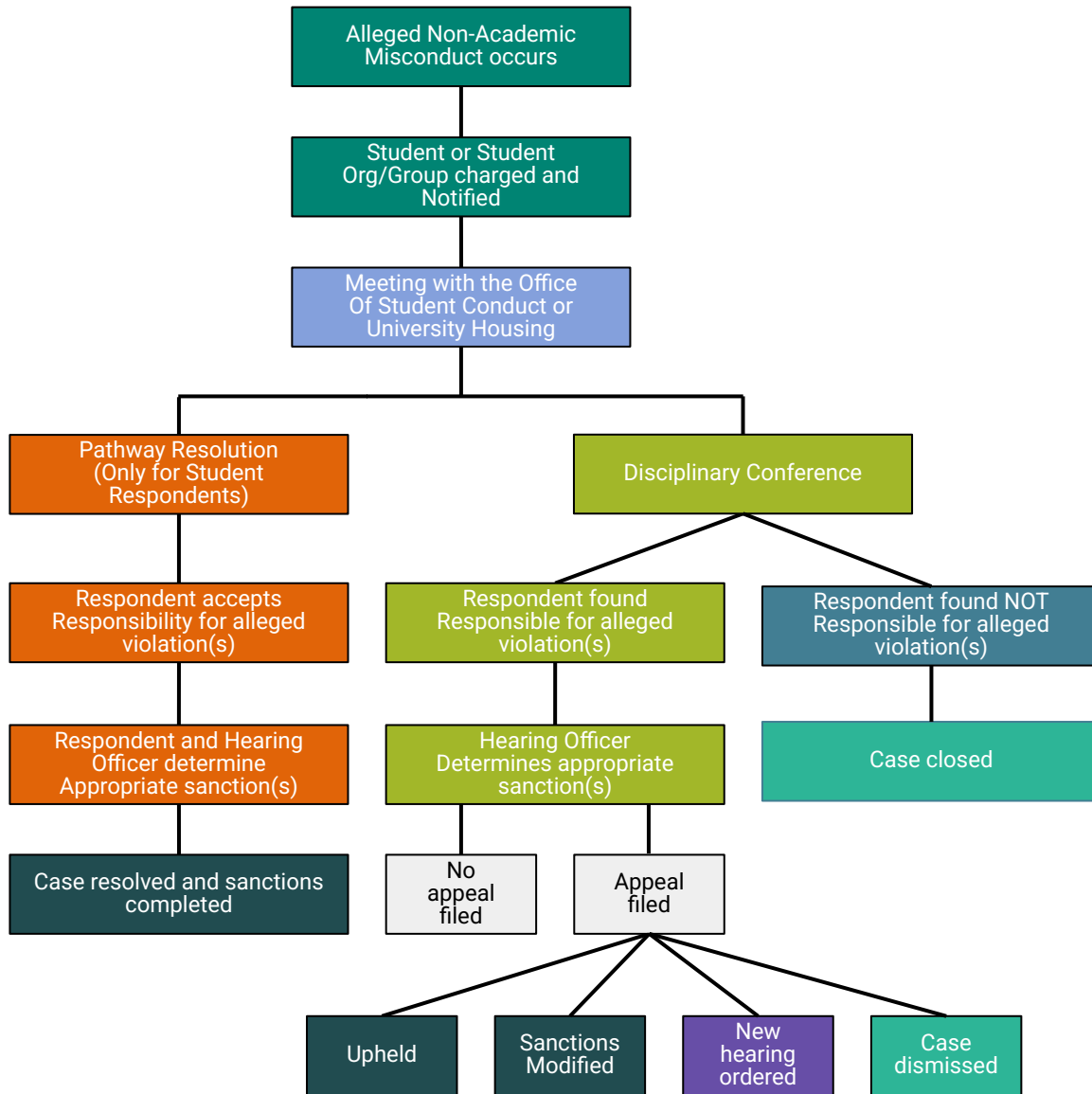


Minor Non-Academic Misconduct Disciplinary Process

Non-Academic Misconduct is outlined in Section 10 of the Code of Student Conduct and terms used in the disciplinary process are defined in the Student Discipline Procedures. Please note that this process applies to students and student organizations/groups.



*"Minor violation" means a violation of the Code for which the possible sanctions are less than suspension or expulsion.

Definitions

5.1 Pathway Resolution

Under NC State REG 11.35.02, a Respondent with no prior conduct history who is charged with and accepts responsibility for Minor Violation(s) may elect to resolve their case via a process called "Pathway Resolution." If this process is elected, the Respondent will work with a Hearing Officer to identify and select appropriate educational interventions (called "pathways") designed to support the Respondent's identified goals and needs and to prevent the behavior from recurring. Some examples of pathways include substance use awareness intervention, academic support services, professional development opportunities, and wellness coaching.

As part of the Pathway Resolution process, after considering the nature of the violation and any other relevant facts and circumstances, the Hearing Officer will determine whether, in addition to the educational interventions/pathways identified and selected by the Respondent, sanctions (such as a Written Warning, Disciplinary Probation, Housing Probation, restitution, parental notification, etc.) are appropriate and required. The Pathway Resolution must be made voluntarily and be signed by both the Respondent and the administrator resolving the incident. The Pathway Resolution option results in a final decision that cannot be appealed.

5.2 Disciplinary Conference (Appendix A)

Under NC State REG 11.35.02, in cases involving the review of an alleged Minor Violation of the Code where the Respondent chooses not to engage in or is ineligible for a Pathway Resolution, the Office of Student Conduct or University Housing may conduct a "Disciplinary Conference," which will consist of a non-adversarial meeting between the Respondent and a staff member from the Office of Student Conduct or University Housing. The office conducting the Disciplinary Conference will be determined by the nature of the charge. The procedures outlined in Appendix A will be followed regardless of whether the Office of Student Conduct or University Housing conducts the conference.

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