

**218A.1404 Prohibited activities relating to controlled substances -- Penalties.**

- (1) No person shall traffic in any controlled substance except as authorized by law.
- (2) No person shall possess any controlled substance except as authorized by law.
- (3) No person shall dispense, prescribe, distribute, or administer any controlled substance except as authorized by law.
- (4) Unless another specific penalty is provided in this chapter, any person who violates the provisions of subsection (1) or (3) of this section shall be guilty of a Class D felony for the first offense and a Class C felony for subsequent offenses and any person who violates the provisions of subsection (2) of this section shall be guilty of a Class A misdemeanor for the first offense and a Class D felony for subsequent offenses.

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