

CONTENT BASED RATING

G

Movie Rating Equivalent

0

- Mild non-explicit violence
- **No** Nudity
- **No** Profanity
- **No** References to Sexual Activities
- **No** Drug or Alcohol Use

PG

Movie Rating Equivalent

1

- Mild Profanity
- Non-Sexual Nudity
- **No** References to Sexual Activities
- **No** Drug or Alcohol Use

PG-13

Movie Rating Equivalent

2

- Moderate Violence
- **Inexplicit Sexual** Nudity/Sexual Activities
- Drug or Alcohol Use

R

Movie Rating Equivalent

3

- Explicit violence
- Explicit/Frequent Use of Profanity
- Sexual Nudity
- References to Sexual Activities
(NOT involving penetration, cunnilingus, fellatio, or ejaculation)
- Drug or Alcohol Abuse

NC-17

Movie Rating Equivalent

4

- Explicit Sexual Nudity
(depictions of sexual organs in a state of arousal)
- “Obscene” References to Sexual Activities
(involving anal, oral, or vaginal intercourse; fingering, anilingus, or ejaculation)

NC-17+

Movie Rating Equivalent

5

- Explicit References to **Aberrant** Sexual Activities
(sexual assault/battery, bestiality, or sadomasochistic abuse)

DEFINITIONS

Aberrant: deviant

Drug/Alcohol Abuse: the habitual use of illicit drugs/alcohol

Excess: exceeding a reasonable limit; extreme in frequency, intensity or severity.

Explicit Violence: Realistic depictions of physical conflict. May involve extreme and/or realistic depictions of human injury/death involving blood, gore Depictions of blood or the mutilation of body part

Gore: Depictions of blood or the mutilation of body part

Mild: low frequency, intensity or severity.

Moderate: reasonable limit; not extreme in frequency, intensity or severity.

Nudity : Depiction of human male or female genitals, pubic area, or of a female breast without a covering of any portion thereof below the top of the nipple, or of male genitals in a turgid state.

Obscene: material "the average person, applying contemporary community standards," would judge as appealing primarily to prurient interests; (2) "the work depicts or describes, in a patently offensive way, sexual conduct specifically defined by the applicable state law"; and (3) the work "lacks serious literary, artistic, political, or scientific value."

Patently Offensive: so offensive on its face as to affront current community standards of decency.

Prurient: having or encouraging an excessive interest in sexual matters.

Violence: behavior involving physical force intended to hurt, damage, or kill someone or something.