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ANNUAL CAMPUS SAFETY AND SECURITY REPORT

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The information in this report is provided to meet the requirements of the Jeanne Clery Campus Safety Act and the Michael Minger Life Safety Act.

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Introduction

The University of Kentucky (University) publishes the Annual Safety and Security Report in compliance with the Jeanne Clery Campus Safety Act (Clery Act). This report, completed and distributed each year by October 1st, is designed to disclose to the campus community the procedures, practices, and programs the University of Kentucky uses to ensure student and employee safety and facility security. This report also serves to meet the requirements of the Commonwealth of Kentucky Michael Minger Life Safety Act (Minger Act).

The report includes statistics for the previous three calendar years concerning reported crimes (arrests and citations) and referrals as specified by the Clery Act. Statistics provided are for those having occurred on Clery-defined geography (on campus, on non-campus property that is owned/controlled by the University and frequented by students, and on public property within or immediately adjacent/accessible to campus). Recorded statistics may be reported by the University of Kentucky Police Department (UKPD), other law enforcement agencies, and campus security authorities (CSAs) as defined by the Clery Act and designated by the University.

This report includes information for the University of Kentucky Main Campus and eleven separate campuses: Little Research Center, North Farm, South Farm, Robinson Forest, West Kentucky Research and Education Center, Paducah Campus, Hazard Campus, Bowling Green Campus – College of Medicine, Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Highland Heights), Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Edgewood), and UK St. Claire. Policies and procedures outlined in this document apply to all University of Kentucky campuses, unless otherwise specified.

Be advised this document may use “victim,” “survivor,” and “complainant” interchangeably. The terms “perpetrator,” “offender,” “suspect,” and “respondent” may also be used interchangeably.

To view the Annual Safety and Security Report, visit <https://police.uky.edu/get-informed/annual-safety-security-reports>. Click on the year you wish to view. To obtain a printed copy of the Annual Safety and Security Report, please contact UKPD at (859) 257-9567 or email clery.compliance@uky.edu. The crime log is available online at <https://www.uky.edu/crimelog/>. A hard copy of the crime log is available in the lobby of UKPD at 152 Transcript Avenue, Lexington KY.

We encourage our campus community to review this report and refer back to it as needed. If you should have any questions, contact UKPD at (859) 257-9567 or clery.compliance@uky.edu.

Campus Security Act Legal Requirements

Federal Law (The Clery Act): In 1990, Congress enacted the Crime Awareness and Campus Security Act of 1990, which amended the Higher Education Act of 1965 (HEA). This act required all post-secondary institutions participating in HEA's Title IV student financial assistance programs to disclose campus crime statistics and security information. Amendments in 1998 renamed the law the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act in memory of a student who was the victim of criminal actions in her dorm room in 1986. It is generally referred to as the Clery Act. The act was most recently amended in 2013 adding Violence Against Women Act requirements and in 2024 adding hazing crime requirements and renaming the law the Jeanne Clery Campus Safety Act.

The Clery Act contains specific campus safety and security-related requirements. Every institution must do the following:

- Collect, classify, and count crime reports and crime statistics
- Issue campus warnings and notifications
- Provide educational programs and campaigns
- Identify and train CSAs
- Disclose procedures for institutional disciplinary action in cases of dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking
- Publish an annual security report
- Submit crime and fire statistics to the US Department of Education
- Maintain a daily crime log of alleged criminal incidents if the institution maintains a campus police or security department
- Disclose missing student notification procedures and fire safety information if the institution maintains on-campus student housing facilities

For more information, see the Clery Act Appendix for FSA Handbook (October 2020) available at <https://www.ed.gov/teaching-and-administration/safe-learning-environments/school-safety-and-security/campus-security#handbook>.

State Law (The Minger Act): The Michael Minger Life Safety Act (Minger Act) requires institutions of higher education in Kentucky to report campus crimes to students and employees. Additionally, the Minger Act requires institutions to maintain a daily crime log, to report a fire or threat of fire to the State Fire Marshal immediately, and to issue special reports when there is an ongoing threat to the safety of students and employees. Institutions must submit an annual report of campus safety policies, programs, and statistics to the Kentucky Council on Postsecondary Education (CPE).

Compliance

Designated compliance offices are detailed in Administrative Regulation 6:7 *Policy on Disclosure of Campus Security and Crime Statistics*. Full text is available at: <https://regs.uky.edu/administrative-regulation/ar-67> .

Campus Safety and Security Compliance

The University of Kentucky Police Department, Division of Crisis Management and Preparedness (CMP) is designated as the Clery and Minger Compliance Office and is responsible for all aspects in regard to safety and security such as:

- Ensuring that the University maintains compliance with all requirements of these Acts;
- Preparing and submitting annual reports pursuant to the Clery and Minger Acts; and
- Working with UKPD to make the daily crime log available to the public and coordinating the release of immediate notifications and timely warnings.

Each year CMP prepares the Annual Safety and Security Report in compliance with the requirements of the Clery Act and the Minger Act. This report includes safety and security-related policies and procedures as well as statistics for the three previous calendar years concerning crimes on Clery-defined geography. This report includes information for the University of Kentucky Main Campus and eleven separate campuses: Little Research Center, North Farm, South Farm, Robinson Forest, West Kentucky Research and Education Center, Paducah Campus, Hazard Campus, Bowling Green Campus – College of Medicine, Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Highland Heights), Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Edgewood), and UK St. Claire. Policies and procedures outlined in this document apply to all University of Kentucky campuses unless otherwise specified.

Fire Safety Compliance

The University Fire Marshal, as part of the Office of Environmental Health and Safety, is responsible for all aspects in regard to fire, such as:

- Reporting fires, threats of fire, and fire alarms to the State Fire Marshal's Office pursuant to the Minger Act;
- Preparing and submitting the Annual Fire Report pursuant to the Clery Act;
- Providing the Division of Crisis Management and Preparedness with annual fire statistics; and
- Making the daily fire log available to the public.

Each year the University Fire Marshal prepares the Annual Fire Safety Report in compliance with Clery Act and Minger Act. This report includes statistics for the three previous calendar years concerning fires or threats of fire in resident halls, Greek housing, graduate housing, or at any facility designated as a place of residence for students. Statistics provided are for those having occurred on Clery-defined geography. The report includes annual fire statistics, a description of fire safety systems, yearly fire drills, policies on portable electrical appliances, furniture, decorations, bicycles/motorized scooters, open flames, evacuation procedures, fire safety education and training, and contact information. This report includes information for the University of

Kentucky Main Campus and eleven separate campuses: Little Research Center, North Farm, South Farm, Robinson Forest, West Kentucky Research and Education Center, Paducah Campus, Hazard Campus, Bowling Green Campus – College of Medicine, Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Highland Heights), Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Edgewood), and UK St. Claire. Policies and procedures outlined in this document apply to all University of Kentucky campuses unless otherwise specified.

To view or to obtain a copy of the University of Kentucky Annual Fire Safety Report visit the University Fire Marshal website at <https://fire.uky.edu/> and click on the year you wish to view or contact the University Fire Marshal at (859) 257-6326.

How to Reach University of Kentucky Police Department

How to Reach UKPD

Physical & Mailing Address:

152 Transcript
Lexington, KY 40508-0023

Emergency: 911 from a campus land line phone; #UKPD from a cell phone

Non-Emergency/Lost and Found: (859) 257-UKPD (8573)

Police Operations: (859) 218-2367

Special Victims Unit: (859) 562-2223

Records: (859) 257-8573

Crisis Management and Preparedness: (859) 218-8174

Community Services: (859) 218-2352

UK HealthCare Security: (859) 323-6156

PR/Media: (859) 230-9086

Human Resources/Employment: (859) 218-5347

WildCard ID: General Campus:
160 Avenue of Champions, Suite A380, Gatton Student Center
(859) 257-1378 IDoffice@uky.edu

UK HealthCare
1000 S. Limestone St., UK Albert B. Chandler Hospital
(859) 323-2356 SecurityIDbadges@uky.edu

How to Find Information in an Emergency

On Social Media	Like the University of Kentucky and UKPD on Facebook, and follow @universityofky and @UKPolice on X.
On Your Cell Phone	Watch for texts or phone calls (through UK Alert) if there is confirmation of a significant emergency or dangerous situation occurring on campus that involves an immediate threat to the health or safety of the campus community.
On the Web	Visit www.uky.edu/alerts for updates during an emergency situation.
By Email	Check your official UK email after an emergency for additional information.



Overview of University of Kentucky Police Department

UKPD is responsible for a full range of services including crime reports, investigations, medical emergencies, fire emergencies, traffic collisions, enforcement of state laws, and all other incidents requiring police assistance. UKPD received its accreditation through the Kentucky Association of Chiefs of Police (KACP). UKPD emphasizes the values of professionalism, integrity, respect, community service, responsibility, and accountability with all employees in order to strive for excellence and continuous improvement.

Mission Statement

UKPD's mission is to promote a safe and secure campus environment for students, employees, patients, and visitors. UKPD will provide quality police services ethically, fairly, and equally in partnership with members of the community.

Vision Statement

UKPD is committed to achieving the highest standards of professional ethics, performance, and excellence. UKPD is dedicated to the principles of community policing and to becoming one of the most progressive, innovative, and professional police departments in the nation.

Core Values

UKPD emphasizes the values of professionalism, integrity, respect, customer service, responsibility, and accountability with all of our employees as we strive for excellence and continuous improvement. In doing so, we shall adhere to the core values to guide our decisions and behavior. We value:

Professionalism: We will be professional in our daily actions, behavior, and performance and maintain high standards of training and expertise by keeping abreast of new trends, standards, and technology in the field of public safety.

Integrity: We are committed to honorable and ethical behavior in our daily interaction with the department, its members, and the community that we serve.

Respect: We value the dignity of every individual and understand ethnic and cultural diversity. We will treat citizens and co-workers with respect, regardless of the degree of respect that we receive.

Community Service: We will deliver to our community a high-quality service that is fair, courteous, responsive, and efficient. We also recognize the need to involve the community as partners in creating a secure and safe environment.

Responsibility & Accountability: We will make effective use of our resources and provide a spirit of open communication and be held accountable for our actions, behavior, and performance by the department and its members to the community that we proudly serve.

Accreditation

UKPD was first awarded accreditation by the KACP in January 1996 and received its latest re-accreditation in 2024. The accreditation program gives UKPD the tools necessary to ensure that all policies and procedures conform to the most up-to-date professional law enforcement standards and best practices. State accreditation through the KACP is not mandatory. Participation demonstrates UKPD's commitment to professional excellence in the University community. The overall goal of the accreditation program is to promote professionalism and improve the delivery of law enforcement services. Each accredited law enforcement agency must be re-evaluated every 4 years.

Accreditation Benefits to the Community:

- Provides a means of independent evaluation of the agency operations.
- Provides a basis to correct deficiencies in the agency's operations before they become public problems.
- Requires the agency to commit policy and procedures to writing and keep them updated.
- Provides a norm for agency to judge its performance.
- Reduces liability insurance costs.
- Promotes accountability among agency personnel and the evenhanded application of policies.
- Enhances the reputation of agency, thereby helping to attract the most qualified candidates for employment.
- Minimizes the agency's exposure to liability, which reduces vicarious liability suits.
- Builds stronger defense against lawsuits and citizen complaints.

- Increases community confidence in the police department.
- Recognition for meeting standards of excellence.

Law Enforcement Authority and Jurisdiction

University police officers receive their law enforcement authority through the provisions of Kentucky Revised Statutes §164.950 – 164.980. University police officers have law enforcement authority and jurisdiction on property owned or controlled by the University and on streets that run through or adjacent to campus. They are empowered to conduct University-related criminal investigations anywhere within the Commonwealth of Kentucky, have the authority to carry firearms, and make arrests. If a University student commits offenses involving University rules and regulations, UKPD may also refer the student to the Dean of Students Office.

UK HealthCare Security is a division of UKPD. UK HealthCare Security Officers are non-sworn, trained security officers who provide support to the UK HealthCare facilities and special events as requested. UK HealthCare Security Officers report all crimes to UKPD and are CSAs. UK HealthCare Security Officers have no arrest authority.

Working Relationship with Federal, State, and Local Police Agencies

UKPD maintains a close working relationship with local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies. Officers meet with their counterparts from Lexington Police Department (LPD); Kentucky State Police (KSP); Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI); U.S. Postal Inspectors; Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives (ATF); and the Secret Service regarding common crime problems and criminal activity on and near campus. UKPD participates in several multidisciplinary response groups to provide quality police services for the community. UKPD participates in monthly or quarterly meetings for Sexual Assault Response Team (SART), Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) State Board, Child Multidisciplinary (MDT), Fayette County Strangulation Task Force, and Domestic and Sexual Violence Prevention Coalition.

Additionally, UKPD has Memoranda of Agreement with the following Police Departments: Department of Veterans Affairs; Blue Grass Airport Police; the Cities of Versailles, Winchester, Richmond, Nicholasville, Georgetown, Frankfort, and Danville; and KSP. UKPD also has a Memorandum of Understanding with the Fayette County Sheriff's Office and the Federal Medical Center/Federal Bureau of Prisons (Security). These documents cover a variety of actions and services. For full details on each, you may contact UKPD at (859) 257-8573.

UKPD has entered into an inter-jurisdictional agreement with one hundred eighteen (118) other police agencies across Kentucky to allow for structured criminal investigations across jurisdictional boundaries. The Bluegrass and Central Kentucky Unified Police Protection System (BACKUPPS) establishes policies and protocols to allow UKPD to operate effectively in partner agency jurisdictions and likewise to those partner agencies, during non-routine circumstances only.

UKPD participates in monthly Regional Crime Information Exchange (RCIE) and Regional Organized Crime Information Center (ROCIC) meetings with other law enforcement agencies from Kentucky. Participating agencies routinely exchange crime-related reports and statistics. UKPD officers are also active members of the International Association of Campus Law Enforcement Administrators (IACLEA) and the Kentucky

Association of University Law Enforcement Administrators (KAULEA). UKPD representatives also attend quarterly Kentucky ProTECT meetings, sponsored by the Secret Service, to discuss computer-related financial and identity crimes.

UKPD Training

Each University of Kentucky Police Officer has graduated from the Department of Criminal Justice Training (or its equivalent) (DOCJT) and met all of Kentucky's Peace Officer Professional Standards as established by the Kentucky Law Enforcement Council. In addition to the required over 800-hour basic police academy training, each officer completes a minimum forty (40) hours of annual in-service training, as well as additional in-house and specialized training. In-house training includes de-escalation, Crisis Intervention (CIT), electronic control device recertification, firearms proficiency, and defensive tactics. Newly promoted supervisors are required to attend the Department of Criminal Justice Training's Academy of Police Supervision. The leadership team is also encouraged to attend other advanced supervisor trainings such as the Criminal Justice Executive Development and the Federal Bureau of Investigation's National Academy. The UKPD Administration Captain and a designee ensure all law enforcement training requirements are met and up to date throughout the calendar year. Police training representatives also seek out unique training opportunities that could potentially benefit UKPD and the University community.

Upon successful completion of the DOCJT Training Academy, police officers return to UKPD as probationary police officers and begin an additional sixteen weeks of in-house police training under the direction of the department's Police Training Officer (PTO) program. Final appointment as a police officer with the department does not occur until the probationary police officer successfully completes the PTO program.

University of Kentucky Police Chief Joseph W. Monroe possesses a strong dedication and unending commitment to officer development. As such, Chief Monroe consistently challenges his employees to seek out additional training opportunities throughout the year, and urges department employees to continue their education through use of the University's [Employee Education Program](#) (EEP).

Divisions

Police Operations

Patrol

Our Patrol services are comprised of two patrol shifts. These shifts are staffed 365 days per year, and 24 hours per day by at least one police supervisor and a minimum of three uniformed police officers. Our police officers respond to a variety of calls for service that can range from a student in need of direction, a medical emergency, or a serious instance of alleged criminal activity. Means of patrol include patrol vehicles, bicycles, motorcycles, golf carts, and foot patrols to cover all the University of Kentucky's property and roads.

Patrol is also made up of unique law enforcement units that were constructed to serve very specific needs required from within the University community. Officers assigned to these units are generally

selected through an application process or at the direction of the Chief of Police. All specialized units at UKPD are part-time assignments, as most police officers have primary duties as patrol officers.

Dignitary Protection Team

The Dignitary Protection Team's goal is to afford professional protective, assessment and logistical services to visiting public figures and University executives. Additionally, when requested, the team coordinates with other agencies to provide mutual support for the protection of public figures. Dignitary Protection Team members receive their baseline training from the U.S. Department of State Diplomatic Security Services training in Washington, D.C. As part of their ongoing professional development, the Dignitary officers have attended the Kentucky State Police dignitary protection course and the Ohio Peace Officers Academy.

The University's Dignitary Protection Team serves as a liaison with many Federal and State level agencies in the planning and protection of high-profile public figures to the University. Examples include U.S. and Foreign Heads of State, U.S. Supreme Court Justices, and Former Prime Ministers from Africa and Israel. In addition, the Dignitary Protection Team is permanently assigned, and has the sole responsibility, for the security of the UK Board of Trustees and the UK Office of the President.

Honor Guard

The Honor Guard Team represents the department by honoring the colors, the nation and fallen public service heroes. This is a task that the team is proud to do and does not take lightly. The University of Kentucky Police Honor Guard was formed in 2011. All team members understand the importance to detail and the pride and honor that the team represents.

The Honor Guard Team has presented colors at several events including the International Association of Campus Law Enforcement Administrators (IACLEA), SEC Chief's Conference, Honor Guard Gala, and numerous sporting events. The Honor Guard Team has participated in ceremonies to honor fallen officers from Kentucky and surrounding states, including National Police Week in Washington, D.C.

K-9 Unit

The University of Kentucky Police Department K-9 unit was established in 2004 and is under the direction of Police Operations. Currently there are six canine teams at the police department. Four canines are for explosive detection and are dual-trained for tracking and evidence recovery. There are two critical response canine teams for response and comfort during critical incidents. All canines are non-aggressive and work together with University of Kentucky sporting events, dignitary protection as well as assisting outside agencies when help is needed. All canine teams have participated in numerous community service outreach programs that range from demonstrations in fraternity/sorority and residence housing as well as numerous local elementary and middle schools around central Kentucky.

Motorcycle Unit

Motorcycle Unit, established in 2004, serves a variety of functions for the campus and community. The primary responsibility is that of traffic enforcement and traffic safety surveys in the campus area. The motorcycles are highly maneuverable and can respond to emergency calls in areas where a car cannot. Motorcycle Unit performs escort duties for funeral services, parades, and other special operations on campus such as athletics events where the unit takes a prominent position to proudly lead the team into the stadium. The unit takes pride in representing the department at charity functions, visits to schools, and at community affairs events to interact with all ages of the community.

Community Services

Community Services provides information, presentations, and programming to the campus community to help maintain a safe and secure environment. Community Services Officers are trained to provide a host of services such as lighting surveys, Crime Prevention through Environmental Design assessments, and Workplace Violence and Active Shooter Response training.

Polygraph Unit

The Polygraph Unit consists of 3 certified polygraph examiners who work as a team to address all needed criminal polygraph examinations as well as conducting pre-employment polygraph examinations as part of the hiring process. Each examiner attends a 10-week training process which is followed up by an extensive internship with the Kentucky State Police.

Flex Unit/Task Force Officers

The Flex Unit and Task Force Officers are comprised of officers with specialized training in investigations, interview and interrogation, crime scene processing, and evidence recovery. Flex Unit officers are assigned to investigate all types of crimes reported to UKPD in order to identify suspects and place appropriate charges upon completion of their investigations. These officers are also required to provide detailed accounts of their investigations during court proceedings. Task Force officers are sworn UKPD officers who team with various federal partners to investigate state and federal crimes. These officers work hand in hand with federal officers to provide law enforcement services for the UK community and the Commonwealth.

Special Victims Unit

In 2020, the University of Kentucky Police Department created a Special Victims Unit which consists of a Special Victims Unit Sergeant, Detective, and Victim Advocate. These dedicated professionals help victims of interpersonal violence navigate through the criminal justice system with respect and integrity.

The mission of the Special Victims Unit is to provide compassionate support services to survivors of interpersonal violence while removing barriers to reporting. We are committed to holding offenders accountable within the criminal justice system by maintaining quality police services with timely, thorough, and trauma-informed investigative techniques.

Main Functions of Special Victims Unit:

Outreach

Members of the Special Victims Unit participate in community outreach programs to help with prevention, provide self-defense training and reduce barriers to reporting.

Training

Special Victims Unit members undergo specific training to provide a trauma-informed approach, minimize re-victimization, and treating survivors with compassion and respect.

Investigations

Special Victims Unit conducts thorough investigations of interpersonal violence incidents and helps guide survivors throughout the process and connect survivors to a variety of resources.

The Special Victims Unit investigates incidents of sexual assault and abuse, relationship violence, stalking, and harassment that occur on University property. If you or someone you know has experienced interpersonal violence here at the University, please [click here](#) for important information regarding support services, victims' rights, and next steps.

Law Enforcement Options:

File a police report with UKPD.

As a University police department, federal law requires us to document crimes that are reported to us. However, once a crime is reported, there is no requirement to investigate. If a survivor does not want an investigation to continue, it doesn't have to. Call (859) 257-8573 to make a report.

Receive a SAFE (Sexual Assault Forensic) Exam at UK Chandler Hospital.

Survivors are encouraged to be treated for any injuries, receive prophylaxis, and collect evidence from the assault. SAFE exams are available up to 96 hours after an assault. A survivor may choose to have a SAFE done without filing a police report or interacting with law enforcement. Evidence collected from the exam will be stored for one year in case the survivor chooses to pursue an investigation.

Protective Orders

Residents of Fayette County (including temporary residents like students) are able to petition for orders of protection through the court system. A protective order mandates the amount and type of contact that a respondent can have with the petitioner (i.e., physical distance, communication type and frequency, third-party contact, etc.). Find more information on protective orders [here](#) or call (859) 246-2248.

Advocacy Options:

UK's Violence Intervention and Prevention Center Free on campus support, advocacy, referrals, education, and anti-violence activism on campus. Contact (859) 257-3574. UK's Counseling Center On campus counseling and crisis intervention services. Contact (859) 257-8701.	Office of Equal Opportunity On campus academic, housing, and employment accommodations and assistance for survivors of interpersonal violence, as well as independent investigations into incidents of assault, abuse, and harassment. Contact (859) 257-8927.	Sexual Violence Resource Center Free, confidential therapy, advocacy, and support services to survivors of sexual violence in Central Kentucky. Contact (859) 253-2511. Greenhouse 17 Provides advocacy, education, shelter, and support services for survivors of dating and interpersonal violence. Contact (800) 544-2022.
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For additional resources see the section of this report titled **Assistance for Victims: Rights & Options**.

Victims' Rights Marsy's Law

During the 2020 General Election, the registered voters of Kentucky approved an amendment to the Constitution of Kentucky known as Marsy's Law.

Under Marsy's Law, crime victims have the following constitutional rights:

- You have the right to be treated with fairness, respect, dignity, and to be protected from intimidation or harm throughout the criminal and juvenile justice process.
- You have the right, upon request, to be informed about victims' rights, criminal proceedings, and if the accused is arrested, released, or escapes.
- To be notified, register with VINE at www.vinelink.com or call (800) 511-1670
- If offender is in custody, click "Find an Offender"
- To be notified of court dates, click "Find an Offender Court Case"
- You have the right to have your safety, dignity, and privacy to be considered.
- You have the right to be heard at bond, bail release, pleas, or sentencing.
- You have the right to proceedings free from unreasonable delay.
- You have the right to be present at criminal proceedings.
- You have the right to consult with prosecution.
- You have standing to assert your rights, have an attorney assert your rights, or request the attorney for the Commonwealth assert your rights.
- You have the right to full restitution paid by the convicted.

Administration

UKPD's Police Administration Division is made up of Crisis Management & Preparedness, Center for Disaster Recovery and Resilience, Support Services, Clery Compliance, and Records and Evidence. These units provide support services as necessary to support public safety operations.

Crisis Management and Preparedness

Crisis Management and Preparedness (CMP) is responsible for ensuring the University is able to mitigate, prepare, respond, and recover from unexpected threats to campus safety and operations.

Vision Statement: The Division of Crisis Management and Preparedness will strive to provide a disaster-resilient University community.

Mission Statement: The mission of the CMP is to coordinate and facilitate effective campus emergency management to minimize the impacts of emergencies on the campus community, facilities, and environment.

The primary functions of CMP include:

- Event and Emergency Management Plan Development
- Managing the University's Emergency Notification System, UK Alert
- Preparation and Response Coordination
- Managing the Emergency Operations Center
- Training and Exercise Development

Center for Disaster Recovery and Resilience (CDRR)

The Center for Disaster Recovery and Resilience (CDRR) is a key component of the University's emergency management strategy, operating within UKPD's CMP. CDRR is charged with protecting the physical and financial health of the University by developing and implementing strategies to prepare for, respond to, and recover from adverse incidents—particularly natural disasters and other large-scale emergencies.

Central to its mission, the CDRR leads the University's hazard mitigation planning, aligning efforts with federal and state guidelines to reduce long-term risks to life, property, and operations. The center also plays a critical role in securing federal public assistance funding through the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and acts as the University's official liaison to state emergency management and government agencies. These functions ensure a unified and effective approach to disaster preparedness and recovery.

CDRR works closely with campus departments, local partners, and external agencies to promote resilience through collaboration, training, and strategic planning. By fostering strong partnerships and applying evidence-based practices, the center enhances the University's capacity to withstand and recover from all types of hazards. CDRR reflects the University's deep commitment to institutional resilience and its broader responsibility to support community recovery efforts across the Commonwealth.

Support Services

Support Services oversees a wide variety of critical functions to ensure the efficient operation of the organization. It manages Fleet and Building Maintenance by coordinating vehicle assignments, ensuring timely maintenance, and handling building upkeep through coordination with University authorities and non-University vendors when necessary. The Special Event Management unit, led by a Lieutenant, organizes special assignments for events by assessing factors like crowd size, location, traffic, and VIP attendance to determine staffing levels and develop comprehensive event operations plans, followed by after-action reports and process improvement analyses. Training, under the Support Services Captain, ensures all personnel meet KLEC and KACP standards through basic training for new hires, annual in-service training, and education on state and federal laws, aiming to prepare sworn personnel for unexpected situations while minimizing civil liability. Additionally, the Marketing and Promotion unit handles internal and external communications, managing social media, newsletters, and department websites while collaborating with other units to align engagement opportunities with the vision of the Chief of Police and the University.

Clery Compliance

Clery Compliance is charged with ensuring the University is in compliance with the federal Jeanne Clery Campus Safety Act (Clery Act) and the Commonwealth of Kentucky Michael Minger Act (Minger Act). Both laws require transparency around campus safety policy and procedure and crime statistics. The Clery Act requires that the University:

- Provide a daily crime log
- Collect, classify, and count crime statistics
- Publish an annual safety and security report
- Identify and train campus security authorities (CSAs)
- Issue timely warnings and immediate notifications to provide the campus community with information necessary to make informed decisions about their health and safety
- Submit annual crime and fire statistics to the US Department of Education on an annual basis

Many requirements of the Minger Act mirror that of the Clery Act in regard to crime. However, the Minger Act also has a special emphasis on fire. The Minger Act ensures that the state fire marshal has the access to come on to University property to perform any needed inspections or investigations. Further, the Minger Act requires the University to report all fire and threat of fire to local authorities and the state fire marshal's office.

Records and Evidence

The Records Division is the official steward of all reports and other articles of official record generated by UKPD. Records is responsible for maintaining, reviewing, recording, and retrieving all official reports, evidence, and lost/found. The Records Unit further serves to release and/or respond to public information requests from other law enforcement agencies and the public. Stored evidence and lost/found items may require special treatment and/or disposal protocol. Collision reports are made available [online](#) through Lexis-Nexis to enable involved parties access to accident reports for their

insurance companies. The Records Division also maintains records on crimes and calls for service to assist the department in analysis and strategic operations.

UK HealthCare Operations

UKPD HealthCare Security serves as the frontline for security across the UK HealthCare enterprise. The UKPD Healthcare Division is led by a Police Major with the assistance of the Healthcare Captain and currently 2 Healthcare Lieutenants and 6 Healthcare Police Sergeants. The service encompasses many outpatient clinic areas on and off main campus. UKPD has also added 3rd party security to assist in providing services across the UK HealthCare enterprise on and off of main campus, and during University-sponsored events. The UKPD Healthcare Security division provides security to our external hospitals located in Portsmouth OH, Ashland KY, and Morehead KY. UKPD HealthCare Security officers and supervisors are certified through the International Association for Hospital Safety and Security.

Security Operations Center

The Security Operations Center (SOC) functions as the centralized command and control hub for coordinating critical public safety and security services. In addition to the services and essential functions defined below, the SOC is also responsible for the department's Drone First Responder (DFR) Program, which deploys unmanned aerial systems to provide rapid situational awareness, support tactical operations, and enhance officer and community safety.

The Central Kentucky Information Sharing and Threat Analysis Center (CITAC) serves as a centralized hub for collecting, analyzing, and disseminating intelligence related to criminal activity, public safety threats, and homeland security concerns. CITAC analysts facilitate real-time information sharing among local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies, emergency services, and critical infrastructure partners by evaluating data from diverse sources, including law enforcement databases, open-source platforms, and partner agency reports. The center plays a vital role in coordinating regional responses to special events, civil disturbances, and large-scale emergencies.

Police Communications plays a vital role in the effective and efficient delivery of public safety services. Communications personnel serve as the critical link between the public and law enforcement, answering emergency and non-emergency calls, gathering essential information, and dispatching appropriate police and university resources. They also manage data entry and retrieval in the computer-aided dispatch (CAD) system, ensuring accurate documentation of incidents, officer status, and response timelines.

UKPD's Security Technology Group plays a vital role in maintaining, integrating, and advancing the university's security infrastructure. Staff are responsible for the design, installation, configuration, and support of complex systems, including access control, video surveillance (CCTV), and alarm monitoring technologies. They also manage secure credentialing for students, faculty, staff, and contractors, oversee ID badge issuance and access permissions in accordance with university policy, and provide technical support for the department's two-way police radio system and mobile computer systems in patrol vehicles.

Law Enforcement and Security at Separate Campuses

UKPD responds for service at Main Campus, North Farm, and South Farm Campuses. Local law enforcement responds to calls for service at all other separate campuses, except for Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Highland Heights), which is served by the resident university police department at Northern Kentucky University. Paducah Campus, Hazard Campus, and Bowling Green Campus are also serviced by contract security. Security guards are tasked with ensuring a safe environment for all as well as checking facilities to determine security during non-business hours. Local/resident law enforcement agencies have dispatchers available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week to answer all emergency calls placed through the 911 system. Officers will be dispatched to address calls and reported crimes will be documented/investigated as appropriate. Should the situation warrant, the local/resident law enforcement agency may reach out to UKPD to provide notification and/or for additional assistance. UKPD will request crime statistics that fall on identified Clery geography on an annual basis from these law enforcement agencies for inclusion in the Annual Campus Safety and Security Report. Reports involving University of Kentucky students may be referred to the Office of Student Conduct where appropriate. In the event of a Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) crime (sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and/or stalking), the staff at the separate campuses are trained to offer the survivor applicable resources. See the section of this report titled **Information Regarding Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking**.

University of Kentucky Campuses

The University's main campus and all separate campus locations are detailed below. Policies and procedures outlined in this document apply to all campuses, unless otherwise specified.

University of Kentucky – Main Campus

The University is a public land grant institution founded in 1865. The main campus sits on over eight hundred (800) acres in the heart of Lexington, Kentucky. The University has nearly forty thousand (40,000) students on its enrollment (undergraduate and graduate) and supports more than two hundred (200) academic programs spread across sixteen (16) degree-granting colleges. Students may also choose from over four-hundred fifty (450) student organizations and clubs. The University also has several other campuses across the state as outlined below.

The main campus employs an armed police force dedicated to providing quality police services ethically, fairly, and equally in partnership with members of the community. The police officers are highly trained, certified, and sworn under KRS 164.950. They are granted full police authority and are responsible for the prevention of crime, detection, and apprehension of offenders. Additionally, they are charged with the preservation of public peace, the enforcement of all criminal laws and state statutes as well as compliance with the policies and regulations of the University.

University of Kentucky – Main Campus
410 Administration Drive
Lexington, KY 40506
Phone: (859) 257-9000
Website: www.uky.edu

Little Research Center/Woodford Farm (LRC) Campus

The LRC, located in Versailles, Kentucky, is a state-of-the-art animal research facility containing modern beef, swine, and sheep research units on over 1,400 acres. The facility also provides research space for Veterinary Science, Animal and Food Science, Plant and Soil Science, and Biosystems and Agricultural Engineering.

The LRC has a primary employee/public entrance into the farm off Highway 62 (Midway Road). This entrance is open during normal working hours and is card entry only with a call box for non-employee visitors outside of normal business hours. The card entry system is an AMAG System and is administered by the Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment, as well as Motor Pool. There are two cameras at this gate that record entry into the farm.

There are three (3) other entry gates on the farm. These gates are used by the Veterinary Science and Animal Science Departments. Entry is by remote control on two (2) of the three (3) gates with the third gate being used by large equipment and trucks only. The remote controls and operations are administered by the respective departments.

There are three (3) student residences at LRC. Two of the residences are individual family-style housing and each resident is responsible for locking and securing their houses. The third residence contains two efficiency apartments at the Sheep Unit.

Little Research Center Campus
1171 Midway Road
Versailles, KY 40383
Phone: (859) 873-6587
Website: <https://www.mqcafe.uky.edu/research/farms-facilities/c-oran-little-research-center>

North Farm Campus

The North Farm Campus consists of the Eastern State Hospital Medical Complex as well as the North Farm Agricultural Center.

Eastern State Hospital Medical Complex

The Eastern State Hospital Medical Complex provides recovery-focused, individualized care in a supportive environment that features the latest in treatment and technology. It is managed by UK HealthCare through a contract with the Kentucky Department of Behavioral Health, Developmental and Intellectual Disabilities. It is nationally accredited, meeting the standards of The Joint Commission, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, and the Kentucky State Licensing and Regulation Division.

The Eastern State Hospital provides acute, in-patient psychiatric care to patients with severe and persistent mental illness, specialized services for acquired brain injuries, and associated ancillary services for those patients, such as laboratory, radiology, phlebotomy, and pharmacy. The hospital operates seven (7) acute care units of twenty-seven (27) to twenty-eight (28) beds in a mix of private and semi-private rooms. The Recovery Mall located on both the first and second floors offers patients a wide range of recovery and rehabilitation programs including pottery, gym/fitness, music room, resource library, chapel, reading/sensory room, space for physical and occupational therapy, etc. The Eastern State Hospital Medical complex also includes the Central Kentucky Recovery Center which consists of personal care homes (resembling units of an apartment complex) that offer a design and program dedicated to helping individuals make the transition back to the community. Buildings are in a park-like setting to allow plenty of natural light inside and feature courtyards and open-air porches.

Eastern State Hospital
1350 Bull Lea Road
Lexington, KY 40511
Phone: (859) 246-8000
Website: <https://ukhealthcare.uky.edu/eastern-state-hospital>

North Farm (Agricultural Center)

North Farm, located on approximately one thousand eight hundred (1,800) acres in Fayette County, provides teaching, research, and extension opportunities for the faculty, staff, and students of the University of Kentucky Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food, and Environment. Currently, the North Farm research revolves around initiatives, projects, and programs in the departments of Veterinary Science, Animal and Food Science, Plant and Soil Science, Biosystems and Agricultural Engineering, and Entomology. Also, the North Farm is an integral part of the Equine Initiative and the Equine Campus is located on the North Farm.

North Farm resulted from the merging of Maine Chance Farm, Spindletop Farm, and part of the Coldstream Farm. The Coldstream part of the farm has been transferred to the city and is no longer part of North Farm. Spindletop and Maine Chance Farms lie north of I-64/I-75. There are four (4) entrances, two (2) off of Newtown Pike (Service and Equine Entrances) and one (1) off Iron Works Pike (Agronomy Entrance). The other entrance (Yount Lane) is also on Iron Works Pike, just west of the Agronomy Entrance. This gated entrance has a padlock and only is accessible when the gate is open for Field Day traffic or moving large equipment. The Service Entrance Gate and Agronomy Entrance Gate remain open during normal working hours and are card entry only with a call box for non-employee visitors outside of normal business hours. The Equine Entrance Gate remains closed but operates on free entry from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. on weekdays.

The Legacy Trail, which is open to the public, crosses under I-75/I-64 through an existing tunnel. It connects what used to be the Coldstream (south) side of the interstate (Dairy & Poultry units) with the Maine Chance and Spindletop (north) side. Before the Legacy Trail, only on-farm vehicles and equipment used this trail. With the loss of Coldstream, farm traffic has approached zero usage but does share the tunnel with the Legacy Trail when used. There are gates on each side of the tunnel to allow access to the farms. The gate on the North end of the tunnel is padlocked and is opened only for specific tunnel access. The south-end tunnel sliding gate

is closed and power removed from the operator. The gate is openable but requires manual intervention to effect operation; the gate is too heavy to be opened by hand.

A diamond-mesh wire fence that has a black vinyl sight ribbon on top separates the Legacy Trail from the North Farm. The trail is adjacent to approximately 2.5 miles of Coldstream/Spindletop Farms on the north side of the interstate. There are also three (3) limited access (padlocked) gates between the Legacy Trail and Spindletop Farm, as well as padlocked access gates between the Spindletop Hall property and Spindletop Farm. There are two (2) student residences on North Farm. The residences are individual family- style housing and each resident is responsible for locking and securing their houses.

North Farm

1925 Research Farm Road

Lexington, KY 40511

Phone: (859) 254-1434

Website: <https://www.mgcafe.uky.edu/research/farms-facilities/north-farm>

Robinson Forest Campus

Robinson Forest, located in Breathitt County on fourteen thousand eight hundred (14,800) acres, is one of the largest research and educational forests in the eastern United States. Robinson Forest provides space for continuous research in several forestry-related disciplines, such as wood utilization, forest ecology, silviculture, hydrology, wildlife ecology, etc.

Robinson Forest Campus facilities are used for various programming and on-site lodging that provides housing for students, researchers, and extension personnel. Each of the cabins and buildings around camp have locking entrance doors, which are all keyed separately. Robinson Forest has a Severe Weather Shelter in the Bath House (building #9321) that is located above the flood plain on the West side of campus and a Helicopter Pad (designated with 911 as "LZ-15") located on the East side of the campus. Robinson Forest has a manual locking main gate at its only entrance. The main gate is opened at 7:30 am and locked at 4:30 pm Monday through Friday and remains locked the entire weekend when guests are not present. Visitors are permitted on the Robinson Forest site by appointment only.

Additional Safety & Security measures at Robinson Forest include a controlled access video surveillance system with 12 cameras throughout the campus and a designated UHF frequency radio repeater System that must be used by all UK staff, faculty, students, researchers and extension personnel while out on the Forest.

Robinson Forest Campus

617 Clemons Fork Road

Clayhole, KY 41317

Phone: (606) 666-9995

Website: <https://robinson-forest.ca.uky.edu/>

South Farm Campus (aka UK Horticulture Research Farm)

South Farm, located at the Fayette-Jessamine County line, is a horticulture research farm on one hundred (100) acres. This location provides for research on small fruits, tree fruits, viticulture, vegetables, greenhouse and nursery production, hemp, entomology, plant pathology, and related crop sciences. It also hosts the UK-CSA (Community Supported Agriculture) production unit.

South Farm has two (2) entrances. One (1) entrance is on Waveland Museum Lane. This entrance remains padlocked except for special events, when it is opened and managed by farm personnel. The main entrance is on Man-O-War Boulevard. This entrance operates on the AMAG system and has two cameras that record entry into the farm. This gate opens at 6:30 a.m. and closes at 4 p.m. on weekdays to accommodate employee traffic. At all other times, the gate is card-access only.

South Farm Campus
4321 Emmert Farm Lane
Lexington, KY 40514
Phone: (859) 948-3614

Website: <https://www.mgcafe.uky.edu/research/farms-facilities/south-farm>

West Kentucky Substation (Research and Education Center at Princeton) Campus

West Kentucky Substation (Research and Education Center at Princeton), located in Caldwell County, functions as a center of agricultural activities in western Kentucky. The facility is used to conduct agricultural research, provide diagnostic testing services, and develop educational programs important to farmers, agribusinesses, and families.

The facility is an open research facility that has no access entry system. Two (2) employees reside throughout the property and are responsible, in part, for the security of the area. The Princeton Police Department regularly patrols the main campus. Additionally, West Kentucky Substation campus provides temporary graduate student housing. The housing consists of a newly constructed residence dorm with overflow provided by an individual family-style house that has been converted for the benefit of temporary residents. The facilities are primarily for students and interns. Each resident is responsible for locking and securing his or her room/house.

On December 10, 2021, the UK Research and Education Center, other campus buildings, and graduate student housing took a direct hit from an EF-4 tornado and were completely destroyed. Temporary facilities are located on-site until permanent structures are completed. As of March 2026, two (2) temporary office structures are being used to house all UKREC employees, three (3) temporary laboratory structures support research and extension efforts, and one (1) temporary chemical storage structure stores chemicals in compliance with all rules/regulations. The current schedule is to move into the new construction permanent facilities in phases beginning in April 2026 for offices, meeting spaces, and laboratories.

West Kentucky Substation Campus
348 University Drive
Princeton, KY 42445
Phone: (270) 365-7541

Website: <https://ukrec.mgcafe.uky.edu/about-ukrec>

Paducah Campus

The University, in collaboration with West Kentucky Community and Technical College (WKCTC), offers studies leading to bachelor's degrees from the University in Mechanical Engineering and Chemical Engineering. It is located on WKCTC's campus in Paducah, Kentucky. WKCTC has a Manager of Security and Safety. The manager coordinates and works with college-employed security guards to promote a safe and secure environment for WKCTC. Campus facilities are accessible for academic, training, recreational, and administrative purposes. The general public also has access to these facilities and often uses the library, student center, recreational facilities, and other venues where sporting events and other special events are conducted. Only authorized personnel have keys to facilities. The security guard service checks facilities to determine that they are secure during non-business hours. The Maintenance and Operations Department maintains college buildings and grounds with a concern for safety and security. Maintenance and Operations Department personnel regularly inspect for and repair potential safety and security hazards as well as responding to reports of such potential hazards. A campus Safety Committee meets periodically during the academic year to review and discuss safety issues and to promote a safe campus environment.

Maintenance and Operations Department staff members use an automated Preventive Maintenance Work Order System to input information concerning lighting issues, hazard issues, and overall preventive maintenance issues daily to track, monitor, and correct these issues. Any security or safety issues of immediate concern are given top priority by staff members for immediate correction.

This campus does not have its own police department/force. There is an Operations Manager for Security and Safety who does not have arrest authority. The Manager for Security and Safety supervises and coordinates college-employed security guards for the College. The Operations Manager for Security and Safety works closely with local, state, and federal law investigative staff when incidents arise that require joint investigative efforts, resources, crime related reports, and exchanges of information as deemed necessary to provide services to the campus community. Additionally, the parties routinely exchange crime-related information and reports, including information related to off-campus locations owned, leased, or controlled by WKCTC.

Paducah Campus
4810 Alben Barkley Drive
Paducah, KY 42002
Phone: (270) 534-3304

Website: <https://www.engr.uky.edu/research-faculty/departments/paducah-campus>

Hazard Campus

In 1990, the University established the Center of Excellence in Rural Health (CERH) to address health disparities in rural Kentucky, including a chronic shortage of health professionals and the residents' poor health status. The CERH accomplishes this through health policy research, community engagement, and health professionals' education to include the following programs: Doctor of Physical Therapy, Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Science, Bachelor of Arts in Social Work or Master of Social Work, and an East Kentucky

Family Medicine Residency. Social Work classes are now fully online with the CERH serving as an assistance hub for Social Work online students as needed.

The CERH employs one (1) full-time security officer. This officer is tasked with ensuring a safe environment for all students, patients, faculty, staff, and visitors of the center. In addition to the security officer, the various sections of the building are secured with electronic access door locks that can be entered only by authorized personnel by swiping their University ID badge or by security code. Access to areas in the building is granted strictly on a need basis. This is accomplished by setting up groups in the security access system. With these groups, access to areas of the building is restricted to only those who need to be in a particular area.

Additionally, nearly all the buildings and parking areas are visible through a security camera system. This system allows for constant monitoring and recording of all activities throughout most of the area in and around the facility.

The CERH does not have an armed police force on the campus. The CERH security team works closely with local law enforcement with investigations of crimes committed on or around the campus. Generally, this involvement is limited to providing security camera footage to the local investigators.

Hazard Campus
750 Morton Boulevard
Hazard, KY 41701
Phone: (606) 439-3557
Website: <https://medicine.uky.edu/centers/ruralhealth>

Bowling Green Campus – College of Medicine

The University established the UK College of Medicine – Bowling Green Campus to address one of the most critical health needs confronting Kentucky, the shortage of physicians. The UK College of Medicine – Bowling Green Campus accomplishes this through partnerships with Western Kentucky University and The Medical Center at Bowling Green.

The UK College of Medicine – Bowling Green Campus is housed in a building owned by The Medical Center at Bowling Green. The Medical Center at Bowling Green campus employs sixteen (16) full-time and two (2) part-time armed security officers. These officers are tasked with ensuring a safe environment for all students, patients, faculty, staff, and visitors of the various buildings on campus. In addition to the security officers, electronic access door locks that can be entered only by authorized personnel by swiping their Medical Center ID badge secure various sections of the building. Access to areas in the building is granted strictly on a need basis and is accomplished by setting up groups in the security access system. With these groups, access to areas of the building is restricted to only those who need to be in a particular area. Additionally, nearly all of the buildings and parking areas are visible through a security camera system. This system allows for constant monitoring and recording of all activities throughout most of the areas in and around the facility. The security staff is certified by the International Association for Healthcare Security and Safety.

Bowling Green Campus – College of Medicine
399 US 31 W Bypass
Bowling Green, KY 42101
Phone: (270) 781-2415
Website: <https://medicine.uky.edu/sites/meded/bowling-green-campus>

Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Highland Heights)

The University established the Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Highland Heights) to address the shortage of physicians in Kentucky. This is accomplished through partnerships with Northern Kentucky University (NKU) and St. Elizabeth Healthcare.

The Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Highland Heights) is housed on the third floor of NKU's Albright Health Center. Facilities utilized also include the anatomy lab in the Dorothy Westerman Hermann Natural Science Center and the simulation labs on the third and fourth floors of the Health Innovation Center. This campus location serves the needs of first- and second-year medical students and occasionally third- and fourth-year students when they are not on clinical rotations. Additionally, students will spend some time in the Health Innovation Center (HIC), where they will be taught clinical skills and participate in simulations. Electronic access door locks secure two student areas continually and can be entered only by authorized personnel who swipe their NKU ID badge to both the Natural Science Center and to the HIC. The third floor of Albright is restricted to NKU badge-only access 24/7, 365 days of the year. Access to areas in the building is granted strictly on an as-needed basis. Additionally, due to its blind entrance, the student study lounge is monitored by a security camera.

NKU Police services this satellite campus in addition to a community of more than sixteen thousand (16,000) students, faculty, staff, and visitors with a staff of twenty-four (24) people. This includes sworn and non-sworn personnel consisting of the chief of police, lieutenant (1), detective (1), compliance coordinator (1), sergeants (5), full-time police officers (10), part-time police officer (1), community resource officer (1), K-9 unit (1), emergency dispatchers (7), and student safety ambassadors (2). Officers are sworn and state-certified, responsible for the full range of law enforcement services. These include but are not limited to responding and investigating incidents and offenses, medical emergencies, fires, bomb threats, traffic accidents, enforcement of state and local laws and other incidents that require police assistance. The NKU Police is accredited through the Kentucky Association of Chiefs of Police.

Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Highland Heights)
100 Grant Drive, Albright Health Center, Suite 303
Highland Heights, KY 41099-2201
Phone: (859) 562-1499
Website: <https://medicine.uky.edu/sites/meded/northern-kentucky-campus>

Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Edgewood)

The University also established the Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Edgewood) to address the shortage of physicians in Kentucky. As stated above, this is accomplished through partnerships with Northern Kentucky University (NKU) and St. Elizabeth Healthcare.

The Edgewood Campus is housed on the second floor of the St. Elizabeth's Hospital Medical Office Building. This campus location serves the needs primarily of third- and fourth-year medical students.

Electronic access door locks secure the Edgewood Campus continually and can be entered only by entering a six-character code to outer doors and then to a door into the classroom or into the suite of offices and the student lounge. Access to this area is granted strictly on an as-needed basis. Although the medical office building is attached to the St. Elizabeth's Hospital via a pedway, it should be noted that the University does not own or control any space inside the hospital. No part of the hospital is considered University campus property.

The local City of Edgewood Police Department services this satellite campus in addition to a community of more than eight thousand seven hundred (8,700) residents. Seventeen (17) sworn and state-certified police officers are responsible for a full range of law enforcement services, including responding to and investigating incidents and offenses, medical emergencies, fires, bomb threats, traffic accidents, enforcement of state and local laws, and other incidents that require police assistance.

Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Edgewood)

Doctor's Building, Suite 200

20 Medical Village Drive

Edgewood, KY 41017

Phone: (859) 562-1499

Website: <https://medicine.uky.edu/sites/meded/northern-kentucky-campus>

UK St. Claire

UK St. Claire in Morehead, KY is a complex campus of both UK HealthCare facilities and UK instructional space. UK St. Claire consists of the following:

Hospital

- UK St. Claire hospital is the largest employer in the region; with over 1,300 staff members, including a growing medical staff of more than 125 physicians and nearly 70 advanced practice professionals representing more than 30 medical specialties. It includes the largest rural hospital in Northeastern Kentucky. Over ten in-house UK HealthCare security employees provide safety and security to the facility. The local Morehead Police Department also services this satellite campus.

UK St. Claire Hospital
222 Medical Circle
Phone: (606) 783-6500
Website: <https://www.st-claire.org/>

Instructional Space

- Instructional space for the UK Physician Assistant (PA) Program and UK Rural Physician Leadership Program (RPLP) are housed in the CHER Building. The UK PA Program is designed to educate highly skilled, compassionate physician assistants trained to provide exceptional patient care and advanced healthcare in underserved and rural communities across the Commonwealth of Kentucky. The RPLP is designed to train future physicians and health care leaders to provide high-quality care in a rural setting as well. An important outcome of these medical education programs is that graduates gain knowledge and experience necessary to work with civic and community leaders to improve the general health of the rural communities they serve.

The CHER Building is geographically contiguous to the UK St. Claire Hospital, thus part of the same campus, although it sits on Morehead State University property. It is considered a “cooperative building” as it was built with state legislature approved funds. Morehead State University provides security and UK St. Claire provides maintenance services. UK controls the following locations inside the CHER Building for instructional purposes: Suite 202, 315 Zoom Room, 312 PA Didactic Classroom, 417, 418 Cadaver Lab and Locker Room, and 404 Laboratory. As with UK St. Claire, the local Morehead Police Department also services this satellite campus.

Department of Physician Assistant Studies - Morehead
316 W Second Street; 202 CHER Bldg
Morehead, KY 40351
Phone: (859) 562-1539
Website: <https://chs.uky.edu/physician-assistant-studies/campuses/morehead>

Rural Physician Leadership Program – Morehead
Willard Medical Education Building
780 Rose Street
Lexington, KY 40536
Phone: (859) 323-5261
Website: <https://medicine.uky.edu/sites/meded/morehead-campus>

Personal Safety

UKPD is committed to the safety of its students, faculty, staff, and visitors at the University. Therefore, UKPD offers a host of resources to help keep the community safe. Safety is a shared responsibility and prevention is

key. Remember, safety is the responsibility of all community members, not just those formally charged with ensuring the safety of students, staff, and facilities.

From the moment you walk on campus to graduation day, you should always be aware of your safety and your possessions. Here are some safety tips that you should follow while on campus and elsewhere. First, know that the University is a safe place to live, learn, and work. However, please keep in mind that although the University is a friendly community, you should consider the following tips to enhance your safety and security. The following tips and more can be found at Fort Hays State University at <https://www.fhsu.edu/university-police/Safety-Tips/>.

Personal Safety on Campus

- Take advantage of safety services that are available to enhance your safety including SafeCats, Kentucky Wildcab, and the Bus service, etc.
- Study together and walk in groups.
- Report suspicious activity to UKPD.
- Stick to well lit, well-traveled areas, such as the Cat's Path, and avoid shortcuts.
- Know where the emergency blue phones are located on campus.
- Become familiar with your campus community; identify which buildings are usually open in the evening or open early in the morning. Avoid working or studying alone in open access areas.
- Download SafeZone to quickly access the University of Kentucky Police for assistance or to report tips. <https://police.uky.edu/safezone-app>

In Your Car

- Check the back seat of your car before entering.
- Keep valuables out of sight.
- Keep doors locked at all times, even when driving. This prevents anyone from entering the car when you are stopped in traffic.
- Do not be afraid to use your horn. It is an excellent tool to alert inattentive motorists and also a good deterrent to criminals.
- Park in well lighted areas.
- If your car breaks down, make sure it does not create a hazard and can easily be seen by other motorists – turn on your flashers and lift the hood. Remain inside the car with the doors locked. Call for appropriate response from local police, towing company, or a friend. If someone stops to help do not open your window or door. Never accept a ride from anyone you do not know.

Protect Your Property

- Never lend your keys. These could be stolen or duplicated which could lead to unauthorized access.
- Keep valuable items such as gaming systems, stereos, etc., out of easy sight of windows and doors.
- Never leave your possessions unsecured or unattended in a public space. For example, do not leave your laptop or phone on the library desk when stepping away for even a moment to make a quick trip to the coffee shop.

- Keep a copy of all important information, such as your driver's license, vehicle VIN, and tag number in a secure location. This can be invaluable if anything is stolen.

Lock it Up!

- Secure your bicycle with a high-quality lock at the bike rack.
- Be sure car windows are up and doors secured.
- Make sure your residence hall room or office door is appropriately secured. Never prop open building exterior doors as this allows admittance to anyone, including individuals who do not belong or who may be unsafe.

Elevator Safety

- Press the alarm button if the elevator malfunctions during operation. The University of Kentucky Physical Plant Division, UKPD, and Lexington Fire Department will be notified and respond to the scene. Remain inside until authorized personnel arrive.

Reporting a Crime or Other Emergency

Crime Reporting for Main Campus

The University encourages students, employees, community members, and guests of Main, North Farm, and South Farm Campuses to report all crimes, emergencies, and public safety-related incidents accurately and promptly to UKPD when the victim of a crime elects to, or is unable to, make such a report. Crimes should be reported to UKPD for purposes of assessing the crime for distributing a potential timely warning notice and for disclosure in the annual crime statistics.

Contact UKPD by:

- Dialing 911 from any campus phone to report an emergency.
- Dialing (859) 257-8573 to report non-emergencies.
- Dialing #UKPD (#8573) from any mobile phone to make direct contact with UKPD. (** Note: Dialing 911 from a cellular phone will connect you to the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government Division of 911.)
- Using the SafeZone App. Downloading this app onto a smartphone allows individuals to text information directly, in real-time, to UKPD Communications.
- Reporting in person at UKPD Headquarters, 152 Transcript Avenue.

Crime Reporting for Separate Campuses

Further, the University encourages students, employees, community members, and guests of other separate campuses to accurately and promptly report all crimes, emergencies, and public safety-related incidents to the

appropriate law enforcement agency identified below when the victim of a crime elects to, or is unable to, make such a report. UKPD is unable to respond to emergency calls at Little Research Campus (Woodford County), Robinson Forest (Breathitt County), West Kentucky Research and Education Center (Caldwell County), Paducah Campus (McCracken County), Hazard Campus (Perry County), Bowling Green Campus (Warren County), Northern Kentucky Campus at Highland Heights (Campbell County), Northern Kentucky Campus at Edgewood (Kenton County) and UK St. Claire (Rowan County) due to geographical restrictions and encourages faculty, staff, and students to report any immediate threats to the local law enforcement agency listed below for those areas.

Survivors of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking at all campuses are encouraged to contact the University's Violence Intervention and Prevention (VIP) Center for services and support (<https://www.uky.edu/vipcenter/>) as well as to report to the Office of Equal Opportunity at (859) 257-8927. Additional resources are presented in the section on **Assistance for Victims: Rights and Options**.

Table 1: Local Law Enforcement Contact Information

CAMPUS	EMERGENCY	NON-EMERGENCY
Main Campus	911	(859) 257-8573 University of Kentucky Police Department
South Farm Campus	911	(859) 257-8573 University of Kentucky Police Department
North Farm Campus	911	(859) 257-8573 University of Kentucky Police Department
Little Research Campus	911	(859) 873-3126 Versailles Police Department
Robinson Forest Campus	911	(606) 666-3800 Breathitt County Sheriff's Office
West Kentucky Campus	911	(270) 365-2088 Caldwell County Sheriff's Office
Hazard Campus	911	(606) 436-2222 Hazard Police Department
Paducah Campus	911	(270) 444-8550 Paducah Police Department
Bowling Green Campus	911	(270) 393-4000 Bowling Green Police Department
Northern Kentucky Campus (Highland Heights)	911	(859) 572-5500 Northern Kentucky University Police Department
Northern Kentucky Campus (Edgewood)	911	(859) 331-5911 Edgewood Police Department
UK St. Claire Campus	911	(606) 784-7511 Morehead Police Department

Crime Reporting to a Campus Security Authority

The University recognizes that sometimes crime victims may not wish to report to the police. Therefore, crime victims may report a crime to the following CSAs. (These CSAs are still obligated to report the crime occurrence for statistical purposes as a confidential statistic.) All campuses are welcome to report non-emergencies to the following CSAs.

Note: These are NON-EMERGENCY contacts.

Dean of Students
301 Frazee Hall
(859) 257-3754

Center for Support and Intervention
Frazee Hall, 3rd Floor
(859) 257-3755

Sex Offenses, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking may also be reported to:

Title IX Coordinator
Patterson Office Tower, 18th Floor
(859) 257-8927

VIP Center
316 Gatton Student Center
(859) 257-3574

Response to Reports of Criminal Activity or Other Emergencies

Main Campus

Trained and state-certified police telecommunications officers staff the UKPD Telecommunications Office 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. UKPD's Telecommunications Office is equipped with a telecommunication device (TDD) for communication with hearing-impaired individuals.

Regardless of whether a written report is created, UKPD makes a record of every incident to which it responds, in any of the following situations: citizen reports of crimes, citizen complaints, and citizen requests for services. Citizen requests for service can include instances when (a) an officer is dispatched, (b) an employee is assigned to investigate, (c) an employee is assigned to take action at a later time, (d) criminal and non-criminal cases initiated by law enforcement officers, and (e) incidents involving arrests, citations, or summonses.

Comprehensive reporting is necessary to ensure that alleged events are recorded accurately and to protect the rights of officers and citizens. A record will be made of actions taken by the responding officer whether the call is a request for service or self-initiated activity. In many instances, the Communications Division will accomplish the reporting requirement through the collection of information (i.e., case numbers, disposition codes, etc.) on audiotape and Computer-Aided Dispatch (CAD). A record will be made of all dispatched calls. This in no way relieves officers from their responsibility to take written reports when the circumstances of a call or activity require one. When duplicate calls are received for a single incident, only one report will be required.

UKPD forwards any criminal incident report involving a University student, where that student is a suspect or offender, to the Dean of Students Office for review and potential action. UKPD detectives will investigate a report when deemed appropriate. The detectives will also forward any additional information obtained via the investigation to the Dean of Students Office.

The University campus is equipped with numerous outdoor emergency alert towers. These towers are equipped with phones programmed to dial UKPD when activated. (The telecommunications officer receiving the call knows exactly where the call is originating.) To use these phones, simply push the red button and the emergency call will be initiated. A campus map displaying the locations of these phones may be viewed at

<http://maps.uky.edu/printablemaps/VisitorMap.pdf>.

UKPD maintains direct communications with the appropriate local police, fire, and emergency medical response agencies to facilitate their responses in an emergency. Direct communication is also maintained with the Environmental Health and Safety Division (EHS), University Fire Marshal, Physical Plant Division (PPD), Transportation Services, and UK HealthCare Security.

Separate Campuses

The local law enforcement agencies of separate campuses will provide any needed law enforcement services, including the investigation of any criminal incidents. These investigations may be done in concert with UKPD to ensure a structured criminal investigation on University property. If UKPD becomes aware of a specific crime being worked by a local law enforcement agency that has an immediate or on-going threat to campus, the two agencies will share information to assess the crime for distributing a potential timely warning notice and for disclosure in the annual crime statistics.

Off-Campus Crime

Lexington Area

If LPD is contacted about criminal activity occurring off-campus near Main Campus involving University students, they *may* notify UKPD. However, there is no official LPD policy requiring such notification. Students in these cases may be subject to arrest by LPD and University disciplinary proceedings through the Dean of Students Office. If notified, UKPD officers may assist with the investigation in cooperation with local, state, or federal law enforcement. LPD routinely works and communicates with campus officers on serious incidents occurring on campus or in the immediate neighborhoods and/or businesses surrounding campus. If LPD is contacted regarding incidents occurring in/on University-controlled property, including non-campus student housing facilities and student organizations, UKPD has requested that LPD also notify them of the incident. While LPD has primary jurisdiction in all areas off campus, UKPD officers may and will respond to student-related incidents that occur close to campus when requested by LPD.

Lexington Police Department
150 East Main Street
(859) 258-3600

Off Separate Campus Geography

If local law enforcement jurisdictions are contacted about criminal activity occurring off-campus near separate campus locations involving University students, they *may* notify UKPD. However, there is no official policy or memorandum of agreement requiring such notification. Students in these cases may be subject to arrest by local law enforcement and University disciplinary proceedings through the Dean of Students Office. If notified, UKPD officers may assist with the investigation in cooperation with local, state, or federal law enforcement. While local law enforcement has primary jurisdiction in all areas off separate campus geography, UKPD

officers may respond to student-related incidents that occur close to separate campus locations when requested by local law enforcement.

Voluntary Confidential Reporting

The University investigates all reports; it does not have a voluntary, confidential reporting policy. UKPD encourages anyone who is the victim or witness to any crime to report the incident to the police promptly. Because police reports are public records under state law, UKPD cannot hold reports of crime in confidence. When a potentially dangerous threat to the University community arises, UKPD will issue timely reports or warnings through e-mail announcements, the posting of flyers at local campuses, or other appropriate means.

It should be noted that students and staff of separate campuses are also encouraged to report criminal incidents to their local/resident police. As stated above, police reports are public records under state law, and the local law enforcement agency may not be able to hold those reports in confidence. Thus, no voluntary confidential reporting exists at separate campuses.

The University does not have a voluntary confidential reporting procedure and, therefore, pastoral and professional counselors cannot notify their clients of the existence of such a reporting type/option. However, it should be noted that these counselors are not CSAs under the Clery Act and are thus considered exempt from reporting confidential statistics. The Clery Act defines pastoral and professional counselors as follows:

- Pastoral counselor: A person who is associated with a religious order or denomination, is recognized by that religious order or denomination as someone who provides confidential counseling, and is functioning within the scope of that recognition as a pastoral counselor.
- Professional counselor: A person whose official responsibilities include providing mental health counseling to members of the institution's community and who is functioning within the scope of the counselor's license or certification.

The Clery Act provides for this exemption to ensure that these individuals can provide appropriate counseling services without an obligation to report crimes they may learn about through client care. This exemption is intended to protect the counselor-client relationship. However, even the legally-recognized privileges acknowledge some exemptions, and there may be situations in which counselors are in fact under a legal obligation to report a crime. Further, if a counselor deems it appropriate, he/she may encourage clients to report incidents of crime.

Timely Warning Notifications (Crime Bulletins)

Timely Warning Policy: In line with UKPD mission and with the Clery Act, UKPD will provide "timely warnings" in the form of a Crime Bulletin when a crime represents a serious or continuing threat to the safety of the campus community.

Crime Bulletin: When an incident or crime that has occurred on University property (including separate campuses) is reported to or brought to the attention of UKPD, UKPD will determine if the incident or crime constitutes a specific Clery Act crime (see below) reported having occurred on Clery-defined geography (on campus, on non-campus property that is owned/controlled by the University and frequented by students, or on public property within or immediately adjacent/accessible to campus). UKPD is responsible for issuing a Timely Warning in the form of a Crime Bulletin if UKPD confirms that the incident is serious and represents an ongoing threat to the safety of members of the campus community. Information for Crime Bulletins may also come from other law enforcement agencies or other offices. The Crime Bulletin may also seek information that may lead to arrest and conviction of the offender when crimes against persons or major crimes against property have been reported. It is prevention-oriented and is meant to enable members of the campus community to protect themselves and aid in the prevention of similar crimes.

Crime Bulletins will be distributed as soon as possible after the incident is reported with the intent to aid in the prevention of similar occurrences; however, the release is subject to the availability of accurate facts concerning the incident, the timeliness of the incident report, whether there is an ongoing threat to the community, and the risk of compromising law enforcement efforts. UKPD writes the Crime Bulletins and works in conjunction with UK Public Relations and/or the Office of the President to promptly disseminate the information to students and employees.

Victim names and any other identifying information are kept strictly confidential and are not included as part of the Crime Bulletin. Crime Bulletins are printed and distributed to multiple areas on campus. These areas may include residence halls, other on-campus residential facilities, libraries, UK HealthCare facilities, and any additional areas that may assist in alerting the campus community. Crime Bulletins are also distributed via the campus e-mail network and posted on the UKPD website.

Crime Bulletins may be issued for, but not limited to, any of the following Clery Act crime classifications:

- Criminal Offenses – Criminal Homicide, including Murder and Non-negligent Manslaughter, and Manslaughter by Negligence; Sexual Assault, including Rape, Fondling, Incest, and Statutory Rape; Robbery; Aggravated Assault; Burglary; Motor Vehicle Theft; and Arson;
- Hate Crimes – Any of the above-mentioned offenses, and any incidents of Larceny-Theft, Simple Assault, Intimidation, or Destruction/Damage/Vandalism of Property that were motivated by bias;
- Violence Against Women Act Offenses – Any incidents of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking (note that Sexual Assault is also a VAWA Offense but is included in the Criminal Offenses category for Clery Act reporting purposes); and
- Arrests and Referrals for Disciplinary Action – Weapons Law Violations, including Carrying, Possessing, etc.; Drug Abuse Violations; and Liquor Law Violations.

It is important to note that institutions are not required to issue timely warnings concerning crimes reported to licensed pastoral or professional counselors. Under the Clery Act, these counselors are under no obligation to report information they learn about through client interactions.

Timely Warning Procedure

Table 2: Timely Warning Procedure

1. The UKPD shift commander shall be responsible for notifying the on-call Commander of any crime that presents a serious and continuing threat to the campus community.
2. After the on-call Commander confers with the Chief of Police or his/her designee and the decision is made to issue a timely warning, the on-call Commander shall prepare a Crime Bulletin and submit to the Chief of Police and on-call UK Public Relations Officer for review/revision.
3. Once the final version of the timely warning is approved, UK Public Relations will send an email to the campus-wide ListServ distribution list. Updates may be issued through an email or the University website; social media may also be used to provide updates as determined by UK Public Relations and the Chief of Police.

Crime Bulletins may also be posted in campus buildings when deemed necessary by the UKPD Chief of Police. Postings will be in the lobby entrance of the selected buildings.

It should be noted that Crime Bulletins are not issued for the above-described crimes if:

1. UKPD apprehends the subject(s) and the threat has been quickly mitigated.
2. If UKPD was not notified of a crime in a manner that would allow the department to post a warning in a timely manner for the campus community (analysis of delayed reports for potential timely warning applicability will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis);
3. A UK Alert/Immediate Notification was issued.

Table 3: Timely Warning Description

Timely Warning	
Crimes Subject to Timely Warning Consideration	A timely warning is issued for all Clery Act crimes that occur on Clery Act geography that are: • reported to campus security authorities or police; and • considered to represent a serious or continuing threat to the campus community.
Distribution To	Entire Campus Community
When	Issued as soon as pertinent information is available.
Follow-up	No follow-up communication is required.
Exempt Disclosure	Not required to provide a timely warning for non-Clery Act crimes or for crimes reported to a pastoral or professional counselor.
Decision Process	Decision is made on a case-by-case basis in regard to nature of the crime, continuing danger to the community, and possible risk of compromising law enforcement efforts.
Content	Information that will promote safety and aid in the prevention of similar crimes.

Emergency Response and Evacuation

Emergency Response: The University has adopted an Emergency Operations Plan (EOP) that is designed to mobilize rapidly and efficiently the University's resources, personnel, and equipment to emergencies which may confront the University. The EOP provides responders with a framework and guidance to assist in the protection of life and property through effective use of resources. It defines roles and establishes key responsibilities for departments and personnel to implement before, during, and immediately following an emergency. The EOP is designed as an "all hazards" document, not to address unique conditions that result from a particular hazard or event, but instead provides a framework to develop and maintain hazard-specific annexes. This means it contains concepts, policies, and procedures that apply regardless of the nature or origin of an emergency or disaster. Because this plan is designed to be flexible, part or all of it may be activated as the situation necessitates. Although planning is based on a worst-case scenario, general procedures for the management of information, activities and operations, and roles and responsibilities can be applied as needed during any level of emergency.

The University consists of a main campus and 11 additional campuses. This plan provides guidance for the Lexington, KY campuses only – Main Campus, North Farm, and South Farm. The remaining campuses operate under the guidance of the local city/county EOP and the individual building emergency action plans.

Each department is responsible for maintaining its own emergency operations plans that coincides with the University's overall EOP. The EOP can be used as a reference, but does not replace the departments' responsibilities to develop and test their own emergency plans. These departmental plans are called Building Emergency Action Plans (BEAP) and are designed to provide for students, employees, and visitors during an emergency. The development and use of a BEAP is an integral part of the University's strategy for responding to and recovering from emergencies. To ensure relevance and utility, the BEAP must be kept current with changes in facilities, personnel, and equipment. Once a plan is completed and/or updated annually it is reviewed and approved by CMP and released for implementation.

Types of emergencies covered under a BEAP may include (but are not limited to) the following:

- Fire
- Severe Weather
- Earthquake
- Utility Outage
- Acts of Violence
- Bomb Threat
- Medical Emergency
- Hazardous Materials Release
- Medical Emergency
- Written and Verbal Threats
- Non-Violent Behavior/Civil Disturbance

Further, Event Operations Plans are designed to ensure building occupants and event participants know the needed actions to take during an emergency or crisis, such as how to evacuate from a specific building. These plans may assist in enacting required emergency procedures should the need arise.

Types of emergencies covered under an Event Operations Plan may include (but are not limited to) the following:

- Fire and/or Explosion
- Bomb Threat
- Civil Disturbances
- Pandemic Flu Plan
- Power Failure
- Water Contamination
- Response to Major Crime on Campus
- Response to Active Aggressor
- Accidents, Injuries, and Serious Illness
- Earthquake
- Response to Hostage Situations
- Chemical, Biological, Radiological Problems
- Terrorism Threats/Incidents, Suspicious Material
- Tornadoes
- Ice/Snow Storms
- Rumor Control
- Flooding

In 2003 all federal, state, tribal, and local organizations were required to implement the National Incident Management System (NIMS) during any domestic incident management, and emergency prevention, preparedness, response, recovery, and mitigation programs or activities. One component of NIMS is the Incident Command System (ICS). ICS is a standardized, on-scene, all hazards incident management concept that is utilized for all domestic emergency incidents. This system allows first responders throughout the country to work seamlessly in a standardized organizational structure. The University will utilize ICS when responding to emergencies on campus.

Each emergency shall be led by an Incident Commander (IC), who is responsible for all aspects of the incident. The IC is selected based upon his/her qualifications and expertise, not necessarily rank, position or seniority. Typically, the first responding officer or Fire Major/Chief will assume the role of IC, until a more qualified person arrives and formally assumes command. The IC is responsible for all activities with the incident, to include the final authority on all aspects of operations, planning, logistics, finance, safety, liaison, and public information until he/she delegates that authority to another person. When the responsibility of Incident Command is transferred from one person to another a transfer command briefing is held face to face and a written summary of circumstances is provided to the incoming IC. The change in command is announced to all incident personnel.

Emergency Response and Evacuation Procedures at Separate Campuses: Due to the distance from Main Campus, UKPD trains and authorizes certain administrators at the Little Research Campus (Woodford County), Robinson Forest (Breathitt County), West Kentucky Research and Education Center (Caldwell County), Paducah Campus (McCracken County), Hazard Campus (Perry County), Bowling Green Campus (Warren County), Northern Kentucky Campus – Highland Heights (Campbell County), Northern Kentucky Campus – Edgewood (Kenton County), and UK St. Claire (Rowan County) to send alerts to their respective campuses. The individuals associated with these locations know how to join the separate campus emergency notification lists. These administrators monitor the weather, send tornado warnings via UK Alert to their respective campus lists, and call 911 and/or the local first responders to provide emergency services. The administrators also call/notify UKPD.

Separate campus senior administrators present may work with local law enforcement to initiate evacuations as necessary. Should the incident permit (given type of hazard/threat, area of campus in danger, ability to contain the threat), full coordination of any evacuations will be executed with the assistance of UKPD and CMP.

Evacuation: Per the Kentucky Fire Prevention Code, it is the University's policy to immediately evacuate a building upon the activation of the fire alarm system. The only exceptions are in certain UK HealthCare facilities where procedures are being performed and alternate plans are in place and the Singletary Center during performances. To view the policy in its entirety, visit <https://fire.uky.edu/evacuation-policy> (Appendix A). The University's evacuation policy makes exceptions for persons with disabilities that may require assistance during an emergency. To view the policy in its entirety, visit <https://fire.uky.edu/home/ada-evacuation-policy/ada-evacuation-policy> (Appendix B). The University reviews and tests emergency evacuation plans throughout campus on at least an annual basis. All residence halls conduct drills at least once per semester and all other buildings on campus conduct drills based on their individual Building Emergency Action Plans.

General Building Evacuation Procedures

Various emergencies may require a full evacuation of a building. All persons should evacuate the building upon activation of the fire alarm (as discussed in the above section on Fire Drills), the direction of emergency services personnel, or the direction of any person holding a role in emergency responsibilities for the department or building. When directed to evacuate, follow the posted evacuation routes in the building. If a specified evacuation route is blocked or otherwise unusable, use your own best judgement to identify an alternate route.

When evacuating:

- Remain calm
- Collect valuables (e.g., purse, coat) only if time permits
- If you are the last one out of a room, close the door
- If you encounter a student or visitor, direct them to evacuate
- If you encounter a physically disabled individual, assist that person out of the building or to the nearest stairwell and seek further assistance from an emergency responder outside the building
- Do not use elevators, use the stairs
- If you are conducting a laboratory experiment or other process, take appropriate steps to stop the experiment or process to prevent additional accidents while it is unattended. If you are unable to render the situation safe, evacuate and notify emergency responders of the potential hazard

Upon exiting the building, go to the designated emergency assembly area as identified by your department's BEAP. If the emergency assembly area is inaccessible or exposed to an ongoing threat, go to the alternate assembly area. Do not leave the assembly area or re-enter the affected building or area until you hear a re-entry order from emergency officials. Hazards may be present even if alarms are no longer actively sounding. Prematurely re-entering a dangerous area risks not only your own safety but that of emergency responders who may have to rescue you.

Fire Drills

Each on-campus housing facility is required to have fire drills per the Fire/Life Safety Policy for On-Campus Student Housing, viewable at <https://fire.uky.edu/sites/default/files/2026-03/fire-and-life-safety-policy.pdf> (Appendix C). Part II – Residence Halls, Paragraph 5, of the policy states:

- (1) Two fire drills shall be conducted during the Fall Semester. The first drill shall be an announced walk-through drill. The second drill shall be unannounced.
- (2) One unannounced drill shall be conducted during the Spring Semester.
- (3) All fire drills shall be reported to the University Fire Marshal via the on-line fire drill report within forty-eight (48) hours of the event.
- (4) The fire alarm shall be utilized for each drill.
- (5) The University of Kentucky Office of Residence Life shall schedule fire drills.

Part II – Greek Housing, Paragraph 3, has all the same requirements as stated in Part II – Residence Halls, Paragraph 5.

The University Fire Marshal keeps a record of each drill on file.

The University Fire Marshal coordinates evacuation (fire) drills each semester for all residential facilities including the University of Kentucky Main Campus and eleven (11) separate campuses: Little Research Center, North Farm, South Farm, Robinson Forest, West Kentucky Research and Education Center, Paducah Campus, Hazard Campus, Bowling Green Campus – College of Medicine, Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Highland Heights), and Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Edgewood) (if applicable). Students learn the locations of the emergency exits in the buildings and are guided in the direction they should travel when exiting each facility for short-term building evacuations. The University Fire Marshal does not notify residents in advance about the designated locations for long-term evacuations because those decisions are affected by the time of day, location of the building being evacuated, the availability of the various designated emergency gathering locations on campus, and other factors such as the location and nature of the threat. In both short-term and long-term building evacuations, UKPD, the University Fire Marshal, and Housing staff on the scene will communicate information to students regarding the developing situation or any evacuation status changes.

The purpose of evacuation drills is to prepare building occupants for an organized evacuation in the case of a fire or other emergency. At the University, evacuation drills are used to educate and train occupants on fire safety issues specific to their building. During the drill, occupants practice procedures and familiarize themselves with the location of exits and the sound of the fire alarm.

In addition to educating the occupants of each building about the evacuation procedures during the drills, the process also provides the University an opportunity to test the operation of fire alarm system components. The University Fire Marshal monitors evacuation drills to evaluate egress and behavioral patterns. Participating departments prepare reports that identify deficient equipment so repairs can be made immediately. Recommendations for improvements are also submitted to the appropriate departments/offices for

consideration. Students receive information about evacuation and shelter-in-place procedures during their initial floor meetings and during other educational sessions offered throughout the year. Housing staff members are annually trained in these procedures and act as a constant resource for the students living in residential facilities.

Fire Alarm Activation/Fire Discovery Procedures

Any person who becomes aware of a fire shall immediately activate the building fire alarm system. The fire alarm system will in turn notify all building occupants that a fire emergency exists through an audible alarm and a flashing light.

The University of Kentucky Evacuation Policy (<https://fire.uky.edu/evacuation-policy>) mandates that the building shall immediately be evacuated (except in hospital patient areas where alternate procedures are authorized). All persons will regard any activation of a fire alarm as a true fire emergency unless there has been previous notification of a fire alarm system test. While evacuating, the person activating the fire alarm shall contact UKPD and advise the UK Police Dispatcher of the fire situation.

Attempt to extinguish the fire only if you have been trained to operate a fire extinguisher, you are comfortable making the attempt, and the fire is very small (i.e., in its initial stages). If the fire is not contained, is spreading rapidly, is partially hidden behind a wall or ceiling, cannot be reached from a standing position, or if it becomes difficult to breathe in the room, do not attempt to extinguish the fire. Cease all attempts to extinguish the fire. Evacuate the building. Regardless of the fire's size or the success of your attempt to extinguish it, always call 911.

The Building Emergency Coordinator will provide information to UKPD, the UK Fire Marshal, Lexington Fire Department, or any other emergency response agencies on the scene. This information may include, but is not limited to:

- Location of the fire;
- Names and locations of disabled individuals requiring evacuation assistance;
- Status of the evacuation, including personnel missing who may still be in the building, and special hazards associated with the building.

It is important to note in regard to all evacuations that the scope may range from a single building to multiple buildings or even to a larger area depending on the hazard. The size and scope of an evacuation must always be taken into account by emergency officials coordinating the incident response.

Campus-Wide Evacuation Procedures

The University maintains an Incident Specific Response Guideline as part of the larger Emergency Operations Plan which addresses procedures to be utilized during a campus-wide evacuation. This plan directs the removal of all persons from campus, who are not performing safety protocols, in a timely manner. The University will continue to use its Emergency Notification System and other methods of notification to disseminate information concerning the incident and the evacuation.

Emergency Response Drills and Exercises: Exercises establish opportunities to evaluate the University's emergency response procedures while providing CMP the ability to identify areas for improvement within plans, policies, equipment, and trainings. The University will test and publicize emergency and evacuation procedures at least annually (most tests are performed more frequently). Emergency response systems are tested each spring in conjunction with Kentucky's Severe Weather drill and the fall in conjunction with the national Great American Shake-Out. These tests are publicized to the campus community. These tests evaluate the performance of the following critical systems: UK Alert, outdoor emergency notification towers, mass email to the University community, mass landline phone alerts to all VOIP phones on campus, etc. Additionally, UKPD tests all emergency notification towers every month.

Further, the CMP team maintains a robust training and exercise program that includes workshops, conferences, functional/full-scale exercises, tabletops, etc., throughout the year as they are dedicated to regularly testing the knowledge, skills, and abilities of emergency personnel as well as the plans, policies, procedures, facilities, and equipment of the University. Training helps emergency personnel become familiar with their responsibilities and acquire the skills necessary to perform assigned tasks. Exercises provide a means to validate plans, checklists, and response procedures and to evaluate the skills of personnel. These activities may be announced or unannounced depending on the specific activity.

There are five types of emergency management exercises. A variety of types may be completed each year. Types of exercises include:

- **Orientation Seminars:** These sessions allow participants to evaluate plans and procedures before beginning a drill or exercise. They provide a low stress environment to resolve questions of coordination and assignment of responsibilities.
- **Drills:** Drills are used to demonstrate, build, or refresh skills learned in training. They are focused on organizational SOP.
- **Tabletop exercises:** A scenario-driven exercise that focuses on the roles, responsibilities, and policy implementation of the incident management team members. Emergency response personnel participate in a written scenario activity to test internal practices. Further, provides the opportunity to practice personal skills and identify organizational or operational shortfalls.
- **Functional exercises:** A scenario-driven, real-time exercise used to practice specific parts of the EOP. A functional exercise is a management- or activity-oriented exercise used to practice skills, build coordination, and develop teamwork. It is similar to a full-scale exercise but does not include equipment or deploy actual field resources.
- **Full-scale exercises:** These exercises simulate an actual disaster in real time. Depending on the level of the exercise, it may include the use of props, specialized equipment, and special effects in some instances. A full-scale exercise requires a high degree of training, organization, and planning, yet it allows the university to practice all aspects of the EOP and develop its relationships with external support agencies.

Each year CMP will conduct exercises for various department/units on campus and with community partners. These exercises are considered an opportunity for specialized training related to the threats confronting campus. All exercises will include an after-action report (detailed below).

Table 4: 2025 CMP Training

TYPE OF PROGRAM	DATE HELD	LOCATION HELD	AUDIENCE	TOPIC COVERED
Seminar Training	02/06-07/2025	Emergency Operations Center	Emergency Responders and Stakeholders	Incident Command System – ICS400
Table-Top Exercise	03/11/2025; 04/01/2025; 10/22/2025	Emergency Operations Center; UKPD Training Room	Emergency Responders and Stakeholders	Incident Command System
Emergency Alerts Test	03/07/2025	Campus Wide	Campus Community	Emergency Alert Full System Test
Seminar Training	03/17-18/2025	Emergency Operations Center	Emergency Responders and Stakeholders	Exercise Planning Cycle - HSEEP
Seminar Training	04/08-10/2025	Emergency Operations Center	Emergency Responders and Stakeholders	Incident Command System – ICS300
Table-Top Exercise	05/15/2025	UK HealthCare Incident Command Center	HealthCare Staff	Surge of patients to hospitals
Seminar Training	07/08-09/2025	Emergency Operations Center	Emergency Responders, HealthCare Staff, Stakeholders	Medical Point of Dispensing
Seminar Training	07/16-17/2025	Emergency Operations Center	Emergency Responders and Stakeholders	Incident Command System – ICS400
Table-Top Exercise	08/14/2025	UK Athletics Recruit Room Kroger Field	Emergency Responders and Stakeholders Campus Community	Incident Response
Cybersecurity Response Table-Top Exercise	09/08/2025	UK EOC, UK HealthCare Command Center	UKPD, UK HealthCare, UK Information Technology	Incident Response
Training Presentation	09/22/2025	UK Gatton Student Center	Fulbright Program, UK International Student Center, UKPD	Emergency Management
Seminar Training	09/23-24/2025	Emergency Operations Center	Emergency Responders, HealthCare Staff, and Stakeholders	Pediatric Medical Preparedness

Table 4: 2025 CMP Training (continued)

Table-Top Exercise	09/24/2025; 12/02/2025	Lewis Hall; Fayette County Cooperative Extension Office	University of Kentucky Community	Incident Response
Seminar Training	10/02/2025	Web-Based	Campus Community	Emergency Preparedness and Resilience
Seminar Training	10/02-03/2025	UKPD Training Room	Emergency Responders and Stakeholders	Emergency Response Training - TEEX
Emergency Alert Test	10/16/2025	Campus Wide	Campus Community	Earthquake Drill – 2025 Great Shake Out
Seminar Training	10/28-30/2025	Emergency Operations Center	Emergency Responders and Stakeholders	Incident Command System – ICS 300
Full Scale Exercise	11/20/2025	UK Emergency Operations Center, Kroger Field, UK Chandler Hospital, UK Good Samaritan Hospital, Baptist Hospital	Emergency Responders Campus Community Stakeholders UK HealthCare	Vehicle Ramming and Explosion at Kroger Field during CatWalk
Seminar Training	12/03-04/2025	UKPD Training Room	Emergency Response and Stakeholders	Emergency Response Training – TEEX

Further, it should be noted that following each major exercise or activation of the Crisis Management Team, an After Action Report (AAR) is completed to evaluate the event against measurable goals. This document may include purpose, date/time, announced/unannounced, participants, scope and incident summary, major strengths, and areas for improvements. The AAR is designed to assess emergency plans and core capabilities. The AAR may be distributed to the participants for review and to address action items for the improvement of the plan.

Emergency Notification System (UK Alert)

Emergency Notifications (UK Alert) Policy: The University operates an emergency message notification system for the purpose of delivering subscription-based, along with mandatory uky.edu email addresses, emergency messages to the campus community. The system, known as UK Alert, delivers emergency messages via telephone (cellular and/or VOIP landline), uky.edu, text message, push notification (via SafeZone), email, pager, various social media accounts, and indoor/outdoor Common Alerting Protocol-compliant (CAP) notification systems to subscribers and the campus community. The objective is to employ a multi-layered approach to deliver emergency messages. The University may use all methods of the emergency notification system or a combination of the methods, depending on the situation.

The design goal of UK Alert is to assist in promoting a safe environment for students, faculty, staff, and visitors. The recipient only receives an alert during emergencies that require immediate action. Emergencies are unplanned events that can cause physical injury to the community, that can cause physical or environmental damage or that can disrupt and/or damage research or educational operations. Examples include but are not limited to dangerous situations such as active aggressor, civil disturbance, hostage situation, fire, gas leak, hazardous material leak/spill, and or tornado warning.

All University students, faculty, and staff are automatically registered in UK Alert with their official University email address. Students are also automatically enrolled in UK Alert via phone call and text. The University encourages staff to download the SafeZone app and provide a cell phone number in order to opt-in to UK Alert via phone call and text. Parents, media, visitors, and other interested parties may register for UK Alert via text message on a voluntary self-subscription basis. For further information or to subscribe, go to <https://police.uky.edu/get-notified/uk-alert>.

If a serious crime, a natural disaster, or a manmade emergency occurs that poses an immediate threat to the health and safety of the University of Kentucky community, federal law requires that the institution immediately notify the campus community. If the University initiates a UK Alert (immediate notification), the institution is not obligated to issue a timely warning notice (crime bulletin).

Table 5: Immediate Notification (UK Alert) Procedure

1. Authorization to initiate a UK Alert immediate notification should be based on two factors – threat to life safety and time
2. The decision to initiate a UK Alert will be based on the emergency incident and timely action required
3. An emergency incident is a natural or manmade event having significant impact to the campus community
4. Activation of the UK Alert immediate notification system shall be activated under the following circumstances:
 - Emergencies requiring immediate action
 - If a phone or radio call is received by Communications and the Communication Officer can reasonably confirm shots fired or an explosion, the Communications Officer shall initiate a UK Alert message immediately
 - Communications shall issue an immediate UK Alert during a Tornado Warning for Fayette County. Once the warning has passed, the Communications Officer shall send an “all clear” message.
 - Disruptions to normal campus operations

Notification to the UK Community About an Immediate Threat: UKPD will immediately notify the University community if, with the help of the appropriate University officials, National Weather Service, and local first responders, they confirm there is an emergency or dangerous situation that poses an immediate threat to the health or safety of the University community. UKPD will determine the content of the message, determine the appropriate segment or segments of the campus community to receive a notification, and will use the appropriate method to communicate the threat. UKPD will immediately, and taking into account the safety of the community, determine the content of the notification and initiate the notification system, unless issuing a notification will, in the professional judgment of responsible authorities, compromise efforts to assist a

victim or to contain, respond to or otherwise mitigate the emergency. UKPD will collaborate with LPD and LFUCG Division of Fire and Emergency Medical Services, when appropriate, to determine whether they should delay issuing a notification. UKPD is the primary authorized initiator to send campus emergency messages to Main Campus, South Farm Campus, and North Farm Campus. (See Emergency Response and Evacuation Procedures at Separate Campuses for information on separate campuses.) There may be circumstances where UK Public Relations is authorized to send UK Alerts as requested by the Chief of Police or his/her designee.

In the event of a serious incident that poses an immediate threat to members of the University community, the methods provided below may be used together, individually, or in any combination, during an emergency notification:

- Network email
- Text messages
- Voice messages
- Push notification via SafeZone
- X posts
- Facebook posts
- VOIP office phones (text and voice)
- Wide area notification through the Talk-A-Phones (Main Campus only)

If there is an immediate threat to the health or safety of students or employees, the University will follow its emergency notification procedures. Having done so, the University is not required to issue a timely warning (crime bulletin) based on the same circumstances; however, the University will provide follow-up information to the community as needed. During a critical incident, the University will provide additional information through the University home page (<http://www.uky.edu/>) and the Infoline (859) 257-5684, as well as local media. Individuals outside the University community may remain informed by visiting the University website and signing up for UK Alert at <https://police.uky.edu/get-notified/uk-alert>.

All members of the local community are encouraged to notify UKPD of any emergency that may pose a risk to the health and safety of the students, faculty, staff, or visitors on campus. UKPD has the responsibility to mitigate, respond, and investigate all emergency/dangerous incidents. Additionally, UKPD has a responsibility to respond to such incidents to determine if the situation does pose a threat to the community. If so, federal law requires notification to the University community or the appropriate segments of the community that may be affected by the situation. In such an event, UKPD will work with the appropriate parties (University officials, National Weather Service, local first responders, LPD, LFUCG Division of Fire and Emergency Medical Services, etc.) to ensure the local community is appropriately informed.

Table 6: Emergency Notification (UK Alert) Description

Emergency Notification	
Incidents Subject to Emergency Notification Consideration	Campus community will be immediately notified upon confirmation of a significant emergency or dangerous situation occurring on campus that involves an immediate threat to health or safety.
Distribution To	May alert only the segment of campus population that is determined to be at risk.
When	Issued immediately upon confirmation that a dangerous situation or emergency exists or threatens.
Follow-up	Follow-up communication is required.
Decision Process	The University will immediately notify the campus community upon confirmation (verified by University officials) of an emergency or dangerous situation.
Content	UKPD will immediately, and taking into account the safety of the community, determine the content of the notification and initiate the notification system, unless issuing a notification will, in the professional judgment of responsible authorities, compromise efforts to assist a victim or to contain, respond to, or otherwise mitigate the emergency.

Further, emergency notification information *may* be distributed to the broader campus community using some or all of the following methods, depending on situational awareness, circumstances, conditions, and/or availability.

Table 7: Other Emergency Notification Methods

Notification Method	Message Type	Distribution	Type of Action or Information	Administrator
Text Message – UK Alert UK Alert is distributed as text messages to subscribed patrons, which is optional for all students and employees. Others may register on a voluntary self-subscription basis.	Text Message	Entire Campus Community – Students, Employees, and Subscribers	Immediate Action	UKPD
Voice Call – UK Alert UK Alert is distributed as a voice call to subscribed patrons, which is optional for all students and employees. Others may register on a voluntary self-subscription basis.	Phone Call	Entire Campus Community – Students, Employees, and Subscribers	Immediate Action	UKPD

Table 7: Other Emergency Notification Methods (continued)

Push Notification via SafeZone – UK Alert UK Alert is distributed as a push notification to all UKY users who have the app downloaded and have opted-in to push notifications.	Push Notification	Entire Campus Community – Students and employees who have downloaded the SafeZone app.	Immediate Action	UKPD
Email – UK Alert UK Alert is distributed as an email to all students and employees who have an official University of Kentucky email address. Others who registered on a voluntary self-subscription basis may also receive an email notification.	Email Message	Entire Campus Community – Students, Employees, and Subscribers	Immediate Action	UKPD
Voice Over Internet Protocol (VOIP) Phones – UK Alert VOIP Phones can be employed to relay UK Alert messages via voice to University desk phones.	Desk Phone Message	UK Employees with a VOIP Phone	Immediate Action	UKPD
Blue Towers Blue Towers are strategically placed across campus to provide outdoor alert tones and broadcast emergency messages.	PA System	Main Campus	Immediate Action	UKPD
Fire Alarms with Digital Voice Command Fire Alarms with digital voice command can be employed to broadcast emergency messages.	PA System	Select Buildings on Main Campus	Immediate Action ADA Information Additional Information	UKPD
UK Website Homepage The UK Homepage (www.uky.edu) may provide primary and additional information during an emergency. UK Alert may direct the campus community to this site for further details.	Emergency Message on Web	Accessible by Entire Campus Community	Immediate Action Additional Information	UK Public Relations
UK Social Media UK PR may repost UK Alerts to UK Social Media outlets and monitor for any responses needed. UKPD Social Media UKPD may repost UK Alerts to UKPD Social Media and assist UK PR as needed.	Emergency Message on Social Media	Accessible by Entire Campus Community	Immediate Action Additional Information	UK Public Relations UKPD

Table 7: Other Emergency Notification Methods (continued)

Press Release to Local Media UK PR may distribute necessary press releases to local media outlets in order to further spread the emergency message to the wider community.	Emergency Message	Accessible by Entire Campus Community	Immediate Action Additional Information	UK Public Relations
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Public Safety Notices (Non-Clery Act Related)

Public Safety Notices: A Public Safety Notice may be issued when the crime or suspicious activity does not fall under the notification requirements set forth by the Clery Act. Public Safety Notices are intended to provide the campus community with information about incidents that occur on campus, though the incidents may not be classified as a Clery Act crime but have been deemed by officials to pose a continuing threat to the campus community. Public Safety Notices may also be issued for any reported crime that may have occurred off-campus and has been deemed by officials to pose a continuing threat to the campus community and for which sufficient credible information has been received. Essentially, Public Safety Notices may be described as other information the University may issue to provide important safety-related information that does not fall within the scope of Clery Act requirements as previously described, but that the University has determined could be informative to the campus community. These type notices are not required by the Clery Act. Public Safety Notices may be issued via the campus email network.

Emergency Medical Response Procedures

Students, staff, and guests at all campuses should report all medical emergencies immediately by calling 911 to connect with their local emergency services.

Individuals on Main Campus, South Farm, and North Farm may also dial #UKPD from a cell phone to connect with UKPD dispatchers directly who can dispatch an ambulance and/or police to their location.

All UKPD certified officers are trained in the following medical areas:

Basic First Aid	Immediate care of individuals ill/injured until full medical treatment may be obtained
Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR)	Lifesaving technique used during cardiac or breathing emergencies
Stop the Bleed	Training to address major bleeding emergencies with the use of tourniquets, direct pressure, and wound packing
Administration of Naloxone (Narcan)	Training officers with medication they carry at all times that reverses respiratory depression from opioid overdose

Safe Housing Practices and Policies

Fire Suppression Notification: The University's Campus Housing Office (Campus Housing) provides all new and returning students with an online notification that lists the University residential facilities and the buildings' level of fire suppression as part of their pre-move-in paperwork. Residents are required to acknowledge receipt of this notice online after receiving their housing assignment. For further information or questions regarding this notification, please contact Campus Housing at (859) 257-1866.

Assignment of Accessible Housing: Residence hall rooms and University apartments are available for students who need accessible or unique accommodations due to disability or chronic health problems. Due to the high demand for housing, students should apply for housing on time. Additionally, students should request the accommodation at the time of application and provide documentation to the Disability Resource Center (DRC) at (859) 257-2754. The DRC evaluates the information and determines the appropriate housing assignments in consultation with Campus Housing.

Safety Procedures for Those Who Require Assistance:

Housing Evacuation List – Safety is a primary concern for students in University housing and requires the cooperative effort of those who live and work in the halls plus security and fire protection personnel. The University provides numerous measures to increase the safety of all students living on campus. The University compiles a housing evacuation list for the police and fire safety officials to use for priority evacuation and safety verification for students, faculty, or staff that self-identify. Students should contact the DRC at (859) 257-2754, to be placed on either of these lists should they need assistance with evacuation during an emergency.

Emergency Assistance Card Program – The University has developed a voluntary Emergency Assistance Card program that is available upon request. Individuals with disabilities can carry this card and present it to a co-worker, friend, or faculty member, who in turn will give it to the emergency team on site. The card identifies the individual who needs assistance during an emergency (e.g., assistance with evacuation) as well as his/her current location and the reason that assistance is required. For more information about the card or to receive a card, contact the DRC at (859) 257-2754. Access to campus buildings and grounds is a privilege extended to students, faculty, staff, and authorized guests. The University encourages an open environment with limited constraints to ensure the reasonable accessibility of all members of the community.

Security of and Access to All Campus Facilities, Including Separate Campuses

Campus Housing: The security of all student residences is a responsibility shared by Campus Housing,

Residence Life, UKPD, and the students who reside in the buildings. The University requires that all residential facilities remain secured 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Residents of each facility gain access via their student identification cards. Guests must provide a UK ID or a government-issued ID and be checked in at the front desk of each residential facility (except University Flats and Boyd Hall). Campus Housing and Residence Life employees perform preventive maintenance throughout the residential facilities as well as respond to reported issues. Students are encouraged to keep their room and apartment doors locked at all times, are expected to ensure that doors latch behind them when they enter or leave a building, and shall not prop doors open. Residents should stop and question any stranger in the building (e.g., who are you here to see?) and notify campus police immediately of any suspicious activity. All security failures must be reported, as soon as they are discovered, to Residence Life staff (at the front desk) or UKPD.

Additional security and access information is detailed below.

Security Measures

- Physical Barriers:
 - All residence hall entryway doors, entry-level elevators, and stairwells are equipped with electronic access control to restrict unauthorized entry beyond the front lobbies.
 - Security cameras monitor building entrances, entry-level lobbies, and floor entrances (stairwells and elevator lobbies); outages are automatically flagged through FIXIT (Housing Maintenance) and sent to the UKPD Security Technology Group for immediate attention and resolution.
- Front Desk Staffing:
 - Front desks are staffed by undergraduate student leaders during nights and weekends and by Community Administrative Assistants during the workweek.
 - All front desk staff are trained to contact UKPD to address any security concerns beyond their ability to resolve (e.g., unauthorized individuals, threats that require support beyond a basic incident report for student conduct).
- Campus Monitoring and Coordination:
 - Resident Advisors (RAs) conduct 2–3 rounds each evening, inspecting common areas for lighting and egress issues. Any concerns are reported through the work order system.
 - Campus Housing staff and weekend security teams under UKPD supervision also monitor outdoor pathways and egress lighting, submitting work orders for any needed repairs.
 - Contract security performs extra patrols inside all residence hall lobbies and sidewalks immediately outside each building throughout the fall and spring semesters, Thursday-Sunday, 12:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.
- Lighting and Egress Monitoring:
 - Outdoor pathways and hallways are regularly checked by Campus Housing staff to ensure they are well-lit and accessible.
 - Weekend security staff, supervised by UKPD, document concerns related to lighting, door functionality, and other safety equipment, passing along this information for immediate remediation through work orders.
- Collaboration and Recommendations:
 - UKPD provides ongoing security recommendations to enhance the safety measures across residence halls, working collaboratively with Campus Housing and Residence Life teams.

Access Measures

- Access Control:
 - All door access and security cameras are managed and maintained by the UKPD Security Technology Group
 - Residents are granted limited access via access level programmed through the Lenel OnGuard system. Access is restricted to entry points and personal room doors.
 - Initial access permissions are transferred from StarRez to Lenel OnGuard in coordination with UKPD's Campus Access and Auxiliary Services staff who manage housing rosters. This process is automated and will capture any changes to room assignments the same day. This process also removes access when there is no longer an active room assignment.
 - Residence Life (ORL) staff can issue temporary access cards or adjust access for short-term needs (e.g., disciplinary actions, lost access cards, technical issues).

Separate Campuses – Campus Housing: All student housing on separate campuses are only on agricultural/forestry research center property: Little Research Center, North Farm, Robinson Forest, and West Kentucky Research & Education Center.

Security Measures

With the exception of the West Kentucky Research and Education Center, all residences are individual family-style housing and each resident is responsible for locking and securing their houses. Individual rooms in the shared residences are individually keyed with locks that residents can keep secured at all times. West Kentucky Research and Education Center operates a small, 14 capacity, residence hall. All residence hall entryway doors and stairwells are equipped with electronic access control to restrict unauthorized entry. Security cameras monitor building entrances and entry-level lobbies and outages are automatically flagged and sent to the UKPD Security Technology Group for immediate attention and resolution. The outside of all residences are visible by almost everyone that works at the respective separate campuses. Therefore, a measure of safety is also provided should any major issues arise in that many people can see the residence and provide line of sight monitoring.

Access Measures

Access to these research centers is through access control and a video management systems. Depending on the needs of the location, the gates are scheduled to open and close at certain times. If a location needs to be accessed after hours, it is done by using an access card, or call box, depending on the specific campus. Closed-circuit video monitors entrance gates.

Academic and Administrative Buildings: Most academic and administrative buildings on the University's main and separate campuses are open during weekday business hours. Some buildings or labs are open for longer periods to accommodate evening classes, research, or other special program needs. Individuals who wish to access these buildings during non-business hours or special events should contact the appropriate department head. Officers regularly patrol the academic/administrative building areas on main campus and perform extra patrols as requested. Specific security and access information for each separate campus can be reviewed under the University of Kentucky Campuses section.

UK HealthCare Facilities: The University's hospitals, both on main campus (Chandler and Good Samaritan) and a separate campus (UK St. Claire), are open for operation 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Access to portions of these healthcare facilities is limited based on time of day and/or work performed in the area. Persons needing access to secured areas should contact UK HealthCare Security and/or the appropriate UK HealthCare department authority.

UK HealthCare manages Eastern State Hospital on the North Farm Campus, an inpatient psychiatric facility that is in operation 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Access to the facility is limited to staff or individuals who have been granted access privileges. Access levels are determined based on an individual's position. Visitors or family members have limited access to the facility and require staff escort within the facility.

Security Considerations in the Maintenance of Campus Facilities: The University is committed to campus safety and security. The University centralized physical security systems in 2013. This included all access control points, interior and exterior notification systems, security cameras, alarm systems, panic alarms, and emergency phones. All systems are centrally controlled by UKPD and are monitored by Police Communications. This allows the University to notify the community and lockdown University facilities in the event of an emergency. The University has developed design standards that ensure all future construction and renovation projects incorporate physical security components.

Exterior lighting and landscape control is a critical part of the commitment to campus safety and security. UKPD employs the concept of CPTED (Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design) and continually conducts security surveys and safety walks to ensure campus lighting is adequate and that the landscape is appropriately controlled, such as maintaining shrubbery in a manner that minimizes hazardous conditions. The University encourages community members to report any deficiency in lighting to the appropriate PPD office. Anyone who has a concern about physical security should contact UKPD at (859) 257-8573. UKPD also allows for any user of the SafeZone safety app to submit physical security or maintenance issues through its platform.

UKPD and PPD work together to identify inoperative locking mechanisms. The University encourages community members to report any locking mechanism deficiency to the appropriate PPD office promptly. Additionally, PPD is available to respond to calls for service regarding unsafe facility conditions. These conditions may include, but are not limited to, unsafe steps or handrails, unsafe roadways on campus, and unsecured equipment.

The Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment, is committed to the security and safety of research activities, research animals in residence, employees, and students in residence on all of its research centers across the state. Access to the Research Centers in Fayette County (North Farm and South Farm) and Woodford County (Little Research Center) is through access control and a video management system. Depending on the needs of the location, the gates are scheduled to open and close at certain times. If a location needs to be accessed after hours, it is done by using an access card. Closed-circuit video monitors entrance gates.

Submit work orders for repairs to Facilities Management, Engineering Division for any gate malfunction, building doors, area security lighting, or any other needed facility repair. The Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment employees or third-party contractors perform the work.

The security and maintenance of separate campuses also ensure a comfortable, functional, and safe environment. Students and staff are encouraged to report any maintenance or unsafe physical conditions related to facilities and/or grounds to the campus director or main office.

Table 8: Campus Maintenance Contact Information

CAMPUS	CONTACT	PHONE NUMBER
Main Campus	Physical Plant Division (General Campus)	(859) 257-4894
	UK Medical Center Physical Plant Division	(859) 323-5792
South Farm Campus	Farm Superintendent	(859) 948-3614
	Horticulture Department Chair, Interim	(859) 257-1758
North Farm Campus	Farm Superintendent	(859) 254-1434 x239
	Farm Manager	(859) 254-1434 x238
	Farm Operations Director for Central KY Farms	(859) 576-3310
Little Research Campus	Farm Superintendent	(859) 509-2971
	Farm Manager	(859) 873-6587
	Farm Operations Director for Central KY Farms	(859) 576-3310
Robinson Forest Campus	Director	(606) 666-2438 x227
	Business Manager	(606) 666-2438 x291
West Kentucky Campus	Operations Superintendent	(270) 365 7541 x21333
	Farm Manager	(270) 365-7541 x21330
	Director	(270) 365-7541 x21320
Hazard Campus	Maintenance	(606) 439-3557
Paducah Campus	Business Office Manager	(270) 534-3129
Bowling Green Campus	Administrative Staff Officer	(859) 562-1274
Northern Kentucky Campus – Highland Heights	NKU Work Control	(859) 572-5660
Northern Kentucky Campus – Edgewood	Maintenance	(859) 301-2000
UK St. Claire Campus	Maintenance	(606) 783-6505

Crime Prevention and Security Awareness Programs

The following is a list of crime prevention and security awareness programs and projects available to the University community. Most programs are provided free of charge. The campus community is encouraged to be responsible for their security and the security of others. A list of programs delivered can be found in Appendix D.

Alcohol Awareness and Education: Before arrival, all incoming students and transfer students under the age of twenty-one (21) years are required to complete the online alcohol and other substances prevention and intervention course, Vector Solution's AlcoholEdu. Those who fail to complete AlcoholEdu have a hold placed on their academic account, restricting them from enrolling in classes the following term, thus allowing us a high completion rate and the opportunity to provide valuable information to students throughout their transition to college.

At various times through the year, our primary prevention and wellness unit Prevention, Outreach, and Wellness Education Resources (POWER), which employs Certified Peer Educators (CPEs), implements health promotion initiatives and provides educational events and programs to university students, student organizations, and staff. This past year the peer educators participated in more than seventy-five (75) events reaching approximately six thousand (6,000) students with messages focused on resource advocacy, prevention, and intervention.

In addition to the CPEs, POWER hosts two large scale events, Wellapalooza (Fall) and Fresh Check Day ® (Spring). Both annual events include more than twenty (20) campus partners and reach more than five hundred (500) students. POWER also works closely with the Office of Student Conduct to provide ongoing restorative actions for students in violation of the Code of Student Conduct. This past year the department supported approximately seven hundred (700) Restorative Actions ranging from online intervention, in-person group interventions, and individualized intervention sessions.

The Study Hub (formerly Transformative Learning), a unit within Student Success, coordinates UK 101, a class for incoming students to acclimate them to the university and college life, provide access to resources, and teach them basics of safety and well-being. POWER created a UK 101 bystander curriculum which includes group work on scenarios and interactive components. All students who did not attend The Learning Bar receive the bystander lesson in class. A well-being curriculum addressing the 8 dimensions of wellness, some of which involve safety, was also created and implemented within the context of UK 101.

One very popular POWER program continues to be the in-person, interactive program referred to as the Learning Bar in which students visit a real bar environment to learn more than sixteen (16) lessons about alcohol, its impacts, and how students who decide to drink can reduce the risk of harm. Points of emphasis include bystanding where students learn about UK's amnesty policy and download the Safezone app. Students also learn about alcohol poisoning and practice the recovery position. Many UK 101, AFE 100, and KHP 151 courses require sessions at the Learning Bar, and approximately 2,300 students have attended this academic year. Beyond the Bar is a virtual session created to cover additional information for those who have attended a regular session and reach students who would not have an opportunity to attend an in-person session.

POWER provides 1:1 wellness coaching, recovery coaching, and healthy relationships to promote positive behaviors and coping skills to reduce harm. POWER is also home to the Collegiate Recovery Program (CRP). This is a program for students in or considering recovery from substance use disorders and other addictive behaviors. Open recovery meetings are held every week on campus and are open to students, faculty, and staff. Additionally, the CRP hosts ongoing prevention and social events throughout the semester that are substance-free and conducive to students' recovery and Recovery Ally training to educate the UK community about addiction and create a recovery ready community.

Wildcab Vouchers: Wildcab Vouchers is a late-night, on-demand student transportation partnership with Uber, offering students a voucher for discounted Uber rides. Wildcab Vouchers provides eligible students with up to ten, \$10 ride vouchers per semester. The vouchers are valid on Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday between 9 p.m. and 5 a.m. within Fayette County. While students are responsible for any amount over the initial \$10, many rides within the service area will be \$10 or less, in which case rides will be essentially free. Students also have the option to redeem a voucher on a ride or save it for a future trip. This partnership program is intended to help students make responsible late-night transportation decisions. For additional information, visit <https://transportation.uky.edu/wildcab-vouchers>.

Transportation Services, POWER, UKY Student Government Association, and Keeneland partnered to provide an additional voucher for \$15, valid 11am – 7pm on Keeneland College Scholarship Day (KCSD), a day when over 6,000 college students gather to watch horse races, have fun, and win scholarships, providing an additional option during time of greater risk of making unsafe transportation decisions. Students took 330 trips using Wildcab Vouchers on KCSD.

Cat's Path: Cat's Path is comprised of a series of walking routes that span central campus and provide the University community with a convenient method of navigating campus on a network of popular paths. The concept for the Cat's Path is a product of the 2005 University of Kentucky Safety Imperative, a comprehensive program spearheaded by Former President Todd and the Former President's Women Safety Advisory Council. The Cat's Path walking route is a tangible result of this effort and speaks to the level of commitment the University has made to reducing violence. The Path represents many hours, weeks, and months of work by a team of individuals from across campus in many different departments including the UKPD, Physical Plant Division, Transportation Services, Environmental Health and Safety, Campus Services, Facilities Management, and the Center for Research on Violence Against Women.

The routes were specifically chosen due to their frequent use and accessibility to major campus destinations. Marked with highly visible signage and paw print ground logos, the Cat's Path is patrolled frequently by UKPD on foot or on bike. Many of the security cameras and Blue Emergency Phone towers on campus were installed along the Cat's Path to provide the ability for police and communications officers to observe these areas remotely.

Students, faculty, staff, and guests are encouraged to choose these routes to heighten their visibility, particularly during hours of limited light. The paths are not designed to replace current personal safety efforts, such as traveling in groups and remaining alert; however, the increased police presence and

path improvements will be an additional resource in your personal safety. For a copy of the Cat's Path map, please visit <https://maps.uky.edu/printablemaps/VisitorMap.pdf>.

Coffee with the Chief: This program allows for a one-on-one conversation between the UKPD Chief and any member of the University community to promote stronger relationships with the UKPD and those it serves. The intent is to create a relaxed atmosphere to discuss casually any areas of concern or suggestions for improvements that would aid UKPD in its mission to build stronger relationships with the University community. Coffee with the Chief is scheduled as requested throughout the year.

Special Victims Unit (A Unit of UKPD): In 2020, UKPD created a Special Victims Unit which consists of a Special Victims Unit Sergeant, Detective, and Victims Advocate. These dedicated professionals help victims of interpersonal violence navigate through the criminal justice system with respect and integrity.

The mission of the Special Victims Unit is to provide compassionate support services to survivors of interpersonal violence while removing barriers of reporting. They are committed to holding offenders accountable within the criminal justice system by maintaining quality police services with timely, thorough, and trauma-informed investigative techniques.

The main functions of the Special Victims Unit are outreach, advocacy, training, and investigations. Members of the Special Victims Unit participate in community outreach programs to help with prevention, provide education, and reduce barriers to reporting. The Special Victims Advocate helps guide survivors throughout the process and connect survivors to a variety of resources. Special Victims Unit members undergo specific training to provide a trauma-informed approach, minimize re-victimization, and treat survivors with compassion and respect. The Special Victims Unit conducts thorough investigations of interpersonal violence incidents.

For additional information, visit <https://police.uky.edu/special-victims-unit>.

Contact Information:

Sergeant	(859) 562-2223
Special Victims Advocate	(859) 218-2370

Center for Support and Intervention (CSI): CSI is a non-clinical case management office providing support to students in navigating life stressors and connecting to resources to meet their needs. The mission is to promote student well-being and success by providing holistic and collaborative support to students in distress, through assessment of needs, identifying barriers to access, and connection to campus and community resources. Students can be referred via the Get Help Form or can refer themselves to get help by using the self-referral form.

Contact Information:

Phone: (859) 257-3755
Email: csi@uky.edu

Referral form: <https://studentsuccess.uky.edu/get-help> | <https://studentsuccess.uky.edu/center-support-and-intervention>

Community of Concern (CoC):

The Community of Concern is a multidisciplinary committee that meets weekly to discuss students whose behavior is causing concern for the safety of themselves or others or whose behavior is impacting several members of the UK community. Community of Concern relies on offices, such as the Center for Support and Intervention, Student Conduct, and OEO to share information on students with behavior presenting at this level.

Contact: Dean of Students

Phone: (859) 257-3755

Email: deanofstudents@uky.edu

TRACS (Triage, Referral, Assistance and Crisis Support): TRACS (Triage, Referral, Assistance, and Crisis Support) is a centralized program that provides timely assessment and support for students experiencing mental health concerns, distress, or crisis situations. TRACS connects students to both on- and off-campus resources, as appropriate. TRACS also serves as an initial point of contact for students seeking access to the UK Counseling Center.

TRACS is located on campus and provides both in-person and virtual service options to support access to care. The program is designed to ensure individuals in distress receive coordinated, appropriate care, bridging the gap between immediate support and short and longer-term services. Referrals may be made by students, faculty, staff, or others concerned about a student's well-being.

Upon receiving a referral, TRACS staff reach out to the student to offer support and facilitate connection to appropriate services. TRACS services are provided at no cost to students. The program also welcomes requests for presentations related to TRACS services and other mental health topics.

Contact:

To schedule an appointment: show up in person to 3rd Floor, East Wing of the Gatton Student Center or call

Phone: (859) 21-TRACS (859-218-7227) or

Email: TRACS@uky.edu

Outside Office Hours

- Call the number above and press #2 to reach an after-hours clinician
- Call 988 for mental health emergencies or 911 for other emergencies

You can also [Complete this Form for Assistance or to Report a Concern](#)

Electronic Alarm System: The majority of electronic alarm systems on campus are monitored by Police Communications. Those not on the University system are on Simplex, a computer-based electronic system, monitored by an off-campus alarm company. Simplex immediately notifies UKPD dispatch upon alarm activation year-round. Alarm systems are configured to denote duress, intrusion, fire, and other activations. In the instance of fire alarms, the Lexington Division of Fire and Emergency Services is notified immediately, followed by UKPD.

Emergency Telephones: The University campus is equipped with fifty-eight (58) strategically placed emergency telephones. These phones are illuminated at all times, flash when activated, have 360-degree cameras, possess wide area notification speakers, and are programmed to automatically dial UKPD when activated. The telecommunications officer receiving the call knows exactly where the call is originating and can view the immediate surroundings with the 360-degree camera. To use these phones, simply push the red button and the emergency call will be initiated. Phones are tested monthly by UKPD to ensure proper function. A campus map displaying the locations of these phones is available at <http://maps.uky.edu/printablemaps/VisitorMap.pdf>.

257-SAFE (7233): In 2009, the University created one number for a variety of safety-related student services. This number serves as a centralized contact point to connect students to their desired service without them having to memorize or pre-program several phone numbers. A functioning auto-attendant directs to safety-related services from the single (859) 257-SAFE number, twenty-four (24) hours a day, seven (7) days a week.

257-SAFE can connect you to the following services:

SAFECATS Student Safety Escort Service

- This is a free safety escort service sponsored by UKPD and operated by the Flying Wildcats Booster Club, a student organization comprised of Air Force ROTC cadets. Escorts have undergone UKPD training and criminal background checks.

On-Demand Night Service

- Transportation Services operates an on-demand night bus service during the fall and spring semesters when class is in session. These buses are available from midnight to 5 a.m. Monday through Friday.

Call 859-221-RIDE (7433) to make a pick-up request.

Calls must be received at least 30 minutes prior to the end of on-demand service. Service is limited to the UK Campus.

UK Violence Intervention and Prevention (VIP) Center

- The VIP Center works with faculty, staff, students and community partners toward the mission of eliminating the perpetration of power-based personal violence including sexual assault, partner violence and stalking.

UK-Resource and Referral Line

- The Counseling and Testing Center provides information regarding suicide prevention services on campus through the UK Resource and Referral Line.

SAFECATS (Safe and Free Escort for Campus Area Traveling Students): This is a free safety escort service sponsored by UKPD and operated by the Flying Wildcats Booster Club, a student organization composed of Air Force ROTC cadets. Escorts have undergone UKPD training and criminal background checks.

Escorts provide walking and golf cart escorts for students to and from any destination on campus. This free service is provided Sunday through Thursday, 8:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. (except during University holidays, closures, or the summer), with extended hours during final exam weeks. To contact SAFECATS, call (859) 257-SAFE (7233). Hearing impaired students may request a SAFECATS escort by emailing SAFECATS at uksafecats@uky.edu. For additional information visit <https://police.uky.edu/safety/safecats>.

Campus Community Emergency Response Team: CMP offers Campus Community Emergency Response Team (C-CERT) training to University faculty and staff on an annual basis. The primary purpose of C-CERT is to apply the established CERT curriculum, adopted by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, to our University environment. C-CERT members receive hands-on training in basic response skills, such as fire safety and suppression, light search and rescue, disaster medical operations, team organization, disaster psychology, and terrorism. Utilizing the training learned in the classroom and during exercises, C-CERT members can assist others in their neighborhood or workplace following an event when professional responders are not immediately available to help. C-CERT serves to complement UKPD's response to serious events. For more information on C-CERT, visit <https://police.uky.edu/campus-community-emergency-response-team-ccert>.

Building Emergency Action Plan (BEAP) Program: The University's Building Emergency Action Plan (BEAP) program establishes emergency action plans for buildings or specific departments on campus. These plans provide basic direction to all building occupants on actions they should take to protect themselves during various types of emergencies. Each BEAP identifies the building and floor coordinators who are responsible for maintaining and disseminating their building's plan, and who provide immediate leadership to their fellow staff, faculty, and students during an emergency. For more information on BEAPs, visit <https://police.uky.edu/building-emergency-action-plan>

Timely Reports via Crime Bulletins and UK Alert:

Crime Bulletins – If circumstances warrant, UKPD, in cooperation with CMP and designated CSAs, will issue special timely warnings and distribute them throughout campus. Crimes that have already occurred and/or represent an ongoing threat to students and employees can trigger timely warnings.

UK Alert – UK Alert is the University's emergency notification system and may be used to communicate official information during an emergency or crisis that disrupts normal campus operation or threatens the immediate

health or safety of the campus community. This system is only used when immediate action is required by the recipient. All University students, staff, and faculty are automatically registered in UK Alert with their official University email address. The University encourages students, staff, and faculty to provide additional contact information such as mobile phone numbers and personal email addresses to their UK Alert accounts. Parents, media, visitors, and other interested parties may register for UK Alert on a voluntary self-subscription basis. UK Alert provides immediate notifications to the University community through text messages, phone calls, email, and outdoor sirens. The outdoor sirens (blue notification towers) are strategically placed across campus to provide outdoor alert tones and broadcast emergency messages. These emergency notification towers are illuminated at all times and flash when activated. For further information or to sign up for UK Alert, visit <https://police.uky.edu/get-notified/uk-alert>.

Violence Intervention and Prevention (VIP) Center: This resource center is geared toward the primary prevention of interpersonal violence, which includes sexual violence, dating violence, domestic violence, or stalking.

While the University's goal is to shape a violence-free campus, the University recognizes the importance of free and confidential support and advocacy for any university student, staff, or faculty member who has experienced or been impacted by dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking. VIP provides survivors with the tools, information, and options to make well-informed decisions that best meet their needs. VIP works using trauma-informed, survivor-centered, and evidence-based practices in service delivery at the University of Kentucky

VIP is a safe, welcoming, and affirming space for anyone, no matter their race, ethnicity, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, socioeconomic status, or any other identity. VIP is located on the 4th floor of the Multidisciplinary Building in Suite 401. VIP is open Monday through Friday from 8:30 am until 4:30 pm. VIP staff can be reached by calling (859) 257-3574 or emailing vipcenter@uky.edu.

The University encourages individuals who make a report or file a formal complaint of sexual assault, stalking, or relationship violence, regardless of where the report is made, to also contact the VIP Center (www.uky.edu/vipcenter) for assistance in accessing and navigating services, resources, and referrals both on- and off-campus. All University personnel who receive a report or complaint of sexual assault, stalking, or relationship violence should immediately refer the complainant to VIP for support and information about their options.

VIP provides a variety of programs for the campus community, including the following:

**Sexual Assault Prevention for Undergraduate Students (SAPU) and
Sexual Assault Prevention for Graduate and Professional Students (SAPG)**

All incoming students are required to take SAPU or SAPG, a premier online program addressing the critical issues of dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking. Created in collaboration with leading campus practitioners and researchers and national thought leaders, including renowned expert Dr. Alan Berkowitz, these programs reach 700,000 individuals at over 650 institutions across the country. Because all students are required to complete this program, this provides a foundation of primary prevention knowledge upon which to build future prevention programming. This

program also meets federal requirements by informing all students of their rights, resources, options, and relevant university policies if they have been impacted by dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking. This program includes positive options for bystander intervention and information on risk reduction but clearly discourages any victim blaming.

Consent Campaign: Building a Culture of Consent at UK

In the fall of 2015, VIP launched a campus-wide Consent Campaign in partnership with the office of the Dean of Students. This is a comprehensive, ongoing campaign that utilizes in-person programming, social media, printed and electronic materials, awareness events, and campus partnerships to educate and engage the campus, promoting a deeper understanding of consent and boundaries and how both are communicated and understood. It now includes an in-person training called Consent Culture, in which VIP staff facilitate discussions and activities around understanding consent with their peers.

Green Dot

Green Dot is a bystander intervention program designed to reduce instances of interpersonal violence through proactive and reactive strategies. Green Dot empowers members of the UK community to intervene safely and effectively in potentially harmful situations. The Green Dot workshop teaches the University of Kentucky community members to use the three D's- Direct, Delegate, and Distract- to intervene safely before harm occurs. Green Dot also educates community members to recognize potential harm, identify barriers to intervening, and bolster proactive prevention efforts on campus.

New Employee Orientation

As a required part of orientation for any new employee at the University of Kentucky, VIP has a module educating employees on: VIP services; how to support students who have experienced dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking; and how to support the prevention of such violence amongst students.

Additional Educational Activities

VIP offers a wide range of presentations related to dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking, as well as related issues and other relevant topics. VIP staff welcomes additional topic ideas from students, staff, and faculty and opportunities to collaborate with other University departments and divisions.

Internship Opportunities

VIP offers many experiential learning and community service opportunities to those who want to contribute to violence prevention efforts. The VIP Center offers competitive internship opportunities for undergraduate and graduate students rooted in prevention-based programming development, distribution, and assessment. As well as supporting student learning outcomes for evidence-based advocacy and intervention of interpersonal violence on a college campus. Please contact our office for details and application requirements.

Resource Center

VIP encourages all students, staff, and faculty to explore their connection to this issue and their areas of influence to shape a violence-free campus. The resource center is open to the campus community during normal business hours and offers VIP services, resource materials, and activities to engage all University community members.

Support Services for Students, Staff, and Faculty Affected by Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking

VIP offers support for students, staff, and faculty impacted by dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking including free and confidential advocacy and support, a safe and affirming space, information and options, safety planning, academic advocacy, accessing medical and legal accompaniments, housing advocacy, emergency financial assistance, referrals to campus and community organizations, healing and self-care activities, and additional resources.

Website: UKPD maintains a website (www.uky.edu/Police) for quick and up-to-date information on the police department and services it provides in addition to crime statistics, crime prevention information, emergency procedures, and online registration for STARR. UKPD also posts special alerts, timely reports, and a daily crime log to this site.

Wildcat Ready: In 2025, the University of Kentucky implemented Wildcat Ready, a public safety campaign designed to help students, employees, and visitors know what to do before, during, and after an emergency. The campaign shares practical preparedness information, promotes awareness of campus safety resources, and encourages members of the UK community to take an active role in their personal safety. For more information, visit go.uky.edu/WildcatReady.

The Office of Student Conduct (OSC): The Office of Student Conduct (<https://studentsuccess.uky.edu/student-conduct>) is committed to promoting a safe, healthy, and student-centered community environment. By facilitating a fundamentally fair student conduct process that creates meaningful opportunities for learning and growth, OSC contributes to a community where students can engage in academic inquiry, campus life, and develop lives of meaning and purpose. The Office of Student Conduct prioritizes:

1. Promoting personal responsibility and peer accountability;
2. Encouraging students to consider the impact of their actions on themselves, their peers, and the UK Community;
3. Empowering students to address any conflict that may arise in a safe, respectful, and socially conscious manner;
4. Collaborating with the UK community regarding student conduct matters; and

The student conduct process helps students learn, mature, and develop greater self-awareness while balancing the needs of the UK community. When student behavior does not model UK's values, the student conduct process is used to uphold the standards of UK.

Any individual can report potential misconduct through the public reporting form on the Office of Student Conduct website. [Code of Student Conduct](#)

The University of Kentucky Counseling Center: Consultation and Psychological Services (UKCC):

UKCC is the primary mental health therapy resource at UK and provides individual, relationship, and group mental health services to enrolled students. From a safety and security perspective, UKCC specifically provides services to students who are survivors of assault or abuse, survivors of oppression or identity-based bias incidents, and individuals with thoughts of harming themselves or others, as well as providing support to the campus community around traumatic events. UKCC also provides free consultation to the broader community regarding students who have experienced abuse, harassment, or bias as well as students who are struggling with serious mental health concerns including contemplating suicide. For more information about UKCC, visit studentsuccess.uky.edu/counseling-center. As of 2025, UKCC is located on the 3rd floor, East Wing of the Gatton Student Center, 160 Avenue of Champions. UKCC is open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and phone calls to 859-257-8701 are answered twenty-four hours a day. UKCC services are free to currently enrolled UK students. UKCC continues to provide programs promoting wellbeing. A primary example is QPR (Question, Persuade, Refer), a suicide prevention training program which, as with CPR, teaches people early recognition, intervention, and referral to more highly trained caregivers. UKCC also partners with Prevention, Outreach, and Wellness Education Resources (POWER) to provide mental health screening every October. As part of the effort to create an inclusive campus environment, UKCC collaborates with other departments and organizations to destigmatize mental health and encourage help seeking. UKCC also is a member of the Community of Concern (see the Center for Support and Intervention for more information).

The Office of LGBTQ* Resources: Located in the heart of the Gatton Student Center, the Office of LGBTQ* Resources is the central hub for accessing information, groups, and services related to gender and sexuality. The office works to make sure the University community is a welcoming, safe, and supportive place for all students, faculty, staff, and alumni. The mission of the office focuses on the four core pillars of advocacy, community building, education, and safety. Staff are actively engaged in supporting student organizations and advocating for LGBTQ* students. For more information on the UK Office of LGBTQ* Resources: email lgbtq@uky.edu or visit <https://studentsuccess.uky.edu/lgbtq-resources>.

Safety and Security Training Offered by UKPD, Community Services Division to Address Crime Prevention Education:

Crime Prevention Presentations: Periodically throughout the year, UKPD works with the University community to present information regarding the protection of themselves and their personal property, crime awareness, emergency procedures, and police resources. Additionally, the Specialists conduct crime prevention presentations on methods related to self-protection and protection of property. For additional information, contact UKPD Community Services at (859) 218-2352.

Orientation to the Campus Community: Throughout the year, UKPD participates in orientation sessions including those for new students, parents, faculty, and staff. During these orientations, specialists provide information regarding the campus community, including personal security, how UKPD works, and services that are available to the campus community regarding personal safety and security.

Community Awareness Programs: Members of UKPD actively participate throughout the year in University-sponsored awareness programs, such as resource fairs, community presentations, etc. The purpose of these programs is to provide the University community with a wide range of information concerning the resources available to them through the different University departments.

Community Policing Program: UKPD officers attend meetings throughout the year of many departments and campus associations to provide up-to-date crime prevention information and to hear the concerns of members of the University community about crime and security issues.

Active Attack, A Civilian Response Program: This program is for civilians who could find themselves involved in such an event and prepares them to take immediate action to save their lives. UKPD's mission is to provide the best research-based active attack response training in the nation. UKPD also trains the community in how law enforcement will respond to an active attack situation.

Citizens Police Academy: UKPD Citizens Police Academy (Academy) has helped foster a more cohesive relationship between University police officers, campus, and the Lexington community by making graduates more familiar with police practices. The Academy, offered in spring and fall, is comprised of a series of 2-hour courses offered over 10 weeks. Topics covered are: University Policing Overview, Criminal Procedure, K-9 Operations, Firearms and Use of Force, Driving Under the Influence, Dignitary Protection, Joint Terrorism Task Force, Traffic Stops, and Crisis Management and Preparedness. Course material is presented through lecture, audio-visual aids, and interactive scenarios. There is no charge for taking part in the Academy. Participants must be eighteen (18) years or older. Prospective participants must complete a course application and submit to an electronic background check.

De-Escalation Training: UKPD has specialized instructors that teach students, faculty, and staff how to be readily equipped to handle individuals under stress or extreme anxiety. They are provided a creative look at conflict that will help them defuse confrontations and generate cooperation both at work and at home.

S.T.A.R.R. (Self-Defense Tactics and Risk Reduction): The Self Defense Tactics and Risk Reduction (S.T.A.R.R.) program is vital to the UKPD's mission to provide a sense of security and empowerment to all faculty, staff, and students. The program is a self-defense class and is free of charge. The program builds confidence and teaches community members how to defend themselves in the event of an attack. S.T.A.R.R. is offered through fall and spring semesters for a total of eight (8) courses with a maximum of eighteen (18) participants for each course. Classes meet at varied scheduled times. In addition to the scheduled classes, UKPD offers special arrangements for parties of eight (8) or more. Demonstrations are performed throughout the school year at residence halls and FSL housing. People under the age of eighteen (18) who wish to attend the course will be required to get parent or guardian approval. If you have any questions about the STARR program, you are encouraged to contact the coordinator by email at STARR@uky.edu. For course availability visit <https://police.uky.edu/starr>.

SafeZone Mobile App: SafeZone is a free app provided to UK students, faculty, and staff to help empower community members to take additional steps for their personal safety and connect them to UKPD resources more readily. SafeZone features a tip reporting function, a check-in feature that allows a user to share their live location with a dispatch officer, buttons to call for police, EMS and more. SafeZone has additional technological capabilities that enhance UKPD's ability to respond to emergencies. Learn more at <https://police.uky.edu/safezone-app>.

Security Surveys: Security surveys/audits, including formal and informal, may be conducted, throughout the year, upon request, for various departments, organizations and individuals throughout the Commonwealth of Kentucky. To request the results of surveys or to request a new survey, contact the UKPD Community Affairs staff at (859) 218-2352.

Crime Prevention Professionals: UKPD employs two (2) full-time police officers who are professionally certified Crime Prevention Specialists (Specialists) who analyze, review, and survey the effectiveness of building security and design and procedures throughout the year. These Specialists recommend security improvements, based on the latest consensual crime prevention standards, to the University community and administration. Additionally, the Specialists conduct crime prevention presentations on methods related to self-protection and protection of property.

Alcohol and Illegal Drugs

The University of Kentucky is committed to the safety, health and well-being of its students, faculty, and staff. As part of that commitment, the university works to prevent drug and alcohol abuse among its community through several measures, including university policies and regulations, education and counseling and treatment resources.

As part of our efforts to ensure greater trust, transparency and accountability, and in compliance with the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988 and the Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act of 1989, the university provides this annual notice to inform you of standards of conduct, sanctions, associated health risks and available counseling, treatment and prevention resources.

All students, faculty, and staff must comply with university policies and state and federal laws prohibiting the unlawful possession, use or distribution of drugs and alcohol. Violations may result in disciplinary action, including suspension or termination. Substance abuse poses serious health risks, including addiction and long-term physical and mental health issues.

Standards of Conduct

By university regulations, federal law, state law and, in some instances, by local ordinance, students, faculty and staff are prohibited from the unlawful possession, use, dispensation, distribution or manufacture of controlled substances on university property, on university business and/or at university sponsored activities.

Under university regulations, students, faculty and staff are required to abide by state laws concerning alcoholic beverages.

Kentucky law states that if one is under the age of 21, it is unlawful to:

1. Possess or consume alcoholic beverages
2. Misrepresent one's age for the purpose of purchasing alcoholic beverages
3. Use a fake ID in an attempt to purchase alcoholic beverages

No matter what one's age, Kentucky law states that it is unlawful to:

1. Procure any alcoholic beverages for anyone under the age of 21
2. Drink or be drunk in a public place
 - University campuses and buildings are considered public places for purposes of these laws, except for a facility licensed to serve alcoholic beverages, and except for a facility used as a private residence, unless university regulations state otherwise.

In addition, it is a violation of state law to operate a motor vehicle while under the influence of any substance that may impair one's driving ability (drugs or alcoholic beverages).

Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government ordinances parallel state law.

Any member of the university student body, faculty or staff who violates these defined standards of conduct shall be subject to appropriate disciplinary action up to and including suspension and/or termination. The specifically defined standards of conduct, the disciplinary procedures and the appropriate sanctions are set forth in the Administrative Regulation 4:10: Code of Student Conduct, Administrative Regulation 6:4: University Alcohol Policy, and Human Resources Policy & Procedures Numbers 13.0 and 14.0.

University Drug and Alcohol Policies and Regulations:

- [Administration Regulation 6:4: Alcohol Policy](#)
- [Administrative Regulation II-1.1-11: Alcohol Abuse Policy and Procedures](#)
- [Human Resources Policy and Procedure #14: Alcohol Abuse](#)
- [Administration Regulation II-1.1-10: Drug Abuse Policy and Procedures](#)
- [Human Resources Policy and Procedure #13: Drug Abuse](#)
- [Code of Student Conduct](#)
- [Drug-Free Policy Statement](#)
- [UKHC Policy# A09-005: Fitness for Duty Evaluations](#)
- [UKHC Policy# A08-025: UK Healthcare Core Values and Behavioral Standards](#)

A job offer for [certain positions](#) is contingent on the successful completion of the pre-employment drug screen process. This includes:

1. All UK HealthCare and College of Dentistry employees regardless of their position type.
2. All regular employees (staff and faculty positions) hired within the colleges of Nursing, Public Health, Pharmacy, Medicine and Health Sciences.
3. All employees (regular and non-regular/temporary) hired in the Medical Physical Plant (department #3CMXX).
4. All security officers hired in the UK Police Department (department #3HL00).

5. All individuals seeking to be hospital volunteers.

Sanctions

Under university regulations, students who violate this standard of conduct are subject to disciplinary action — from a minimum of a warning to a maximum of suspension from the university. Students who reside in university housing are subject to further disciplinary action that may vary from a warning to termination of their housing contract.

Faculty and staff are subject to disciplinary action from a minimum of a warning to a maximum of termination from university employment.

Under state and federal drug laws, the gravity of the sanction depends on the classification of the controlled substance, the particular activity involved (possession or trafficking which includes manufacture, sale and possession with intent to sell), and whether or not multiple convictions are involved. Specific penalties under federal and state laws for trafficking in various controlled substances are outlined in Appendix A of the [Drug-Free Policy Statement](#).

Notice of Drug-Related Conviction

In compliance with the Federal Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, any employee shall notify the immediate supervisor if the employee is convicted of a criminal drug offense occurring in the workplace or while on university business within five (5) days of the conviction. The university shall take appropriate sanctions and remedies in accordance with its policies. The provisions of this section are also applicable to students who are employees of the university. If the employee is under a federal contract or grant, the university shall notify the contracting or granting agency of the conviction and of its actions. This section of this policy is also applicable to students who receive a Pell grant (federal grant).

Health Risks

The scope and impact of health risks from alcohol and drug abuse are both alarming and well documented, ranging from mood altering to life threatening, with consequences that extend beyond the individual to family, organizations and society at large. The university, therefore, conducts regular programs to educate its students, faculty and staff that consumption and use of drugs may alter behavior, distort perception, impair thinking, impede judgment and lead to physical or psychological dependence.

Alcohol and/or drugs and/or drug abuse may lead to the deterioration of physical health by causing or contributing to various health conditions including but not limited to fatigue, nausea, personal injury, insomnia, pathological organ damage, some forms of cancer, pancreatitis, heart attack, respiratory depression, birth defects, convulsions, coma and even death. Alcohol and drug abuse may also result in deterioration of mental health by causing or contributing to various conditions such as increased aggression, hallucinations, depression, disorientation and psychosis.

A detailed list of the effects and health risks associated with the use of many specific drugs appears as Appendix B of the [Drug-Free Policy Statement](#). Alcohol consumption causes a number of marked changes in behavior. Even low doses can significantly impair the judgment and coordination required to drive a car safely,

increasing the likelihood that the driver will be involved in an accident.

Low to moderate doses of alcohol also increase the incidence of a variety of aggressive acts, including spousal and child abuse. Moderate to high doses of alcohol can cause marked impairments in higher mental functions, severely altering a person's ability to learn and remember information. Very high doses can cause respiratory depression and death. If combined with other depressants of the central nervous system, much lower doses of alcohol will produce the effects just described. Repeated use of alcohol can lead to dependence. Sudden cessation of alcohol intake is likely to produce withdrawal symptoms, including severe anxiety, tremors, hallucinations and convulsions. Alcohol withdrawal can be life threatening. Long-term consumption of large quantities of alcohol, particularly when combined with poor nutrition, can also lead to permanent damage to vital organs such as the brain and the liver. Mothers who drink alcohol during pregnancy may give birth to infants with fetal alcohol syndrome. These infants have irreversible physical abnormalities and intellectual disabilities. In addition, research indicates that children of alcoholic parents are at greater risk of becoming alcoholics than other youngsters.

Counseling, Treatment, Rehabilitation and Training Resources

All UK community members

- [UK Healthcare SMART Clinic](#): Comprehensive, innovative addiction treatment for alcohol and/or drug use disorders.
- [FindHelpNowKy.org](#): Near-real-time availability of treatment openings for substance use disorder facilities across Kentucky.
- [FindRecoveryHousingNowKY.org](#): Statewide recovery housing locator tool with near-real-time availability and an educational resources section.
- [Mental Health Screening Tool](#): Need help in determining whether you are experiencing symptoms of a mental health condition? Use this online screening tool from Mental Health America.

UK students

- [Behavioral Health at University Health Service](#): Evaluation, brief crisis intervention and medication management for a variety of difficulties, including drug and alcohol abuse.
- [TRACS](#) (Triage, Referral, Assistance and Crisis Support): One-stop shop where students can find support services or receive direct clinical support for a range of mental health needs and crises. Open 8 a.m.-5 p.m. weekdays.
- [UK Counseling Center](#): Short-term therapy option provided by licensed mental health clinicians (requires initial triage by TRACS).
- [218-YouK](#): Helpline for student questions — no matter how big or small. Available 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. weekdays.
- [BetterMynd](#): Online therapy platform that offers UK students access to free, confidential and convenient teletherapy sessions from a network of licensed mental health counselors.
- After-hours Crisis Support: Call 1-844-BTR-MYND after 4:30 M-F and on weekends or Call 988 for mental health emergencies or 911 for other emergencies.
- [Collegiate Recovery Community](#): No-cost support system for students who are working to improve their addictive behavior, who are curious about making changes and those who are impacted by their friend or family member's addictive behavior.

- [Alcohol & Other Drugs Prevention and Education](#): Various initiatives aimed at prevention and education regarding the use and misuse of drugs and alcohol. Individuals can register for scheduled programs, and organizations may also request customized programming on the topic.

UK employees

- [Employee Mental Health](#): Counseling with a therapist — up to five in-person or virtual therapy sessions each year for employees or dependents at no cost. Specific to substance abuse, a therapist may:
 - Discuss substance use and offer support for those wanting to cut down on use without further intervention. A therapist may screen and/or assess individuals seeking therapy for substance or drug use on an individual level.
 - Perform a basic screening at intake that can lead to a more formalized screening tool and review with the client.
 - Refer to intensive outpatient programs, individual therapy with a drug/alcohol certified counselor, a 12-step program or other recovery programs.
- [LiveHealth Online](#): Virtual behavioral health sessions for UK employees and family members covered on a UK health insurance plan.
- Behavioral health in-person sessions as well as additional mental health and substance abuse services for UK employees and family members covered on a [UK health insurance plan](#).
- [Substance Use](#) resources for employees.

Other resources

[Family Handbook for Talking to College Students About Alcohol](#)

The full text of the University's Policy Statement as a Drug-Free Institution (compliance with the Drug-Free Workplace Act and the Drug-Free School and Communities Act) is available at:

<https://hr.uky.edu/sites/default/files/policy-as-a-drug-free-institution.pdf>.

Additionally, the full text of the Alcohol and Other Drugs Biennial Review (Biennial Review) is available at <https://uknow.uky.edu/sites/default/files/AOD%202024%20-%20Signed.pdf>.

The Biennial Review reports on the effectiveness of alcohol and other drugs (AOD) programs and the consistency of sanction enforcement. It has two objectives:

- To determine the effectiveness of, and to implement any needed changes to, the AOD prevention program.
- To ensure that disciplinary sanctions for violating standards of conduct are consistently enforced.

Weapons Policy

In Kentucky Revised Statute 237.115, the Kentucky General Assembly explicitly recognizes the authority of the University to control the possession of deadly weapons on any property owned, leased, or controlled by the University, including the right to prohibit possession of such weapons by any person or entity using University

property or premises. Administrative Regulation 6:6 Policy on Deadly Weapons, (<https://regs.uky.edu/administrative-regulation/ar-66>) establishes the University's deadly weapons policy. This Administrative Regulation applies to all members of the University community, including faculty, staff, students, and visitors.

For purposes of this regulation, "deadly weapon" means:

- A weapon of mass destruction;
- Any weapon from which a shot, readily capable of producing death or other serious physical injury, may be discharged;
- Any knife other than an ordinary pocket knife or hunting knife;
- Billy, nightstick, or club;
- Blackjack or slapjack;
- Nunchaku karate sticks;
- Shuriken or death star; and
- Artificial knuckles made from metal, plastic or other similar hard material.

Except as provided in the exceptions of the regulation, deadly weapons are prohibited on any property owned, leased, or controlled by the University, including but not limited to the following: classrooms, laboratories, residence halls, hospitals and clinics, office buildings, performance halls, museums, athletics and recreation facilities, farms and forests, parking lots and structures, University-owned vehicles, and all outdoor areas of the campus of any unit of the University.

The following are exceptions to this policy:

- Possession of deadly weapons by peace officers acting in the course of official duties;
- Possession of deadly weapons as a part of legitimate academic, athletic, or work-related activities (e.g., historical preservation, law enforcement training, ROTC activities, 4-H marksmanship training, rifle team, etc.);
- Possession of deadly weapons by persons holding valid permits issued by the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources for use in the Robinson Forest Wildlife Management Area;
- Possession of a deadly weapon by a person licensed to carry a concealed deadly weapon pursuant to KRS 237.110, if the firearm or other deadly weapon is contained in a motor vehicle (private or University-owned) and is not removed from the vehicle (KRS 527.020(4) and 237.110(17));
- Possession of a deadly weapon if it is located in a non-University motor vehicle and in an enclosed container, compartment, or storage space installed as original equipment in the motor vehicle by its manufacturer, including but not limited to a glove compartment, center console, or seat pocket, regardless of whether said enclosed container, storage space, or compartment is locked, unlocked, or does not have a locking mechanism (KRS 527.020(8));
- Possession of a deadly weapon by persons who are specifically authorized* by KRS 527.020 to carry concealed deadly weapons on or about their persons at all times and at all locations within the Commonwealth. Such persons include but are not limited to: Commonwealth's attorneys, judges of

the Court of Justice, conservations officers of the Department of Fish and Wildlife, elected sheriffs, and peace officers from other jurisdictions.

* For a complete listing of persons authorized to carry concealed deadly weapons within the Commonwealth of Kentucky and the conditions for which the carrying of the deadly weapon is authorized, see KRS 527.020.

- Possession of deadly weapons by a person specifically authorized to have such possession by the President, or his or her designee, but only if such person fully complies with any and all restrictions imposed upon such possession by the President, or his or her designee.

Students who possess deadly weapons in violation of this prohibition are guilty of violations of the Code of Student Conduct and are subject to disciplinary action under the Code of Student Conduct, including expulsion from the University and all other appropriate legal actions. Faculty and staff employees who possess deadly weapons in violation of this prohibition are guilty of misconduct and subject to corrective action under Governing and Administrative Regulations, including termination of employment and all other appropriate legal actions. All others who possess deadly weapons in violation of this prohibition will be directed to remove their weapons or themselves from the University's property or premises and will be subject to all other appropriate legal actions.

Missing Student Policy

Any student who has been missing for twenty-four (24) hours should be reported to UKPD, regardless of residency.

If a member of the University community has reason to believe that a student who resides in on-campus housing is missing, or receives a report of a missing student, he or she shall immediately notify UKPD at: (859) 257-UKPD (257-8573). Upon receipt of a notification of a missing student, UKPD shall initiate an investigation to determine whether the student is missing. UKPD shall notify all necessary law enforcement and fire/EMS agencies to assist in the location of the missing student.

It is the policy of the University to provide all students residing in on-campus housing the option of providing a contact person to be notified by the University if the student is determined to be missing for more than twenty-four (24) hours by providing an opportunity to register confidential contact information.

A student who wishes to identify a confidential contact may do so through the Office of Residence Life, University Housing, the Fraternity and Sorority Life Office, or Real Estate Services (whichever is applicable). Students shall be allowed to register confidential contact information at the beginning of each academic year or before moving into University housing. A student's confidential contact information shall be accessible only by authorized campus officials and law enforcement as appropriate and will not be disclosed outside of a missing person investigation.

Students under the age of eighteen (18), who are not emancipated individuals, shall be advised that the University is required to notify the student's custodial parent or legal guardian within twenty-four (24) hours

after UKPD or another law enforcement agency determines that the student has been missing for more than twenty-four (24) hours, in addition to notifying any contact person designated by the student.

If, after investigation, UKPD determines that the student has been missing for more than twenty-four (24) hours, the University shall notify the student's emergency contact no later than twenty-four (24) hours after the student is determined to be missing. If the missing student is under the age of eighteen (18), and is not an emancipated individual, the University shall also notify the student's parent or legal guardian no later than twenty-four (24) hours after the student is determined to be missing.

Regardless of whether the student has identified a contact person, is above the age of eighteen (18) or is an emancipated minor, UKPD will notify the appropriate local law enforcement agency that has jurisdiction in the area that the student is missing within twenty-four (24) hours.

Upon a determination that a student has been missing for more than twenty-four (24) hours, UKPD shall notify the appropriate University officials. Nothing in this policy is intended to preclude the University from determining that a student is missing before the student has been missing for a full twenty-four (24) hours or initiating notification procedures as soon as it determines that the student is missing.

This policy contains the official notification procedures of the University for missing students who reside in on-campus housing, per the requirements of the Higher Education Opportunity Act (HEOA).

Stop Campus Hazing Act

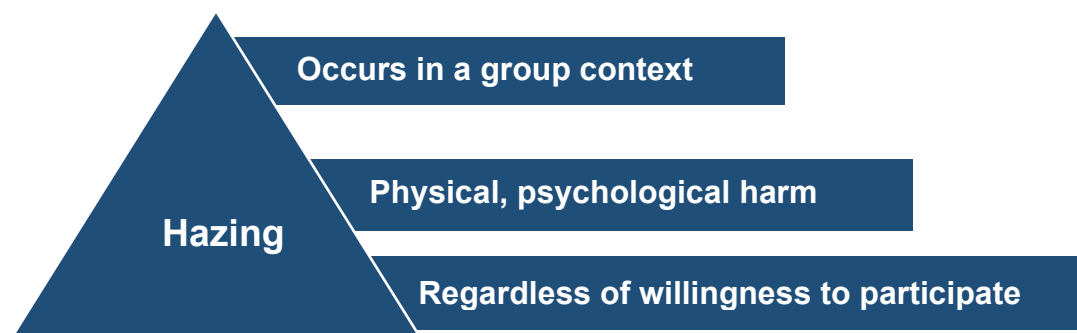
The Stop Campus Hazing Act was signed into law in December 2024. It updated the name of the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Statistics Act (commonly referred to as the Clery Act) to Jeanne Clery Campus Safety Act. The purpose of the Stop Campus Hazing Act is to:

- Improve awareness and transparency of hazing by requiring colleges to include hazing incidents in their annual security report;
- Prevent hazing by establishing campus-wide education and prevention programs; and
- Increase transparency by requiring colleges to publish on their websites the institution's hazing prevention policies and the organizations that have violated them (<https://www.clerycenter.org/hazing-legislation>).

The Stop Campus Hazing Act is summarized by the Congressional Research Services as follows:

- This bill requires institutions of higher education (IHEs) that participate in federal student aid programs to report hazing incidents.
- Specifically, the bill requires each IHE to disclose hazing incidents that were reported to campus security authorities or local police agencies in its annual security report. The bill defines the term *hazing* to mean any intentional, knowing, or reckless act committed by a person against a student (regardless of that student's willingness to participate), that (1) is connected with an initiation into, an affiliation with, or the maintenance of membership in, an organization (e.g., a club, athletic team, fraternity, or sorority); and (2) causes or is likely to contribute to a substantial risk, above the reasonable risk encountered in

the course of participation in the IHE or the organization, of physical injury, mental harm, or degradation.



Stop Hazing Research Lab. (2020, December). *Hazing: The Issue*, StopHazing Consulting. <https://www.stophazing.org/issue>

- In addition, each IHE must develop and distribute as part of its annual security report a statement of policy regarding the following: (1) the IHE's current campus policies on hazing, which must include procedures that comply with specified collection and reporting requirements; and (2) a comprehensive program to prevent hazing, which must include information on hazing awareness and hazing prevention.

Hazing Policy

Hazing is prohibited in any form at the University. The Hazing Policy, which is consistent with the provisions of the Stop Campus Hazing Act and other applicable federal and state laws, is established to promote a safe and respectful environment for all members of the campus community.

Hazing as Defined by the University of Kentucky

“Hazing” means a direct action which substantially endangers the physical and psychological safety or well-being of a minor or student for the purpose of recruitment, initiation into, affiliation with, or enhancing or maintaining membership or status within any organization, including but not limited to actions which coerce or force a minor or a student to do any of the following, regardless of the individual’s willingness to participate:

- Violate federal or state law;
- Consume any food, liquid, alcoholic liquid, drug, tobacco product, or other controlled substance which subjects the person to a risk of a serious physical or psychological injury;
- Endure brutality of a physical nature, including whipping, beating or paddling, branding or exposure to the elements;
- Endure forced or coerced activities such as degrading stunts, excessive exercise, sleep deprivation, isolation, or threats;
- Endure brutality of a sexual nature; or
- Endure any other activity that creates a reasonable risk of serious physical or psychological injury to the minor or student, or harm to the individual's health, safety or dignity.

How to Report Hazing

Any member of the campus community who witnesses, experiences, or suspects hazing should file a Hazing Incident Report Form. Reports are routed to the Dean of Students' Office to be reviewed and investigated by the Office of Student Conduct or other University offices as appropriate. Investigations may consist of written reports, evidence gathering, and interviews of members within the organization or group. All members of the University community must cooperate in any investigation of hazing. Anyone who reports hazing in good faith is protected from retaliation. Retaliation against individuals who report or participate in investigations will result in further disciplinary action.

Student Conduct Reports can be accessed at <https://studentsuccess.uky.edu/student-conduct>

For a direct link to the Hazing Incident Reporting Form click
https://cm.maxient.com/reportingform.php?UnivofKentucky=&layout_id=0

The Process Used to Investigate Hazing Incidents

Violations of this regulation may be addressed through restorative or corrective action under the Code of Student Conduct or any other applicable University Regulations or Policies. Possible restorative actions for individual students resulting from the University student conduct process range from a warning to disciplinary expulsion. Possible restorative actions for student organizations or groups include probation, suspension, or restriction from University property or revocation of Registered Student Organization status, if applicable. Possible corrective actions for faculty and staff range from an oral warning to termination of employment. If necessary, pending the investigation, individuals or students may be subject to interim measures. Violators of this policy are subject to referral to appropriate local law enforcement as well as to regional and national affiliated offices for groups and organizations.

Applicable Local, State, and Tribal Hazing Law

Visit Student Conduct's Student Organizations Conduct Report web page to access a copy of the hazing policy, as well as other relevant state and federal laws. These resources outline how hazing is defined and addressed at the University, in the Commonwealth of Kentucky, and under federal legislation.

<https://studentsuccess.uky.edu/student-conduct/student-organizations/student-organizations-conduct-report>

Prevention and Awareness Programs Related to Hazing

The University is committed to hazing prevention through education and training. Hazing prevention training completion is required by all current students and employees in the first year of implementation of the new Stop Campus Hazing Act. Thereafter only new students and employees will be required to complete the training. This training is a critical tool to strengthen awareness and reduce tolerance of hazing across all campus populations. The training modules are created by Vector Solutions, the current platform for Alcohol and Sexual Assault Prevention modules, and adapted to University specific language and culture. In addition, the training will emphasize the following:

- Risk recognition
- Reporting responsibilities
- Bystander intervention

All Fraternity and Sorority Life new members are required to attend an FSL 101 training which previously focused on alcohol and bystander education. POWER expanded the training to include information and interactive learning on hazing: what it is, how to recognize it, strategies to intervene, and reporting options.

Hazing Statistics

Institutions are required to start publishing Hazing incidents to the mandated daily crime log and recording such incidents to statistics January 1, 2025. All Hazing incidents occurring on Clery Act geography are currently recorded to the crime log. Hazing statistics will be published in the crime charts at the back of the Annual Safety and Security Report starting in 2026 once a full calendar year of statistics have been gathered for the first calendar year, 2025.

Campus Hazing Transparency Report

The Campus Hazing Transparency Report (CHTR) summarizes findings concerning any established or recognized student organization found to be in violation of standards of conduct relating to hazing as defined by the University. A report of each incident will show the name of the student organization, a general description of the violation that resulted in a finding of responsibility (including whether the violation involved the abuse or illegal use of alcohol or drugs), the finding of the University, any sanctions placed on the student organization, dates on which the incidents were alleged to have occurred, date the investigation into the incident was initiated, date on which the investigation ended w/ a finding that a hazing violation occurred, and the date the institution provided notice to the student organization that the incident resulted in a hazing violation.

Visit Student Conduct's Student Organizations web page to access an overview of the hazing investigation process and resources for organization presidents and advisors.

<https://studentsuccess.uky.edu/student-conduct/student-organizations>

Visit the link below for direct access the CHTR

<https://studentsuccess.uky.edu/student-conduct/conduct-status-student-organizations>

Hazing Statistics vs. the CHTR

It is important to note that Hazing statistics and details reported in the CHTR may not match exactly. The data for statistics and the information in the CHTR may be counted and reported differently depending on the specific incident. Incidents recorded for statistical purposes are bound by the federal definition of Hazing and Clery Act geography, while incidents in the CHTR are bound by the University's Hazing policy and is not bound by Clery Act geography constraints.

In the chart below, the National Association of Clery Compliance Officers and Professionals (NACCOP) details how the Stop Campus Hazing Act mandated disclosures differ for the daily crime log and statistics versus the CHTR.

Table 9: Stop Campus Hazing Act Disclosure Requirements (Provided by NACCOP)

STOP CAMPUS HAZING ACT DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS (Provided by NACCOP)		
	Daily Crime Log (DCL)/Statistics and Policy Statement Disclosures	Campus Hazing Transparency Report (CHTR)
What	Include Hazing incidents in the DCL and statistics that meets the federal definition, occurred on Clery Geography, AND was reported by a CSA or local law enforcement	Include Hazing incidents reported to a CSA that results in a finding violating the institution's Hazing policy
By Whom	Registered, recognized, or unrecognized student organizations	Officially registered, recognized, or established student organizations
Geography	Clery Geography	Any location covered by the institution's Hazing policy
How to Count	Distinct incident/operation count	Organizations found responsible count based on distinct investigations (could involve multiple separate incidents in a single report)
Special Reporting Considerations	NOT subject to the hierarchy rule. Count other co-occurring Clery crimes directed by Clery Act compliance.	Not required to develop until there is a finding of Hazing, however, it may be BEST PRACTICE to make clear there are zero findings.
Where Disclosed	• Daily Crime Log • Annual Safety and Security Report statistics • Statistics submitted to US Dept of Education via the annual Campus Safety and Security Survey	Detailed report located prominently on institution's website
Policy Disclosures	Statement of current policies related to Hazing and prevention and awareness programs	• Statement notifying public of annual availability of hazing statistics • Information related to institutional policies related to hazing • Applicable local, state, and tribal laws on hazing

National Association of Clery Compliance Officers and Professionals

Information Regarding Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking

The University is committed to providing a safe learning, living, and working environment for all members of the University community. The University prohibits sexual assault, stalking, domestic violence, dating violence, sexual exploitation, complicity in the commission of any act prohibited by the Equal Opportunity Policy, and retaliation against any person for the good faith reporting of any of these forms of conduct or participation in any investigation or proceeding under the Equal Opportunity Policy (collectively, "prohibited conduct"). These

forms of prohibited conduct are unlawful, undermine the character and purpose of the University, and will not be tolerated.

Definitions

Federal Clery Act Definitions of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking

The Clery Act defines the crimes of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault and stalking as follows below. (To be clear, the FBI published an updated Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) NIBRS User Manual on June 23, 2025. In this publication, the FBI updated the term “Fondling” to “Criminal Sexual Contact” and expanded the definition that should be used for UCR purposes. For Clery Act purposes institutions have been advised to continue use of the definitions as they are found in the Clery Act statute and regulations. Definitions as provided in Appendix A to Subpart D of Part 668, Title 34 will continue to be used until that terminology and/or definitions are modified. Changes occurring in the UCR, outside of the Clery Act, do not impact Clery Act reporting.)

- **Domestic Violence:**

- i. A Felony or misdemeanor crime of violence committed—
 - A) By a current or former spouse or intimate partner of the victim;
 - B) By a person with whom the victim shares a child in common;
 - C) By a person who is cohabitating with, or has cohabitated with, the victim as a spouse or intimate partner;
 - D) By a person similarly situated to a spouse of the victim under the domestic or family violence laws of the jurisdiction in which the crime of violence occurred; or
 - E) By any other person against an adult or youth victim who is protected from that person’s acts under the domestic or family violence laws of the jurisdiction in which the crime of violence occurred.
- ii. For the purposes of complying with the requirements of this section and §668.41, any incident meeting this definition is considered a crime for the purposes of Clery Act reporting.

- **Dating Violence:** Violence committed by a person who is or has been in a social relationship of a romantic or intimate nature with the victim.
 - i. The existence of such a relationship shall be based on the reporting party’s statement and with consideration of the length of the relationship, the type of relationship, and the frequency of interaction between the persons involved in the relationship.
 - ii. For the purposes of this definition—
 - A) Dating Violence includes, but is not limited to, sexual or physical abuse or the threat of such abuse.
 - B) Dating violence does not include acts covered under the definition of domestic violence.

iii. For the purposes of complying with the requirements of this section and §668.41, any incident meeting this definition is considered a crime for the purposes of Clery Act reporting.

- **Sexual Assault:** An offense that meets the definition of rape, fondling, incest or statutory rape as used in the FBI's Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) program. Per the National Incident-Based Reporting System User Manual from the FBI UCR Program, a sex offense is "any sexual act directed against another person, without the consent of the victim, including instances where the victim is incapable of giving consent."
 - **Rape** is defined as the penetration, no matter how slight, of the vagina or anus with any body part or object, or oral penetration by a sex organ of another person, without the consent of the victim.
 - **Fondling** is defined as the touching of the private parts of another person for the purposes of sexual gratification, without the consent of the victim, including instances where the victim is incapable of giving consent because of his/her age or because of his/her temporary or permanent mental incapacity.
 - **Incest** is defined as sexual intercourse between persons who are related to each other within the degrees wherein marriage is prohibited by law.
 - **Statutory Rape** is defined as sexual intercourse with a person who is under the statutory age of consent.
- **Stalking:**
 - i. Engaging in a course of conduct directed at a specific person that would cause a reasonable person to:
 - a. Fear for the person's safety or the safety of others; or
 - b. Suffer substantial emotional distress.
 - ii. For the purposes of this definition:
 - a. *Course of conduct* means two or more acts, including, but not limited to, acts which the stalker directly, indirectly, or through third parties, by any action, method, device or means follows, monitors, observes, surveils, threatens or communicates to or about, a person, or interferes with a person's property.
 - b. *Reasonable person* means a reasonable person under similar circumstances and with similar identities to the victim.
 - c. *Substantial emotional distress* means significant mental suffering or anguish that may, but does not necessarily, require medical or other professional treatment or counseling.
 - iii. For the purposes of complying with the requirements of this section and section 668.41, any incident meeting this definition is considered a crime for the purposes of Clery Act reporting.

Jurisdictional (Commonwealth of Kentucky) Definitions of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking

The Commonwealth of Kentucky defines the crimes of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault and stalking as follows:

Domestic Violence/Abuse – The Commonwealth of Kentucky defines domestic violence as follows:

In the Commonwealth of Kentucky, there is no stand-alone definition of domestic violence. Instead, domestic violence is a modifier to other crimes of violence. The following pertinent definitions are laid out in the Kentucky Revised Statutes regarding domestic violence.

- “Domestic violence and abuse” means physical injury, serious physical injury, stalking, sexual abuse, assault, or the infliction of fear of imminent physical injury, serious physical injury, or sexual abuse or assault between family members or members of an unmarried couple.
- “Family member” means a spouse, including a former spouse, a grandparent, a grandchild, a parent, a child, stepchild, or any other person living in the same household as a child if the child is the alleged victim.
- “Member of an unmarried couple” means each member of an unmarried couple which allegedly has a child in common, any children of that couple, or a member of an unmarried couple who are living together or have formerly lived together.

Dating Violence/Abuse – The Commonwealth of Kentucky defines dating violence as follows:

In the Commonwealth of Kentucky, dating violence is a modifier to other crimes of violence. The following pertinent definitions are laid out in the Kentucky Revised Statutes regarding dating violence.

- "Dating relationship" means a relationship between individuals who have or have had a relationship of a romantic or intimate nature. It does not include a casual acquaintanceship or ordinary fraternization in a business or social context. The following factors may be considered in addition to any other relevant factors in determining whether the relationship is or was of a romantic or intimate nature:
 - (a) Declarations of romantic interest;
 - (b) The relationship was characterized by the expectation of affection;
 - (c) Attendance at social outings together as a couple;
 - (d) The frequency and type of interaction between the persons, including whether the persons have been involved together over time and on a continuous basis during the course of the relationship;
 - (e) The length and recency of the relationship; and
 - (f) Other indications of a substantial connection that would lead a reasonable person to understand that a dating relationship existed.
- "Dating violence and abuse" means physical injury, serious physical injury, stalking, sexual assault, or the infliction of fear of imminent physical injury, serious physical injury, sexual abuse or assault occurring between persons who are or have been in a dating relationship.

Sexual Assault – The Commonwealth of Kentucky defines sexual assault as follows:

“Sexual assault” refers to conduct prohibited as any degree of rape, sodomy, or sexual abuse under KRS Chapter 510 or incest under KRS 530.020.

510.110 Sexual abuse in the first degree.

(1) A person is guilty of sexual abuse in the first degree when:

- (a) He or she subjects another person to sexual contact by forcible compulsion; or
- (b) He or she subjects another person to sexual contact who is incapable of consent because he or she:

- 1. Is physically helpless;
- 2. Is less than twelve (12) years old; or
- 3. Is mentally incapacitated
- 4. Is an individual with an intellectual disability; or

(c) Being twenty-one (21) years old or more, he or she:

- 1. Subjects another person who is less than sixteen (16) years old to sexual contact;
- 2. Engages in masturbation in the presence of another person who is less than sixteen (16) years old and knows or has reason to know the other person is present; or
- 3. Engages in masturbation while using the Internet, telephone or other electronic communication device while communicating with a minor who the person knows is less than sixteen (16) years old, and the minor can see or hear the person masturbate; or

(d) Being a person in a position of authority or position of special trust, as defined in KRS 532.045, he or she, regardless of his or her age, subjects a minor who is less than eighteen (18) years old, with whom he or she comes into contact as a result of that position, to sexual contact or engages in masturbation in the presence of the minor and knows or has reason to know the minor is present or engages in masturbation while using the Internet, telephone or other electronic communication device while communicating with a minor who the person knows is less than sixteen (16) years old, and the minor can see or hear the person masturbate.

(2) Sexual abuse in the first degree is a Class D felony, unless the victim is less than twelve (12) years old, in which case the offense shall be a Class C felony

510.120 Sexual abuse in the second degree.

(1) A person is guilty of sexual abuse in the second degree when:

- (a) He or she is at least eighteen (18) years old but less than twenty-one (21) years old and subjects another person who is less than sixteen (16) years old to sexual contact; or
- (b) Being a jailer, or an employee, contractor, vendor or volunteer of the Department of Corrections, Department of Juvenile Justice, or a detention facility as defined in KRS 520.010, or of an entity under contract with either department or a detention facility for the custody, supervision, evaluation or treatment of offenders, he or she subjects a person who is at least eighteen (18) years old and who he or she knows is incarcerated, supervised, evaluated, or treated by the Department of Corrections, Department of Juvenile Justice, detention facility or contracting entity, to sexual contact.
- (c) Being a peace officer, while serving in his or her official capacity, he or she subjects a person who the officer:

1. Arrested, held in custody, or investigated for commission of a traffic or criminal offense; or
 2. Knew or should have known was under arrest, held in custody, or being investigated for commission of a traffic or criminal offense;
- to sexual contact.

(2) In any prosecution under subsection (1)(a) of this section, it is a defense that:

- (a) The other person's lack of consent was due solely to incapacity to consent by reason of being less than sixteen (16) years old; and
- (b) The other person was at least fourteen (14) years old; and
- (c) The actor was less than five (5) years older than the other person.

(3) Sexual abuse in the second degree is a Class A misdemeanor.

510.130 Sexual abuse in the third degree.

(1) A person is guilty of sexual abuse in the third degree when he or she subjects another person to sexual contact without the latter's consent.

(2) In any prosecution under this section, it is a defense that:

- (a) The other person's lack of consent was due solely to incapacity to consent by reason of being less than sixteen (16) years old; and
- (b) The other person was at least fourteen (14) years old; and
- (c) The actor was less than eighteen (18) years old.

(3) Sexual abuse in the third degree is a Class B misdemeanor.

510.140 Sexual misconduct.

(1) A person is guilty of sexual misconduct when he engages in sexual intercourse or deviate sexual intercourse with another person without the latter's consent.

(2) Sexual misconduct is a Class A misdemeanor.

510.040 Rape in the first degree.

(1) A person is guilty of rape in the first degree when:

- (a) He engages in sexual intercourse with another person by forcible compulsion; or
- (b) He engages in sexual intercourse with another person who is incapable of consent because he:
 1. Is physically helpless; or
 2. Is less than twelve (12) years old.

(2) Rape in the first degree is a Class B felony unless the victim is under twelve (12) years old or receives a serious physical injury in which case it is a Class A felony.

510.050 Rape in the second degree.

(1) A person is guilty of rape in the second degree when:

- (a) Being eighteen (18) years old or more, he or she engages in sexual intercourse with another person less than fourteen (14) years old; or
- (b) He or she engages in sexual intercourse with another person who is mentally incapacitated or who is incapable of consent because he or she is an individual with an intellectual disability.

(2) Rape in the second degree is a Class C felony, unless the defendant is a person in a position of authority or position of special trust as those terms are defined in KRS 532.045, in which case it a Class B felony.

510.060 Rape in the third degree.

(1) A person is guilty of rape in the third degree when:

- (a) Being twenty-one (21) years old or more, he or she engages in sexual intercourse with another person less than sixteen (16) years old;
- (b) Being at least ten (10) years older than a person who is sixteen (16) or seventeen (17) years old at the time of sexual intercourse, he or she engages in sexual intercourse with the person;
- (c) Being twenty-one (21) years old or more, he or she engages in sexual intercourse with another person less than eighteen (18) years old and for whom he or she provides a foster family home as defined in KRS 600.020;
- (d) Being a person in a position of authority or position of special trust, as defined in KRS 532.045, he or she engages in sexual intercourse with a minor under eighteen (18) years old with whom he or she comes into contact as a result of that position;
- (e) Being a jailer, or an employee, contractor, vendor, or volunteer of the Department of Corrections, Department of Juvenile Justice, or a detention facility as defined in KRS 520.010, or of an entity under contract with either department or a detention facility for the custody, supervision, evaluation, or treatment of offenders, he or she subjects a person who he or she knows is incarcerated, supervised, evaluated, or treated by the Department of Corrections, Department of Juvenile Justice, detention facility or contracting entity, to sexual intercourse; or
- (f) Being a peace officer, while serving in his or her official capacity, he or she subjects a person who the officer:
 - 1. Arrested, held in custody, or investigated for commission of a traffic or criminal offense; or
 - 2. Knew or should have known was under arrest, held in custody, or being investigated for commission of a traffic or criminal offense;to sexual intercourse.

(2) Rape in the third degree is a Class D felony.

510.070 Sodomy in the first degree.

(1) A person is guilty of sodomy in the first degree when:

- (a) He engages in deviate sexual intercourse with another person by forcible compulsion; or
- (b) He engages in deviate sexual intercourse with another person who is incapable of consent because he:
 - 1. Is physically helpless; or
 - 2. Is less than twelve (12) years old.

(2) Sodomy in the first degree is a Class B felony unless the victim is under twelve (12) years old or receives a serious physical injury in which case it is a Class A felony.

510.080 Sodomy in the second degree.

(1) A person is guilty of sodomy in the second degree when:

- (a) Being eighteen (18) years old or more, he or she engages in deviate sexual intercourse with another person less than fourteen (14) years old; or
 - (b) He or she engages in deviate sexual intercourse with another person who is mentally incapacitated or who is incapable of consent because he or she is an individual with an intellectual disability.
- (2) Sodomy in the second degree is a Class C felony, unless the defendant is a person in a position of authority or position of special trust as those terms are defined in KRS 532.045, in which case it is a Class B felony.

510.090 Sodomy in the third degree.

- (1) A person is guilty of sodomy in the third degree when:
- (a) Being twenty-one (21) years old or more, he or she engages in deviate sexual intercourse with another person less than sixteen (16) years old;
 - (b) Being at least ten (10) years older than a person who is sixteen (16) or seventeen (17) years old at the time of deviate sexual intercourse, he or she engages in deviate sexual intercourse with the person;
 - (c) Being twenty-one (21) years old or more, he or she engages in deviate sexual intercourse with another person less than eighteen (18) years old and for whom he or she provides a foster family home as defined in KRS 600.020;
 - (d) Being a person in a position of authority or position of special trust, as defined in KRS 532.045, he or she engages in deviate sexual intercourse with a minor less than eighteen (18) years old with whom he or she comes into contact as a result of that position;
 - (e) Being a jailer, or an employee, contractor, vendor, or volunteer of the Department of Corrections, Department of Juvenile Justice, or a detention facility as defined in KRS 520.010, or of an entity under contract with either department or a detention facility for the custody, supervision, evaluation, or treatment of offenders, he or she subjects a person who he or she knows is incarcerated, supervised, evaluated, or treated by the Department of Corrections, Department of Juvenile Justice, detention facility, or contracting entity, to deviate sexual intercourse; or
 - (f) Being a peace officer, while serving in his or her official capacity, he or she subjects a person who the officer:
 - 1. Arrested, held in custody, or investigated for commission of a traffic or criminal offense; or
 - 2. Knew or should have known was under arrest, held in custody, or being investigated for commission of a traffic or criminal offense;to sexual intercourse.
- (2) Sodomy in the third degree is a Class D felony.

530.020 Incest.

- (1) A person is guilty of incest when he or she has sexual intercourse or deviate sexual intercourse, as defined in KRS 510.010, with a person whom he or she knows to be his or her parent, child, grandparent, grandchild, great-grandparent, great-grandchild, uncle, aunt, nephew, niece, brother, sister, first cousin, ancestor, or descendant. The relationships referred to herein include blood relationships of either the whole or half-blood without regard to legitimacy, relationship of parent and child by adoption, relationship of stepparent and stepchild, and relationship of step grandparent and step grandchild.
- (2) (a) Incest is a Class C felony if the act is committed by consenting persons.

(b) Incest is a Class B felony if committed:

1. With a person without his or her consent;
2. By forcible compulsion as defined in KRS 510.10(2); or
3. With a person who is:
 - a. Less than eighteen (18) years of age by a person three (3) or more years older; or
 - b. Incapable of consent because he or she is physically helpless or mentally incapacitated as defined in KRS 510.010.

(c) Incest is a Class A felony if committed:

1. With a person who is less than twelve (12) years of age; or
2. With a person without his or her consent causing serious physical injury.

Stalking – The Commonwealth of Kentucky defines stalking as follows:

508.130 Stalking.

(1) As used in this section, unless the context requires otherwise:

- (a)
 1. "Course of conduct" means a pattern of conduct composed of two (2) or more acts, evidencing a continuity of purpose.
 2. One (1) or more of these acts may include:
 - a. Those by which a person, directly or indirectly, by any means or method:
 - i. Follows, monitors, observes, surveils, or threatens another person; or
 - ii. Interferes with another person's property; or
 - b. The use of any equipment, instrument, machine, or other device by which communication or information is transmitted, including but not limited to:
 - i. Computers;
 - ii. The internet, internet applications, social media platforms, email, text messages, instant messages, or any other electronic network;
 - iii. Cameras or other recording devices;
 - iv. Telephones or other personal communications devices;
 - v. Scanners or other copying devices; and
 - vi. Any device that enables the use of a transmitting device.
 3. Constitutionally protected activity is not included within the meaning of "course of conduct." If the defendant claims that he or she was engaged in constitutionally protected activity, the court shall determine the validity of that claim as a matter of law and, if found valid, shall exclude that activity from evidence;

(b) "Protective order" means:

1. An emergency protective order or domestic violence order issued under KRS 403.715 to 403.785;
2. A foreign protective order, as defined in KRS 403.720 and 456.010;
3. An order issued under KRS 431.064;
4. An interpersonal protective order issued in accordance with KRS 508.155 or 510.037;
5. An order of protection as defined in KRS 403.720 and 456.010;

6. A civil restraining order issued by a court of this Commonwealth or any other state on the basis of domestic violence and abuse as defined in KRS 403.720 or dating violence and abuse as defined in KRS 456.010; or

7. Any condition of a bond, conditional release, probation, parole, or pretrial diversion order designed to protect the victim from the offender; and

(c) "Social media platform" means a website or application that is open to the public, allows a user to create an account, and enables users to do all of the following:

1. Interact socially with other users within the confines of the website or application;
2. Construct a public or semipublic profile for the purpose of signing into and using the website or application;
3. Populate a list of other users with whom an individual shares or has the ability to share a social connection within the website or application; and
4. Create or post content viewable by others, including on message boards, chat rooms, video channels, direct or private messages, or chats, or on a landing page or main feed that presents the user with content generated by other users.

(2) A person is guilty of stalking when he or she:

(a) Intentionally engages in a course of conduct directed at another person or persons that:

1. Seriously alarms, annoys, intimidates, or harasses the other person or persons;
2. Serves no legitimate purpose; and
3. Causes the other person or persons to suffer substantial mental distress, including but not limited to interference with the person's sense of safety or well-being; and

(b) Consciously disregards a substantial and unjustifiable risk that the course of conduct would cause the other person or persons to suffer substantial mental distress.

(3) Stalking is a Class D felony unless:

(a) A protective order has been issued by the court to protect the same victim or victims and the defendant has been served with the summons or order or has been given actual notice;

(b) A criminal complaint is currently pending with a court, law enforcement agency, or prosecutor by the same victim or victims and the defendant has been served with a summons or warrant or has been given actual notice;

(c) The defendant has been convicted of or pled guilty within the previous five (5) years to a felony or to a Class A misdemeanor against the same victim or victims;

(d) The act or acts were committed while the defendant had a deadly weapon on or about his or her person; or

(e) The defendant's act or acts place the victim or victims in reasonable fear of:

1. Sexual contact as defined in KRS 510.010;
2. Physical injury; or
3. Death;

in which case it is a Class C felony.

Definition of Consent as it Relates to Sexual Activity

Commonwealth of Kentucky Definition of Consent as it Relates to Sexual Activity

KRS Chapter 510 Statutes for Sex Offense

510.020 Lack of consent.

- (1) Whether or not specifically stated, it is an element of every offense defined in this chapter that the sexual act was committed without consent of the victim.
- (2) Lack of consent results from:
 - (a) Forcible compulsion;
 - (b) Incapacity to consent; or
 - (c) If the offense charged is sexual abuse, any circumstances in addition to forcible compulsion or incapacity to consent in which the victim does not expressly or impliedly acquiesce in the actor's conduct.
- (3) A person is deemed incapable of consent when he or she is:
 - (a) Less than sixteen (16) years old;
 - (b) Sixteen (16) or seventeen (17) years old and the actor is at least ten (10) years older than the victim at the time of the sexual act;
 - (c) An individual unable to communicate consent or lack of consent, or unable to understand the nature of the act or its consequences, due to an intellectual disability or a mental illness;
 - (d) Mentally incapacitated;
 - (e) Physically helpless; or
 - (f) Under the care or custody of a state or local agency pursuant to court order and the actor is employed by or working on behalf of the state or local agency.
- (4) The provisions of subsection (3)(f) of this section shall not apply to persons who are lawfully married to each other and no court order is in effect prohibiting contact between the parties.

University of Kentucky Definition of Consent as it Relates to Sexual Activity

This definition of consent is provided by the Office of Equal Opportunity Policy and is utilized by the Equal Opportunity Office for the purpose of assessment/investigation and adjudication of violations.

Consent means a voluntary expression of willingness, permission or agreement to engage in a specific sexual activity throughout a sexual encounter. It is the responsibility of each person involved in the sexual activity to ensure that they have the affirmative consent of the other to engage in the sexual activity. Consent cannot be inferred from the absence of a “no”; consent, verbal or otherwise, must be obtained. Consent cannot be granted by an individual who: (1) is incapacitated as defined by this Policy; (2) has been compelled by force or threat of force; or (3) is coerced by supervisory or disciplinary authority.

How to Be an Active Bystander

Bystander intervention means safe and positive options that may be carried out by an individual or individuals to prevent harm or intervene when there is a risk of dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking. Bystander intervention includes recognizing situations of potential harm, understanding institutional structures, and cultural conditions that facilitate violence, overcoming barriers to intervening, identifying safe and effective intervention options, and taking action to intervene.

In recognition that bystanders can play a role in the prevention of sexual and relationship violence, the University offers bystander education. This is a training strategy that teaches bystanders to be active bystanders through safely and effectively intervening whenever they observe a potentially concerning situation. Bystander education is offered as training on an ongoing basis for students, faculty, and staff. Participants are taught both proactive and reactive strategies for making a difference through using their words, behaviors, and actions to prevent or mitigate the impact of harm. Proactive bystander strategies include regular actions one can take to contribute to shaping a violence-free campus.

Being an active bystander includes action steps to be taken such as directly asking someone, “How are you?” “Is there anything I can do for you?” Another way we can intervene is by causing a distraction to divert the attention of the aggressor and create a moment where the recipient of the harmful behavior can step away or find support. Delegating intervention to another party or entity is another effective way to be an active bystander if you do not feel comfortable intervening in a direct or distracting way.

Risk Reduction

Risk reduction means options designed to decrease perpetration and bystander inaction, and to increase empowerment for everyone in the UK community to play a role in promoting safety and helping individuals and communities address conditions that facilitate violence.

The University of Kentucky’s VIP Center trains all incoming students and new employees on positive options to promote safety on campus, including proactive and reactive bystander behavior, and building a culture of consent.

The following are a few risk reduction strategies suggested by the Rape, Abuse, and Incest National Network (RAINN). Many more tips are available on their website, www.rainn.org. The strategies offered here are with no intent to blame victims. Only people who cause harm are responsible for the harm. To learn more about primary prevention of sexual and gender-based violence, please review the following section titled Programs to Prevent Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking. You may also contact VIP at vipcenter@uky.edu or (859) 257-3574.

RAINN.org Strategies for Staying Safe on Campus:

- **Know your resources.** Locate your university health care center, campus police station, and VIP. Identify the location of Talk-A-Phone (emergency phones) on campus. Download the SafeZone App.

- **Stay alert.** Always be aware of your surroundings, whether you are simply walking to class or enjoying an outing in a surrounding neighborhood.
- **Make others earn your trust.** Someone you just met may seem like a friend but give it time before placing your faith in them.
- **Have a backup plan.** Always have a plan B. Do you have cash in case your debit/credit card doesn't work? Do you have a reliable friend you can call if your car won't start? If your phone battery dies or if you have lost your phone, do you have some important phone numbers memorized?
- **Be secure.** Always sleep with your doors and windows locked. Make sure locking mechanisms are engaged when you leave.
- **Trust your instincts.** If a situation, location, or person feels unsafe take measures to remedy the situation immediately. If something doesn't feel right, it probably isn't.
- **When you attend a social event, go with a group of friends.** Make plans with your group ahead of time to watch out/care for each other for the duration of the event. Everyone should get home safely.
- **Never leave your drink unattended.** If you have left your drink unattended during a conversation, bathroom break, or while out dancing, get a fresh/new drink.
- **Exit uncomfortable/scary situations**
 - **Always remember being in the situation is not your fault.**
 - **Never feel obligated to do anything you don't want to do.**
 - **Have a code word to use with family/friends** so you can relay to them your discomfort in a situation without the present party knowing.
 - **Lie.** Make up any excuse to exit uncomfortable situations – you need to leave due to an ill family member, a friend just called, feeling unwell, etc.

Prevention Programs

Regular and ongoing education regarding domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking is available for all members of the University community. The VIP Center offers interactive training sessions for students on the topic of consent, healthy relationships, and how to help a loved one. Information on consent, bystander strategies and healthy relationships are included in several POWER initiatives. The Title IX Coordinator, or designee, offers training on Discrimination and Harassment, including Title IX, regularly for new employees, in the Supervision curriculum, and for employees and any units upon request.

The programs offered are comprehensive, intentional, and integrated initiative strategies and campaigns intended to end domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking. These programs are culturally relevant, inclusive of all communities and identities, sustainable, responsive to community needs, and informed by research or assessed for value, effectiveness, and outcome. The programs also consider environmental risk and protective factors as they occur on the individual, relationship, institutional, community, and societal levels.

Programs to prevent dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking include both primary and secondary prevention in addition to awareness programs directed at incoming students and new employees, as well as ongoing prevention and awareness campaigns directed at returning students and current

employees. Primary prevention and awareness programs presented include presentations to new students and employee orientations, resource fairs, programs presented by special invitation to classes and clubs, and annually required online sexual assault prevention training for undergraduates/graduate students. This online training utilizes Vector's Sexual Assault Prevention program for both undergraduate and graduate students who are new to campus. The program educates students on relevant terms and concepts, such as consent and bystander intervention, and has multiple scenarios through which a student may showcase their understanding of the content. It also ensures all incoming students have access to the University's Title IX policies. New employees also go through an online program as part of New Employee Orientation, which includes a video training new employees about the VIP Center, their work on campus, and how they may utilize or recommend VIP services.

Annual, ongoing prevention and awareness campaigns are designed to offer continuing education regarding sexual violence and include programs such as National Domestic Violence Awareness Month in October, National Stalking Awareness Month in January, and National Sexual Assault and Prevention Month in April.

Primary prevention and awareness programs, as well as ongoing prevention and awareness programs delivered by VIP, can be viewed in Appendices F and G.

The Office of Equal Opportunity (OEO) offers additional training programs. Training is part of a comprehensive program designed to protect members of the University community from discrimination based on sex or gender, which includes sexual misconduct.

Procedures Victims Should Follow

After an incident of domestic violence, dating violence, or sexual assault, survivors are encouraged to consider seeking hospital care immediately. Students/staff should call 911 to connect with their local emergency services. Survivors located on Main Campus may also dial #UKPD from a cell phone to directly connect with UKPD dispatchers. The survivor may choose to make a report over the phone or if needed an ambulance or officer will be dispatched to the survivor's location.

Survivors who feel they may have been drugged are encouraged to communicate this to hospital staff and to ask the hospital to take appropriate samples for testing purposes. To ensure proper evidence is collected, sexual assault survivors may choose to have a Sexual Assault Forensic Exam (SAFE) performed at the hospital by a registered Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE) or other qualified medical provider. SAFE exams are free in the Commonwealth of Kentucky, so there is never any cost to the survivor. In order to preserve evidence (semen, saliva, hairs, blood), survivors are encouraged not to eat/drink, use the restroom, change clothing, or clean/groom their body by bathing, douching, brushing teeth, or combing/spraying hair before the exam. However, a victim can still choose to have the exam even if some or all of these activities have occurred. Additionally, the scene of the assault should be preserved if possible – do not wash clothes, bed linen or any other items associated with the assault. The survivor may choose to complete all or only certain parts of the SAFE exam. The survivor may withdraw consent for the SAFE exam at any point.

If the survivor chooses to complete a SAFE exam, he/she retains the right to determine whether a report or other notification is made to law enforcement. This excludes cases where reporting of abuse and neglect of a child or vulnerable adult is required. No survivor will be denied an examination due to his/her choice not to file

a police report or otherwise cooperate with law enforcement. During a SAFE exam medical professionals will provide any needed immediate care for injuries, record the survivor's medical history, provide a comprehensive medical examination, advise of any mandatory reporting requirements (such as for a minor), and provide any required follow-up care. Senate Bill 63 advises that upon completion of the exam, and with survivor approval to proceed with law enforcement action, law enforcement has five (5) days from the date of notification by the collecting facility to take custody of the evidence, and a subsequent period of thirty (30) days to transmit evidence to the Department of Kentucky State Police Forensic Laboratory.

In 2010, the Kentucky General Assembly enacted House Bill 500, which requires in-state hospitals and other sexual assault examination facilities to provide SAFE exams, regardless of the law enforcement reporting choice of the survivor. If the survivor opts not to complete a SAFE exam or report the assault, emergency medical care professionals can still treat injuries and address any other medical related concerns the survivor may have (e.g., unwanted pregnancy, sexually transmitted disease, etc.). The survivor may also access support services such as counseling and advocacy through VIP, UKPD SVU, the Sexual Violence Resource Center, and/or GreenHouse17.

Physical evidence is important because it helps others understand what the survivor has experienced, can help prove their case in court, and can help secure a protection order if need be. In addition to the SAFE exam, survivors of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking should be advised to preserve the following types of evidence, if possible:

- Have photos taken of visible physical injuries (e.g., abrasions, cuts, bruises, etc.)
- Keep a stalking log to record number and type of unwanted contact
- Keep all documentation related to the abuse or threat of abuse
 - Text/phone/email messages
 - Social networking pages
 - Other communications, such as handwritten letters/notes/cards
 - Photos
 - Contact information of any witness(es)
 - Detailed record of dates/times harassment and/or threatening behavior occurred.

If a survivor has reported their experience to law enforcement, they should inform the police of the type(s) of evidence they have so law enforcement may assist them in properly securing and storing the information.

If there are questions or concerns at any point in the process reach out to the following for guidance:

UK Police 911 from a UK phone; #UKPD from cell

Violence Intervention and Prevention Center..... (859) 257-3574 (office hours M-F 08:30 am – 04:30 pm)

Office of Equal Opportunity (859) 257-8927 (office hours M-F, 08:00 am – 05:00 pm)
Visit in person: 18th Floor Patterson Office Tower

The Sexual Violence Resource Center.....(859) 253-2511 (24 hour support line)

Involvement of Law Enforcement and Campus Authorities

Members of the University community are always strongly encouraged to report domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking crimes they may know about. Identified CSAs and mandatory reporters have an obligation to report. However, it is important to note that survivors have a choice in whether or not to report. Survivors have the right to decline to report their incidents to law enforcement. When the survivor is ready the crime should be reported to the appropriate law enforcement jurisdiction.

Table 10: Law Enforcement Contact Information

INCIDENT LOCATION	REPORT TO	CONTACT INFORMATION
Main Campus, South Farm, North Farm	UKPD	(859) 257-1616
Off-Campus in the Surrounding Community (Fayette County)	Lexington Police Department	(859) 258-3600
Other Separate Campuses	Report to the Local Law Enforcement Authority	See Contact Numbers in the Crime Reporting Section for Each Separate Campus

Additionally, incidents of this nature involving a University student, regardless of location, should be reported to the Office of Equal Opportunity, (859) 257-8927. Should the survivor choose, the Office of Equal Opportunity can assist in reporting the incident to law enforcement.

For additional information, please visit:

UKPD <http://www.uky.edu/police/ukpd-home>

UKPD Special Victims Unit <https://police.uky.edu/special-victims-unit>

University of Kentucky Office of Equal Opportunity <https://oeo.uky.edu/key-priorities/title-ix-compliance>

Lexington Police Department <https://www.lexingtonky.gov/departments/police>

Lexington Police Department Survivor's Handbook

<https://www.lexingtonky.gov/government/departments-programs/domestic-sexual-violence-prevention-coalition/survivor-handbooks>

Pastoral and Professional Counselors

Pastoral and professional counselors, while acting in their professional capacity, are not CSAs under the Clery Act and are thus considered exempt from reporting confidential statistics. The Clery Act defines pastoral and professional counselors as follows:

- Pastoral counselor: A person who is associated with a religious order or denomination, is recognized by that religious order or denomination as someone who provides confidential counseling, and is functioning within the scope of that recognition as a pastoral counselor.
- Professional counselor: A person whose official responsibilities include providing mental health counseling to members of the institution's community and who is functioning within the scope of the counselor's license or certification.

The Clery Act provides for this exemption to ensure that these individuals can provide appropriate counseling services without an obligation to report crimes they may learn about through client care. This exemption is intended to protect the counselor-client relationship. However, even the legally recognized privileges acknowledge some exemptions, and there may be situations in which counselors are in fact under a legal obligation to report a crime.

Reporting Incidents

If you are a survivor of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking you should report the incident promptly to the University of Kentucky Office of Equal Opportunity.

Walk-in Report	Office of Equal Opportunity 18 th Floor Patterson Office Tower
Phone	(859) 257-8927
Email	sarah.mudd@uky.edu or Equalopportunity@uky.edu
On-line	https://cm.maxient.com/reportingform.php?UnivofKentucky&layout_id=30

All complaints related to alleged violations of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking, regardless of where the complaint is initially received, are referred to the Office of Equal Opportunity for investigation. For example, any complaint of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking made to UKPD will be referred to the Office of Equal Opportunity.

Anonymous reports may be made to UKPD; however, because police reports are public records under state law, UKPD cannot hold reports of sexual assault, stalking, dating violence, domestic violence, or sexual exploitation in confidence. The Office of Equal Opportunity considers all requests for anonymity but may not be able to honor all requests while meeting the complaining party's needs and complying with the University's duties according to federal law. Further, the Title IX Coordinator is required to report criminal incidents to UKPD.

Dual Reporting: Violations of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking may be both a violation of University policy and law, and as such, the University encourages Complaining Witnesses to make reports to both local law enforcement agencies (LPD, UKPD, or other appropriate local law enforcement

agencies) and a University official. The result of an external criminal investigation does not affect whether a violation of University policy has occurred. An external criminal investigation will not take the place of a University investigation. The University will not wait for the conclusion of a criminal investigation to begin conducting its independent investigation, take interim measures to protect the University or any member of the University community or, when necessary, initiate hearing procedures.

Rights of Victims and the Institution's Responsibilities for Orders

The University complies with the Commonwealth of Kentucky law regarding orders of protection. Orders of protection in Kentucky serve to protect the survivor from future abuse by setting limits on the offender's behavior. For example, the court may order the offender to maintain a certain safe distance from the survivor.

The VIP Center provides the following guidance:

Kentucky courts may issue a short-term Emergency Protective Order (EPO) or Interpersonal Protective Order (IPO) when you are concerned for your safety. The following is information provided by the Administrative Office of the Courts and describes the process of obtaining available protections. Advocates at the VIP Center are here to help you navigate these options and answer any questions you may have about the process. Additionally, the VIP Center can help you to obtain a campus No Contact Order (NCO), which comes from the University directly and does not require court involvement. The VIP is open Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., and can be reached at (859) 257-3574.

Why file for an EPO or IPO?

To be eligible for an EPO or an IPO, the respondent must have either:

- Physically injured or assaulted you.
- Sexually abused or sexually assaulted you.
- Threatened to physically injure or assault you.
- Stalked you.
- Done something to place you in fear of imminent physical injury, serious physical injury, or sexual abuse or assault.

Types of Protective Orders

The court may order protection for a survivor of domestic violence, dating violence and abuse, stalking, and/or sexual assault. Protective order cases are different from criminal cases. Protective orders are intended to prevent future acts of violence or abuse. A criminal case is usually handled by the county attorney, who prosecutes the respondent for acts of violence or abuse that have already taken place.

Temporary Protective Orders

The court may issue an *emergency protective order* (EPO) in domestic violence cases or a *temporary interpersonal protective order* (TIPO) in dating violence and stalking/sexual assault cases. These are short-term orders intended to stop violence and abuse by placing restrictions on the respondent's actions until a hearing may be held by the court, usually within fourteen (14) days.

Long-Term Protective Orders

Domestic violence orders (DVO) and interpersonal protective orders (IPO) can last up to three (3) years. These orders are intended to stop violence and abuse by placing restrictions on a respondent after a court hearing.

Who can obtain a protective order?

To get a protective order, the parties must have a qualifying relationship. Qualifying relationships include:

- Family members. This includes a spouse, a former spouse, a parent, a child, a stepchild, a grandparent, a grandchild, or any other person living in the same household as a child if the child is the alleged victim.
- Members of an unmarried couple. This includes members of an unmarried couple who allegedly have a child in common, any children of that couple, or members of an unmarried couple who are living together or have formerly lived together.
- A dating relationship between two individuals who have or have had a relationship of a romantic or intimate nature.
- A victim of stalking or sexual assault.

Who can be protected?

- You can request protection for yourself, your children, and/or other persons who you believe may need protection.
- If you are an adult and believe a child needs protection but you do not, you may file a petition on behalf of that child.
- If you are under the age of eighteen (18), an adult may file a petition for you.

Where do I file a petition for a protective order?

To file a petition for a protective order, visit the Office of Circuit Court Clerk in your county of residence or in the county where you are currently residing if you left your home to get away from the abuse. There is an Office of Circuit Court Clerk in every Kentucky county. For contact information for all 120 Offices of Circuit Court Clerk, visit <https://kycourts.gov/Courts/County-Information/Pages/default.aspx> and select a county.

- You can obtain a protective order twenty-four (24) hours a day.
- There are no fees or costs for filing a petition.
- After business hours, you should contact your local law enforcement for assistance in obtaining a protective order.

How do I fill out the petition?

You will be asked to provide information about you and the respondent. It is important to provide as much information about the respondent as possible – such as date of birth, Social Security number, and address – so that he or she may be served with any order that may be issued. Your address and date of birth will be kept confidential. You will be asked to list any children you and the respondent have, and you can request that these children be protected by any order that may be issued. Under “Motion for Relief,” you can request the

protection that you believe is appropriate for your situation. You will be asked to swear that the information you provided is true.

What happens after the petition is filed?

The petition will be immediately submitted to a judge or a trial commissioner for review. If a judge issues an EPO, TIPO, or a summons, a hearing will be scheduled within fourteen (14) days to determine whether a long-term order is needed. You will receive something that shows you the date and time for your hearing. If you do not know when your hearing is scheduled, check with the Office of Circuit Court Clerk. Law enforcement will then attempt to serve the protective order or summons on the respondent. A protective order does not go into effect until the respondent is served with a copy of the order or is notified about the protective order by law enforcement. You can contact the "agency assigned service" (listed on the order) to find out if the respondent has been served. A protective order (EPO/TIPO) is effective until the court holds a hearing, usually within fourteen (14) days. If the respondent has not been served with the EPO/TIPO, the order will be continued until service is made (up to six (6) months) or until the order is withdrawn by the court. Even if you believe you no longer need protection, you will need to appear at the scheduled court hearing. Only a judge can grant a new court date or change the order. Depending on the circumstances of the case, the court may excuse you from future court appearances until the respondent is served. If the EPO/TIPO remains unserved for up to six (6) months, you will receive a notice from the court at your last known address letting you know that the order is about to expire and that you will need to come to the Office of Circuit Court Clerk to fill out a new petition to continue the case.

What should I bring to the hearing?

This may be the only hearing in the case, so you will need to bring any witnesses you may have and any documents that may be evidence of what has happened, such as police reports, photos, and medical records. The circuit court clerk can give you forms for subpoenas for any witnesses. If you are asking for child support, bring pay stubs and tax returns if possible. All of this information will become part of the court record.

What can happen at the hearing?

At a full hearing, the court hears testimony from you, the respondent, and any other witnesses. The court may dismiss the case or issue a DVO or IPO (domestic violence order or interpersonal protective order), which may include any of the following terms:

1. Order the respondent to have no contact with you or other persons except as directed by the judge.
2. Order the respondent not to go near a specified residence, school, or place of employment of the petitioner. NOTE: This must be requested on the protective order petition. Any address information provided is not confidential and will be available to the respondent.
3. Order the respondent not to abuse or threaten you.
4. Order the respondent not to damage or dispose of your property.
5. Order the respondent to leave your residence.
6. Grant temporary custody of children.
7. Grant child support.
8. Order counseling.

9. Anything else needed to eliminate future acts of violence.

You should carefully read all orders you receive. If you have questions about what your order means, contact your attorney (if you have one), a local domestic violence program or the VIP Center.

What if the respondent violates the protective order?

A protective order can be enforced in any Kentucky county. Other states may enforce the order, but it should be registered in any state where you move to or plan to stay for an extended period. If the respondent violates the protective order, your options may include:

- Calling the police, who may be able to arrest the respondent.
- Going back to the court that issued the protective order to ask that the respondent be held in contempt for violating the order.
- Going to the county attorney's office to see if the respondent can be charged with a crime for violating the protective order.

How do I change or extend a protective order?

If you need to change the terms of a protective order, you must file a motion to amend with the Office of Circuit Court Clerk in the county where you obtained your protective order. Either party can file a motion to amend an order. A judge will then review the motion and make a decision. Only the judge can change some or all of the terms of an order. If you wish to have the protective order extended past its expiration date, you must file a motion with the court that gives your reason(s) for the request. The motion must be filed before the order expires.

Procedures University of Kentucky Will Follow

In the event a crime of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking occurs, the University will follow its policy governing such acts which can be found in Administrative Regulation: Equal Dignity (Interim), Office of Equal Opportunity Policy, Administrative Regulation: Due Process (Interim) and Policy: Due Process – Equal Dignity. It should be noted that the steps, anticipated timelines, decision-making process for disciplinary proceedings, steps to file a disciplinary complaint, and how the institution determines which type of proceeding to use are all informed by these documents. Also, these procedures apply in all cases involving these type violations regardless of whether the respondent is a faculty employee, staff employee, or student. The University resolves complaints of prohibited conduct within a period that is reasonable given the nature of the complaint. However, should the process take longer than anticipated, the University will communicate with the involved parties to ensure everyone is informed of any revised timeline, etc. The process will be conducted not only in a timely manner, but also in a prompt, fair, and impartial manner in order to provide all parties with resolution.

Administrative Regulation: Equal Dignity (Interim), Office of Equal Opportunity Policy, Administrative Regulation: Due Process (Interim) and Policy: Due Process – Equal Dignity establishes the University's policies and procedures for addressing and resolving allegations of Sexual Harassment under Title IX of the Education

Amendments of 1972. This regulation also applies to acts of retaliation as defined in the Title IX implementing regulations and types of Sexual Misconduct not contemplated by the Title IX implementing regulations. This regulation does not include Sexual Harassment or other forms of sex or gender-based discrimination covered by Title VII.

The definition of Sexual Harassment under Title IX is codified in the U.S. Department of Education's Regulations implementing Title IX. Conduct that is Sexual Harassment under Title IX is not necessarily Sexual Harassment under Title VII or Kentucky law and vice versa.

The University's Title IX Coordinator and the Office of Equal Opportunity ("Equal Opportunity") administer this regulation. The Title IX Coordinator and Equal Opportunity administer the following documents that address Sexual Misconduct and other forms of discrimination and harassment:

- Administrative Regulation – Equal Dignity (interim)
 - Defines discrimination and harassment
 - Outlines expectations related to reporting, retaliation and resignation/withdrawal
 - Establishes OEO manages reports
- Office of Equal Opportunity Policy
 - Refers back to AR: Equal Dignity (interim)
 - Operationalizes response to reports
 - Further defines discrimination and harassment
 - Points to Administrative Regulation: Due Process (Interim) for conclusion when applicable
- Administrative Regulation – Due Process (interim)
 - Sets minimum standards of due process provided across campus
 - Establishes units responsible for application
- Policy: Due Process – Equal Dignity Policy
 - Refers back to AR: Due Process
 - Operationalizes OEO hearing resolution process

The University of Kentucky is committed to providing a safe learning, living, and working environment for all members of the University community. Consistent with this commitment, the University prohibits Sexual Harassment under Title IX which includes quid pro quo sexual harassment, hostile environment sexual harassment, domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, and retaliation against any person for the good faith reporting of any of these forms of conduct or participation in any investigation or proceeding under this regulation (collectively, "Sexual Harassment"). This regulation also prohibits sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, stalking, and sexual exploitation (collectively "Sexual Misconduct") that fall outside the definitions of those behaviors as defined as Sexual Harassment under Title IX. These forms of Sexual Harassment and Sexual Misconduct are unlawful, undermine the character and purpose of the University, and will not be tolerated.

Employees or students who violate this regulation may face disciplinary action up to and including termination or expulsion. The University will take prompt and equitable action to prevent Sexual Harassment and Sexual

Misconduct, discipline anyone who violates this policy, prevent further prohibited behavior, and remedy the effect of any such conduct. The University conducts ongoing prevention, awareness, and training programs for faculty, staff, and students to achieve the goals of this regulation.

Every member of the University community is responsible for fostering an environment free from Sexual Harassment and Sexual Misconduct. All members of the University community are encouraged to take reasonable and prudent actions to prevent or stop any acts of Sexual Harassment and Sexual Misconduct. The University will support and assist community members who take such actions.

Administrative Regulation — Equal Dignity (Interim)

I. Members of the University Community Have Equal Dignity

As set out in Governing Regulation I — Declaration of Principles, the University follows both the federal and state Constitutions as well as applicable federal and state laws on nondiscrimination. Further details are set out in policies found within the Office of Equal Opportunity.

The University provides equal opportunities for qualified persons in all aspects of institutional operations and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, ethnic origin, religion, creed, age, physical or mental disability, veteran status, uniformed service, political belief, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, pregnancy, marital status, genetic information, social or economic status or whether the person is a smoker or nonsmoker, as long as the person complies with University regulation concerning smoking.

II. Members of the University Community Must Refrain from Discrimination

A. Definition of Discrimination

Discrimination is an action or a behavior that results in negative or different treatment of an individual based on a protected characteristic specified in Article I of this Administrative Regulation.

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One form of discrimination is harassment. The University's definition of harassment is the definition adopted by the Supreme Court of the United States.¹ Specifically, harassment is behavior that is "so severe, pervasive, and objectively offensive, and that so undermines and detracts from the victims' educational [or employment] experience, that the [victims] are effectively denied equal access to an institution's resources and opportunities."² In some contexts, federal law or federal regulations may require the University to use a broader definition of harassment. However, regardless of definition, harassment does not include expression protected by the First Amendment.

The University prohibits harassment based on a protected characteristic specified in Article I of this Administrative Regulation.

B. Application

This Administrative Regulation applies to all members of the University community.

C. Expectations

The University will refrain from discrimination based on a protected characteristic specified in Article I of this Administrative Regulation. However, in some instances, registered student organizations may be selective based on viewpoint, religious belief or the organization's focus.

All members of the University community and those outside the University community who are participating in its programs, services or activities are expected to maintain an environment free of discrimination as detailed in Article I of this Administrative Regulation.

III. Investigation of Complaints of Discrimination

A. Initiation of a Complaint

Any member of the University community may initiate a complaint of discrimination by contacting the University's Office of Equal Opportunity. The Office of Equal Opportunity will establish processes for the investigation, resolution and adjudication of complaints.

B. Mandatory Reporters

Except for employees who have received an explicit written exemption, University employees are mandatory reporters. This means that if an employee is told about or observes conduct that might be considered discrimination, then the employee must report the incident to the Office of Equal Opportunity as soon as reasonably possible. In making such reports, employees must provide known information to the Office of Equal Opportunity. Employees cannot promise confidentiality to the complainant or potential witnesses. Employees should not attempt to investigate before reporting the incident to the Office of Equal Opportunity. Failure to report may result in disciplinary action against the employee as set out in Administrative Regulation — Employee Code.

C. Retaliation Prohibited

Retaliation occurs when an adverse action is taken against an individual because of their engagement or lack thereof in the investigation, resolution or adjudication of a complaint of discrimination. Neither the University nor any employee, student or authorized volunteer may intimidate, threaten, coerce or discriminate against any individual who participates or chooses not to participate in the investigation, resolution or adjudication of a complaint of discrimination. This prohibition on retaliation covers not just complainants and respondents but also witnesses and reporters.

D. Withdrawal or Resignation During a Pending Investigation

Any student who withdraws while under investigation is ineligible for readmission. Any employee who resigns while under investigation is ineligible for rehire.

IV. Due Process for Respondents

If, after investigation, the Office of Equal Opportunity concludes there is no violation, then the matter is closed.

If, after investigation, the Office of Equal Opportunity concludes there is a violation, then the Office of Equal Opportunity will assess the severity of the conduct.

In instances where the alleged conduct merits a due process hearing, due process will be provided as described in Administrative Regulation — Due Process and the appropriate hearing policy.

Office of Equal Opportunity Policy

I. Policy Scope & General Definitions

A. Policy Scope

This policy applies to all University programs and activities and includes employees, students and visitors who engage or attempt to engage in these programs and activities. This policy addresses the reporting of and response to concerns related to discrimination and harassment on the basis of a protected characteristic within the University's programs and activities as defined in the *Administrative Regulation - Equal Dignity (Interim)*.

Reports of alleged discrimination or harassment not based on a protected characteristic are not managed by the Office of Equal Opportunity. Concerns regarding discrimination or harassment not covered by this policy should be referred to the Office of Student Conduct (Student Cases) or the Employee Relations Office (Employee Cases).

B. General Definitions

The Office of Equal Opportunity ("Equal Opportunity") refers to the *Administrative Regulation - Equal Dignity (Interim)* for definitions including definitions of discrimination, harassment, protected characteristics and retaliation. Additionally, for the purpose of this policy, we will use the following terms generally:

- **Advisor-** means an advocate or other individual who may attend both an investigative meeting or live hearing to provide advice, support or guidance to either Respondent or Complainant. An Advisor may be an attorney, though this is not required in non-hearing settings. Non-attorney Advisors may not directly participate in the hearing because participation in a live hearing may be regarded as the practice of law in Kentucky. An Advisor may not be a witness at the hearing of the matter for which they are serving as an advisor.
- **Antisemitism-** the Office of Equal Opportunity utilizes the definition of antisemitism established by the International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance and recognized by Kentucky 2021 Regular Session Senate Resolution 67: Antisemitism is a certain perception of Jews, which may be expressed as hatred toward Jews. Rhetorical and physical manifestations of antisemitism are directed toward Jewish or non-Jewish individuals and/or their property, toward Jewish community institutions and religious facilities.
- **Complainant-** refers to the person who is the recipient of or impacted by the behavior in the alleged violation.
- **Employee-** refers to a faculty employee or staff employee, regardless of employee type (i.e. regular or temporary), as defined in HR Policy and Procedure # 4: Employee Status.

- False Allegation- means an allegation that was made in bad faith, e.g. an allegation that the person making knew to be untrue at the time it was made. The mere fact an investigation concluded, but did not reach a finding of responsibility does not mean the allegation was made in bad faith.
- Force or Coercion- means : (a) threats of serious physical, emotional, or psychological harm to or physical restraint against any person, (b) any scheme, plan, or pattern intended to cause a person to believe that failure to perform an act would result in serious harm to or physical restraint against any person, or (c) threats of employment or academic repercussions for failing to engage in the requested behavior.
- Formal Complaint- refers to a written document required in cases related to Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 that is filed with the Office of Equal Opportunity for the purpose of initiating an investigation. This is detailed further in the Sexual Harassment and Misconduct section of these policies and procedures.
- Harassment- is a type of discrimination and is behavior based on a protected characteristic as defined in *Administrative Regulation - Equal Dignity (Interim)*. The University defines harassment using the definition set by the Supreme Court of the United States: behavior that is “so severe, pervasive, and objectively offensive, and that so undermines and detracts from the victims’ educational [or employment] experience and that the [victims] are effectively denied equal access to an institution’s resources and opportunities.”¹ In some cases federal law or federal guidelines may require the University to use a broader definition of harassment. Such examples are further defined within this policy.
- Incapacitated- means a person is impaired to such a level that they lack the physical and/or mental ability to make informed, rational judgments and/or cannot appraise or control their own conduct or make decisions with the degree of understanding they typically possess. A person may be impaired by an intoxicant, by mental illness or deficiency, or by physical illness or disability to the extent that personal decision-making is impossible. A person can be intoxicated without being incapacitated. A person who is below the statutory age of consent is incapacitated.
- Intake Meeting- is a meeting held by Equal Opportunity with either the Complainant or Respondent. This meeting is not an investigative meeting or interview, but rather serves to offer information about the process, answer questions and provide opportunity to request supportive measures.
- Investigative Meeting- is a meeting Equal Opportunity holds with a party to an investigation including but not limited to the Complainant, Respondent, and/or Witnesses for the purpose of gathering information regarding the allegation. These meetings are also referred to as interviews.
- Members of the University Community- This refers to the faculty, staff, students and volunteers, as well as customers and visitors to the University.
- Probable Cause- means a reasonable basis for believing that a violation of this policy may have occurred

- Reporter-refers to the person who submits a report of alleged discrimination or harassment to the Office of Equal Opportunity. Reporters may not be informed of action taken after a report is submitted and/or outcome.
- Respondent-refers to the person who is alleged to be engaging in behavior that maybe a violation of *Administrative Regulation -Equal Dignity (Interim)*.
- Sanction-means any educational or disciplinary measure provided to encourage self-reflection regarding Respondent's policy violation, to stop further inappropriate behavior, and to deter any subsequent violations. Sanctions should be appropriately connected to the violation. Sanctions may also be referred to as Restorative Actions.
- Sexual Assault-is a form of Sexual Harassment or Sexual Misconduct. This is further described in the Sexual Harassment& Misconduct portion of these Policies and Procedures.
- Sexual Harassment or Misconduct-is a form of sex discrimination. This is further described in the Sexual Harassment & Misconduct portion of these Policies and Procedures.
- Student-"Student" means any person who is defined as a student in the Code of Student Conduct. Student status continues whether or not UK's academic programs are in session.
- Supportive Measures-are non-disciplinary, non-punitive individualized services offered as appropriate, as reasonably available and without fee or charge to Complainant or Respondent. Such measures are designed to restore or preserve equal access to the University's education program or activity without unreasonably burdening the other party, including measures designed to protect the safety of all parties or the recipient's educational environment, or deter Discrimination and/or Harassment. A party does not need to initiate an investigation or a formal complaint to receive supportive measures. More details can be found in the Supportive Measures section of these policies and procedures.

C. Federally Required Coordinator

Certain Federal regulations and laws require that the university name a coordinator to facilitate compliance with the named regulation. Title IX and 1557 Coordinator: Sarah Mudd Executive Director, Office of Equal Opportunity 18th Floor, Patterson Office Tower
(859) 257-8927 sarah.mudd@uky.edu

D. Recordkeeping

Equal Opportunity adheres to all University, State and Federal requirements regarding recordkeeping. This includes maintaining for at least a period of seven years records related to Title IX Sexual Harassment as required by 34 CFR 106.45(b)(10).

II. Reporting Procedures and Confidential Resources

A. Mandatory Reporting

Unless specifically noted as a Confidential Resource in this policy, all University of Kentucky employees are mandatory reporters and are required to report information related to possible violations of Equal Dignity to the Office of Equal Opportunity as soon as reasonably possible. Mandatory reporters may not submit reports anonymously. Reports of behavior that constitute an immediate threat to the safety or security of the person experiencing the behavior or the University community should be made to the UK Police Department (UKPD). Please see *Administrative Regulation- Equal Dignity (Interim)* regarding expectations of mandatory reporters.

Reports can be made by contacting the Office of Equal Opportunity at the locations below. The fastest way to submit reports is using the “Make a Report” form on the Equal Opportunity website.

Office of Equal Opportunity
18th Floor, Patterson Office Tower
Phone: 859-257-8927 Fax: 859-562-0607
Email: equalopportunity@uky.edu
Website: oeo.uky.edu
Reporting Form: <https://go.uky.edu/ieeo-report>

Confidential Resources

The following are designated confidential resources for students and employees. Confidential offices can provide support and referrals to parties without the requirement to report allegations of discrimination and/or harassment to Equal Opportunity. Additional community resources can be found on the Equal Opportunity website.

TRACS (Triage, Referral Assistance, Crisis Support) (*students only*)

Students must access TRACS before Counseling Center
Gatton Student Center, East Wing, 2nd Floor
859-218-7227
TRACS@uky.edu

UK Counseling Center (*students only*)

Gatton Student Center, Suite C330
859-257-89011

University Health Services (*students only*)

830 S. Limestone
859-323-2778

Violence, Intervention and Prevention (VIP) Center (*students and employees*)

Multidisciplinary Science Building (MDS), Suite 401
859-257-3574
vipcenter@uky.edu

UK Work-Life and Well-Being (*employees only*)
106 Bosworth Hall
859-257-9555
humanresources@uky.edu

Anonymous reports may be made to Equal Opportunity utilizing the Make a Report form. However, the University has limited ability to address anonymous reports.

830 S. Limestone
859-323-2778

C. Reporting Allegations

Any person can report discrimination and harassment, including sexual harassment and misconduct, regardless of whether the person reporting is the person alleged to be the victim of conduct that could constitute a violation of university regulations and policies. A report may be made in person, by mail, by telephone, by electronic mail, using the contact information listed for the Title IX or 1557 Coordinator, or via Office of Equal Opportunity reporting form on the Equal Opportunity website. There is no statute of limitation for reporting behavior that may be in violation of Equal Dignity, however time passed may limit options for response or resolution. While anyone may submit reports to Equal Opportunity, those who are not members of the University Community may not serve as Complainants in a resolution process. Those who are not members of the University Community may not serve as Complainants in a resolution process.

III. Response to Reports and Formal Complaints

Equal Opportunity will review and respond to all reports submitted in a timely manner. In most cases the first step is to send outreach to the Complainant. This outreach will include an offer to meet with a member of the Equal Opportunity staff to discuss the report, the Complainant's resolution options and any supportive measures that the Complainant may need.

A. Supportive Measures

Both Complainant and Respondent may access supportive measures at any time by contacting the Equal Opportunity. An investigation does not have to be requested for supportive measures to be provided. Supportive measures are non-disciplinary, non-punitive, individualized services that are intended to restore or preserve equal access to University programs and activities. Supportive measures are things reasonably available to a party without fee or charge and without unreasonably burdening the other party.

These may include measures designed to protect the safety of all parties or the University's educational environment or deter discrimination or harassment.

Examples of the range of Supportive Measures that may be initiated at any time and are not dependent on there being an investigation or an outcome of the case include, but are not limited to:

1. Counseling;
2. Extensions of deadlines or other course-related adjustments;
3. Modifications of work or class schedules;

4. Campus safety or security escort services;
5. Mutual restrictions on contact between the parties;
6. Changes in work or housing locations;
7. Leaves of absence;
8. Increased security and monitoring of certain areas of the campus; and
9. Other similar appropriate measures.

Supportive measures are confidential to the extent that maintaining such confidentiality would not impair the ability of the University to provide the supportive measures. The Executive Director of the Office of Equal Opportunity & Title IX Coordinator or their designee, is responsible for coordinating the effective implementation of supportive measures.

B. Intake Meetings

If a Complainant engages with outreach from Equal Opportunity, they will be asked to schedule an intake meeting with a member of the Equal Opportunity team. During this meeting Equal Opportunity staff will discuss reporting options including formal complaints with Equal Opportunity where appropriate or required, information on pursuing criminal or other legal action and support measures available to the individual. Equal Opportunity may also ask questions of the Complainant regarding the allegations to gather more information and better inform resolution options.

With respect to Sexual Harassment under Title IX, the Title IX Coordinator shall:

- promptly contact the Complainant to discuss the availability of Supportive Measures,
- consider the Complainant's wishes with respect to Supportive Measures,
- inform the Complainant of the availability of Supportive Measures with or without the filing of a Formal Complaint, and
- explain to the Complainant the process for filing a Formal Complaint.

IV. Resolution of Complaints

Typically, Equal Opportunity resolution steps are Complainant driven. This means that generally a Complainant can decide if they wish to have Equal Opportunity initiate an investigation or if they wish to pursue an informal resolution option. However, there are some cases where Equal Opportunity must initiate an investigation and in those cases the Complainant will be notified and offered the opportunity to participate. Examples of these cases include but are not limited to allegations that present a health or safety threat to the campus, when Equal Opportunity has multiple reports that may indicate a pattern of behavior or certain reports regarding employees.

A. Informal Resolution

In some cases, resolving a report via informal resolution is an option. Informal resolution provides an opportunity for the conduct in question to be addressed outside of a formal investigation process. The goal of informal resolution is to stop alleged conduct that may be a violation of university policy and provide restorative options to the impacted party. Informal resolution is not an option in cases where a Sexual Harassment or Misconduct formal complaint is brought by a student against an employee. The University has the right to determine that informal resolution is not appropriate in any given case.

1. Employee Coaching

In some complaints against an employee, a Complainant may request that Equal Opportunity conduct an Employee Coaching conversation to resolve the report. Additionally, Equal Opportunity can elect to address a report where a Complainant does not engage with Equal Opportunity via Employee Coaching. When a case is managed via Employee Coaching, that conversation serves as a resolution of the report and the case cannot be reopened unless new actions arise. A written closing letter is sent to the Respondent, and if engaged, Complainant, to document the closure, but there is no finding of responsibility.

2. Facilitated Informal Resolution

In some cases, the Complainant may request that Equal Opportunity address the report via Facilitated Informal Resolution. The Respondent must also agree to engage in Facilitated Informal Resolution for this to be a resolution option. The University must also agree that the case is appropriate for resolution in this manner. Facilitated Informal Resolution is not an option in cases where a Sexual Harassment or Misconduct formal complaint is brought by a student against an employee.

During Facilitated Informal Resolution, a member of the Equal Opportunity team will meet with parties individually to address and attempt to resolve the concerns outside of a formal investigation. This process is voluntary, and both parties can elect to withdraw from this process at any point before a final agreement is reached. The process to reach agreement through Facilitated Informal Resolution may vary by case and is decided through an interactive process with the parties.

The Complainant, Respondent and University must agree to the final terms of the resolution. When a case is resolved via Facilitated Information Resolution both parties will receive a signed copy of the final agreement. The final agreement serves as a resolution of the report and the case cannot be reopened unless new actions arise.

3. No Action Requested

In some cases, the Complainant may not wish to engage with one of the aforementioned Informal Resolution options or an Investigation but rather may simply wish to have their concerns noted on record. In these cases, the Complainant will receive written notification of this request and can elect to reopen the case at a future time. Additionally, the University may either be required to either proceed with an investigation or review of the matter without the Complainant's participation at the time of the report or reopen the case if additional details or reports arise that may indicate a possible pattern of behavior or a health or safety threat to the campus. If the University reopens the report or proceeds in the absence of the Complainant, the Complainant will be notified.

B. Investigation

When requested by the Complainant or when deemed necessary by Equal Opportunity, Equal Opportunity will conduct an investigation into reports or formal complaints. When conducting an investigation, Equal Opportunity will take the following steps. Equal Opportunity may consolidate multiple reports or formal complaints where the allegations arise out of the same facts or circumstances. Any individual designated as a Title IX Coordinator, investigator, decision-maker, or any person designated by a recipient to facilitate an

informal resolution process, not have a conflict of interest or bias for or against complainants or respondent generally or an individual complainant or respondent.

1. General Counsel Certification

In some cases, Kentucky State law requires certification of an investigation by the University's General Counsel. More details regarding this can be found in the Bias Incident Policy.

2. Notice of Investigation

Equal Opportunity will send to both parties a notice of investigation. This includes:

- general information regarding the allegations sufficient to allow the Respondent the ability to prepare a response to the allegations;
- opportunity to meet with the investigator for an intake meeting to discuss procedures and answer procedural questions;
- general information regarding the investigation process including statements that:
 - o Respondent is presumed not responsible for the alleged conduct;
 - A determination for responsibility is made at the conclusion of the process;
 - Parties may have advisors of their choice, as outlined in the Advisor portion of these policies and procedures;
 - Knowingly submitting false statements or knowingly submitting false information is grounds for University discipline under Administrative Regulation- Employee Code and/or Code of Student Conduct.
 - If the University discovers any additional allegations about Complainant or Respondent that are not included in the original notice, the University will provide additional notice of allegations to the parties;
 - Respondents will have at least two (2) business days prior to their first investigative meeting to prepare a response to the allegations. Any such response may be, but is not required to be, submitted in writing.

3. Right to Consolidate Complaints

Equal Opportunity may consolidate complaints as to allegations of Administrative Regulations- Equal Dignity (Interim) against more than one respondent, or by more than one complainant against one or more respondents, or by one party against the other party, where the allegations of sexual harassment arise out of the same facts or circumstances. Where a grievance process involves more than one complainant or more than one respondent, references in this policy to the singular "party," "complainant," or "respondent" include the plural, as applicable.

4. Investigative Meetings

The Equal Opportunity Investigator will meet with parties to the case to gather information regarding the allegations. Parties to the case may include the Complainant, Respondent and/or witnesses. Equal Opportunity cannot compel parties to participate in Investigative Meetings but will make multiple efforts to schedule with parties. If a party does not participate in investigative meetings, Equal Opportunity will proceed in their absence. Both the Complainant and Respondent may provide the Equal Opportunity Investigator with names of individuals to serve as witnesses. When providing witness names, they must also provide contact information and a brief description of what information the Witness is expected to provide. The Equal

Opportunity Investigator has the discretion to only interview Witnesses with relevant first-hand information regarding the allegation at hand and generally Equal Opportunity does not interview character witnesses. The Equal Opportunity Investigator may also call additional witnesses identified through the investigation that are not named by either the Complainant or Respondent.

5. Relevant Document and Information Review

During the investigation the Equal Opportunity Investigator may collect additional documentation or information relevant to the allegations. The Complainant and Respondent have the opportunity to submit relevant documentation and information to the Equal Opportunity Investigator for consideration. The Investigator has the discretion to provide a reasonable deadline for submission of such information that will be no less than three business days following the date of an Investigative Meeting. When submitting information for consideration, the Complainant and Respondent, must provide information regarding why the information is relevant to the specific allegations. The Equal Opportunity Investigator will provide the parties with instructions on how to submit this information. To conclude investigations in a timely manner, Equal Opportunity may not be able to accept submission of materials on an ongoing basis during the investigation.

Equal Opportunity will not require, allow, rely upon, or otherwise use questions or evidence that constitute, or seek disclosure of, information protected under a legally recognized privilege, unless the person holding such privilege has waived the privilege. Equal Opportunity cannot access, consider, disclose, or otherwise use a party's records that are made or maintained by a physician, psychiatrist, psychologist, or other recognized professional or paraprofessional acting in the professional's or paraprofessional's capacity, or assisting in that capacity, and which are made and maintained in connection with the provision of treatment to the party, unless Equal Opportunity obtains the party's voluntary, written consent to do so.

6. Closure of Investigation

If at the conclusion of the investigation either the result of a finding of a policy violation is sufficiently severe that it may result in the suspension of an employee for a period greater than five days, termination of employment, removal of a student from housing, or the suspension or expulsion of a student, the case will be referred to the Equal Opportunity Hearing Board. All charges related to Sexual Harassment as defined in section VII.A of this policy will be referred to the Equal Opportunity Hearing Board regardless of severity and without any probable cause review.

If at the conclusion of the investigation, the Equal Opportunity Investigator believes the allegations would meet the requirement to hold a hearing, they will refer the final investigation materials to the Equal Opportunity Executive Director, or their designee, for probable cause review. If the Executive Director determines the elements of Probable Cause are met to refer to a hearing, *Administrative Regulation - Due Process (Interim)* and *Policy- Due Process: Equal Dignity* will be followed. In some cases, the referral of a case to a hearing panel requires certification by the University's General Counsel as noted in the Bias Incident Policy. All charges related to Sexual Harassment as defined in section VII.A will be referred to the Equal Opportunity Hearing Board without any probable cause review.

With respect to all charges that are not related to Sexual Harassment as defined in section VII.A, if the Equal Opportunity Investigator determines that the conduct would not warrant referral to an Equal Opportunity

Hearing, they will issue a closing letter to both parties. The closing letter will outline the allegations investigated, the finding regarding responsibility and rationale for the finding. If a Respondent is found responsible for a violation of University regulations and/or policies, the Equal Opportunity Investigator will also issue recommended sanctions. In cases where the Respondent is an employee, the recommended sanctions are issued to the Respondent's supervisor for documentation and application. In cases where the Respondent is a student, recommendations are referred to the Office of Student Conduct.

7. Accepted Resolution

In some cases, the Respondent may elect to accept responsibility for a violation and accept an agreed sanction recommended by Equal Opportunity. If the Respondent accepts responsibility, they waive their right to an investigation, hearing and/or appeal. At the time of an agreed resolution, the case will be closed, and the appropriate unit administrator(s) will be notified as noted in IV.B.4.

C. Appeal Rights

Cases referred to an Equal Opportunity Hearing have appeal rights as outlined in *Administrative Regulation - Due Process (Interim)* and *Policy- Due Process: Equal Dignity*. Cases resolved via an Informal Resolution may not be appealed.

Complainants or respondents in cases resolved via investigation with a decision being issued by the Equal Opportunity Investigator may request reconsideration by the Executive Director of the Office of Equal Opportunity. This request must be made in writing within five (5) business days of the issuance of the closing letter. The request must outline the reason for appeal. The Executive Director will review the request, materials gathered during the investigation, interview notes or transcripts and issue a written outcome. The Executive Director can uphold the original outcome, reduce recommended sanctions and/or reverse the original outcome. The Executive Director cannot increase recommended sanctions. This reconsideration outcome is final and may not be appealed.

V. Rights of Complainant and Respondent

A. Role of an Advisor

Both parties have the right to have up to two advisors present during any investigation, pre-hearing meeting or hearing. Generally, advisors may communicate privately with the individual they are supporting but may not respond on their behalf. During an Investigative Meeting, Equal Opportunity will direct questions to the Complainant or Respondent and their advisor(s) may not respond on their behalf or offer their own perspective on the investigation. If a party wishes to have an advisor who is an attorney present during any meeting, they are required to notify the Office of Equal Opportunity of the advisor's name and that they are an attorney no later than two business days before the meeting. Equal Opportunity reserves the right to have a member of the Office of Legal Counsel present when a party brings an attorney advisor. Should a party bring an attorney advisor without advance notice to Equal Opportunity, the meeting may need to be rescheduled.

If an investigation results in a hearing, the Respondent will have an attorney advisor question witnesses and/or Complainant on their behalf. More information about the role of an advisor during a hearing may be found in *Policy- Due Process: Equal Dignity*.

B. Rights of a Complainant

- In most cases, the Complainant has the right to choose whether to initiate an Equal Opportunity investigation.
- Complainant has the right to access supportive measures regardless of whether they file a Formal Complaint.
- In addition to pursuing administrative penalties and remedies, the Complainant maintains the right to pursue criminal or other legal action.
- Both the Complainant and Respondent have the right:
 - o To have the University respect their rights provided by the United States and Kentucky Constitutions;
 - To be treated with respect by University officials;
 - To take advantage of campus support resources;
 - To experience a safe living, educational, and work environment;
 - To have up to two (2) Advisors, including attorneys, present during any investigation, pre-hearing meeting, or hearing;
 - To have an attorney represent them at any hearing;
 - To refuse to have an allegation resolved through conflict resolution procedures;
 - To receive amnesty for certain student misconduct, such as alcohol or drug violations, that occurred ancillary to the incident;
 - To be free from retaliation for reporting violations of this regulation or cooperating with an investigation;
 - To have complaints heard in accordance with University procedures;
 - To be informed in writing of the outcome/resolution of the complaint, any sanctions where permissible, and the rationale for the outcome where permissible;
 - To have minimal interaction or contact with Respondent or Complainant; and
 - To request supportive measures from the University to ensure minimal interaction or contact with Respondent or Complainant.
- The University will keep private to the extent possible the identity of any individual who has made a report or complaint of discrimination or harassment, including any individual who has made a report or filed a Formal Complaint of Sexual Harassment or Sexual Misconduct, any Complainant, any individual who has been reported to be the perpetrator of discrimination or harassment, any Respondent, and any witness. The University may be required to disclose the identity of individuals when necessary to provide due process to the Respondent or to comply with federal or state regulations or laws.

C. Rights of Respondent

- Respondent has the right to be presumed innocent. It is the University's responsibility to prove that Respondent engaged in behavior that violated university regulations or policies.
- Both the Complainant and Respondent have the right:
 - To have the University respect their rights provided by the United States and Kentucky Constitutions;
 - To be treated with respect by University officials;
 - To take advantage of campus support resources;
 - To experience a safe living, educational, and work environment;

- To have up to two (2) Advisors, including attorneys, present during any investigation, pre-hearing meeting, or hearing;
 - To have an attorney represent them at any hearing;
 - To refuse to have an allegation resolved through conflict resolution procedures;
 - To request resolution of allegations through an accepted resolution;
 - To receive amnesty for certain student misconduct, such as alcohol or drug violations, that occurred ancillary to the incident;
 - To be free from retaliation for reporting violations of this regulation or cooperating with an investigation;
 - To have complaints heard in accordance with University procedures;
 - To be informed in writing of the outcome/resolution of the complaint, any sanctions where permissible, and the rationale for the outcome where permissible;
 - To have minimal interaction or contact with Respondent or Complainant; and
 - To request supportive measures from the University to ensure minimal interaction or contact with Respondent or Complainant.
- The University will keep private to the extent possible the identity of any individual who has made a report or complaint of discrimination or harassment, including any individual who has made a report or filed a Formal Complaint of Sexual Harassment or Sexual Misconduct, any Complainant, any individual who has been reported to be the perpetrator of discrimination or harassment, any Respondent, and any witness. The University may be required to disclose the identity of individuals when necessary to provide due process to the Respondent or to comply with federal or state law.

VI. Interim Remedies

The Executive Director, or their designee, may impose interim suspension on a Respondent in cases where the allegations present a threat to the physical health or safety of an individual or the University community. Before doing so, the Executive Director must: undertake an individualized safety and risks analysis; and determine that an immediate threat to the physical health or safety of any individual arising from the allegations justifies removal. The Executive Director's analysis, determinations, and notice must be in writing. Additionally, the University may place a non-student employee on administrative leave during the pendency of a grievance process. Additional information regarding Interim Suspension can be found in *Administrative Regulation - Due Process (Interim)*.

VII. Discrimination and Harassment on the Basis of Sex including, Sexual Harassment and Misconduct

This section outlines procedural steps related to claims of discrimination and harassment on the basis of sex which includes reports of Sexual Harassment and Misconduct. These reports include a variety of behaviors including quid pro quo sexual harassment, hostile environment sexual harassment, sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, stalking and/or sexual exploitation.

A. Definitions

Consent- Consent means a voluntary expression of willingness, permission or agreement to engage in a specific sexual activity throughout a sexual encounter. It is the responsibility of each person involved in the sexual activity to ensure that they have the affirmative consent of the other to engage in the sexual

activity. Consent cannot be inferred from the absence of a “no”; consent, verbal or otherwise, must be obtained. Consent cannot be granted by an individual who: (1) is incapacitated as defined by this Policy; (2) has been compelled by force or threat of force; or (3) is coerced by supervisory or disciplinary authority.

Dating Violence- “Dating Violence”, is a form of Sexual Harassment or Sexual Misconduct. The federal regulation uses the definition in 34 U.S.C. 12291(a) (10), which defines Dating Violence as violence committed by a person— (1) Who is or has been in a social relationship of a romantic or intimate nature with the victim; and (2) Where the existence of such a relationship is to be determined based on a consideration of the following factors: a. The length of the relationship. b. The type of relationship. c. The frequency of interaction between the persons involved in the relationship.

Discrimination on the Basis of Sex- is an action or behavior that results in negative or different treatment of an individual based upon their sex.

Domestic Violence- “Domestic Violence” is a form of Sexual Harassment or Sexual Misconduct. The federal regulation uses the definition in 34 U.S.C. 12291(a)(8), which defines Dating Violence as felony or misdemeanor crimes of violence committed by a current or former spouse or intimate partner of the victim, by a person with whom the victim shares a child in common, by a person who is cohabitating with or has cohabitated with the victim as a spouse or intimate partner, by a person similarly situated to a spouse of the victim under the domestic or family violence laws of Kentucky, or by any other person against an adult or youth victim who is protected from that person's acts under the domestic or family violence laws of Kentucky.

Formal Complaint- “Formal Complaint” means a document filed by a Complainant or signed by the Title IX Coordinator alleging Sexual Harassment against a Respondent and requesting that the University investigate the allegation of Sexual Harassment. “Document filed by a Complainant” means a document or electronic submission (such as by electronic mail or through an online portal provided for this purpose) that contains the Complainant’s physical or digital signature, or otherwise indicates that the Complainant is the person filing the Formal Complaint. Where the Title IX Coordinator signs a Formal Complaint, the Title IX Coordinator is not a Complainant or otherwise a party.

Sexual Assault- “Sexual Assault” is a form of Sexual Harassment or Sexual Misconduct. The federal regulation uses the definition 20 U.S.C. 1092(f)(6)(A)(v), which defines Sexual Assault as an offense classified as a forcible or nonforcible sex offense under the uniform crime reporting system of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.² A sex offense is any act directed against another person, without the consent of the second person, including instances where the second person is incapable of giving consent.

1. **Sexual Assault: Rape** is defined as penetration, regardless of how slight, of the vagina or anus with any body part or object, or oral penetration by a sex organ of another individual, or by a sex-related object. This definition covers cases where the victim cannot provide consent due to temporary or permanent mental or physical incapacity (including resulting from drugs or alcohol) or due to age. Physical resistance by the victim is not required to establish lack of consent.

2. **Sexual Assault: Unwelcome Sexual Contact** is defined as the intentional touching of the clothed or unclothed body parts without consent of the victim for the purpose of sexual degradation, sexual gratification, or sexual humiliation. The forced touching by the victim of the actor's clothed or unclothed body parts, without consent of the victim for the purpose of sexual degradation, sexual gratification, or sexual humiliation. This offense includes instances where the victim is incapable of giving consent because of age or incapacity due to temporary or permanent mental or physical impairment or intoxication for the purpose of sexual degradation, sexual gratification, or sexual humiliation.
3. **Sexual Assault: Incest** is defined as sexual intercourse between persons who are related to each other within the degrees wherein marriage is prohibited by law.
4. **Sexual Assault: Statutory Rape** is defined as sexual intercourse with a person who is under the statutory age of consent.

Sexual assault also includes sex offenses as stated in Kentucky Revised Statutes 510.010 through 510.140.

Title IX Sexual Harassment- involves allegations that fall under Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 and is conduct on the basis of sex that occurs in the University's educational program or activity and satisfies one or more of the following:

- **Quid Pro Quo Sexual Harassment-** is when an employee of the University conditioning the provision of an aid, benefit, or service of the recipient on an individual's participation in unwelcome sexual conduct.
- **Title IX Hostile Environment Sexual Harassment-** Unwelcome conduct determined by a reasonable person to be so severe, pervasive, and objectively offensive that it effectively denies a person equal access to the University's education program or activity.
- **Sexual Assault, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, or Stalking-** as defined herein.

Sexual Exploitation- "Sexual Exploitation" means taking non-consensual or abusive sexual advantage of another and includes situations in which the conduct does not fall within the definitions of Sexual Harassment or Sexual Assault, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, or Stalking. Examples of sexual exploitation include, but are not limited to the following:

1. Causing the incapacitation of another person (through alcohol, drugs, or any other means) for the purpose of compromising that person's ability to give affirmative consent to sexual activity;
2. Allowing third parties to observe private sexual activity from a hidden location (e.g., a closet) or through electronic means (e.g., via Skype or live streaming of images);
3. Engaging in voyeurism (e.g., watching private sexual activity without the consent of the participants or viewing another person's intimate parts (including genitalia, groin, breasts, or buttocks) in a place where that person would have a reasonable expectation of privacy);
4. Recording or photographing private sexual activity and/or a person's intimate parts (including genitalia, groin, breasts, or buttocks) without consent;
5. Disseminating or posting images of private sexual activity and/or a person's intimate parts (including genitalia, groin, breasts, or buttocks) without consent;

6. Using artificial intelligence to create sexual images of another person without their consent or distributing consensually created images without consent;
7. Human Trafficking; and
8. Knowingly exposing another person to a sexually transmitted infection or virus without the other's knowledge.

Sexual Misconduct- "Sexual Misconduct" includes Sexual Assault, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking, and Sexual Exploitation when that behavior does not meet the jurisdictional requirements to constitute Title IX Sexual Harassment.

Stalking- "Stalking" is a form of Title IX Sexual Harassment or Sexual Misconduct. The federal regulation uses the definition in 34 USC § 12291(a)(30), which is engaging in a course of conduct directed at a specific person that would cause a reasonable person to:

1. Fear for his or her safety or the safety of others; or
2. Suffer substantial emotional distress.

Course of conduct means two (2) or more acts, including, but not limited to, acts in which the stalker directly, indirectly, or through third parties, by any action, method, device, or means, follows, monitors, observes, surveils, threatens, or communicates to or about a person or interferes with a person's property.

Substantial emotional distress means significant mental suffering or anguish that may, but does not necessarily, require medical or other professional treatment or counseling.

Reasonable person means a reasonable person under similar circumstances and with similar identities to the person who alleges stalking.

B. Initiating a Complaint

Making a report of Discrimination and Harassment on the Basis of Sex is not the same thing as filing a Formal Complaint. In complaints regarding allegations of Discrimination on the Basis of Sex as defined above, a formal written complaint is not required.

Complaints Regarding Title IX Sexual Harassment and/or Sexual Misconduct must have a Formal Complaint to initiate an investigation or informal resolution. At the time of filing the Formal Complaint, a Complainant must be participating in or attempting to participate in the University's education program or activity. A Formal Complaint may be filed with the Title IX Coordinator in person, by mail, or by electronic mail. The Formal Complaint will be provided in the Notice of Investigation and Investigative Report.

C. Complaint Resolution

Complaints of Discrimination and Harassment on the Basis of Sex and Sexual Misconduct may be resolved using any of the resolution options outlined above.

1. Investigation of Complaints of Title IX Sexual Harassment

Investigations regarding complaints of Title IX Sexual Harassment vary slightly from investigative procedures outlined above.

a) Preliminary Report & Evidence Review

Prior to the conclusion of the investigation, the University will provide both parties an opportunity to inspect and review any evidence obtained as part of the investigation that is directly related to the allegations raised in a Formal Complaint, including the evidence upon which the University does not intend to rely in reaching a determination regarding responsibility and inculpatory or exculpatory evidence whether obtained from a party or other source, so that each party can meaningfully respond to the evidence. The University will also provide both parties and their advisors with an electronic or hard copy of the Preliminary Investigative Report, including all the evidence directly related to the allegations raised in the formal complaint. This does not include information related to supportive measures provided to individuals that do not impact the other party in a matter and does not include any investigative notes of the investigator. The parties will have at least 10 days to submit a written Rebuttal or Supplementation to the Preliminary Investigative Report to the Equal Opportunity Investigator.

b) Investigative Report

At the conclusion of an Investigation the Complainant and Respondent will receive a Final Investigative Report. Investigator will consider the written responses to the preliminary investigation report and the evidence review before completing the Final Investigative Report and will include the written responses in the Final Investigative Report to the Title IX Coordinator, Respondent and Complainant. The University must make all such evidence subject to the parties' inspection and review available at any hearing to give each party equal opportunity to refer to such evidence during the hearing, including for purposes of cross-examination. This will be sent to parties no sooner than ten (10) days before referral to an Equal

Opportunity Hearing. Both parties may provide a written response to the Final Investigative Report and evidence as a part of their submission of information outlined in Policy- Due Process: Equal Dignity.

c) Referral to Equal Opportunity Hearing Board

At the conclusion of the investigation, charges of a violation of Title IX Sexual Harassment will always be referred to the Equal Opportunity Hearing Board, regardless of the potential recommended sanctions unless they are dismissed under the guidelines below. Equal Opportunity Hearings are conducted live as outlined in Policy- Due Process: Equal Dignity.

Charges of Sexual Misconduct and Discrimination on the Basis of Sex will follow the steps outlined in Section IV.B.4 of these Policies and Procedures.

D. Dismissals of Sexual Harassment Formal Complaints under Title IX

In some cases, regulations regarding Title IX require that the University dismiss formal complaints of Title IX Sexual Harassment.

The Title IX Coordinator, or their designee, must dismiss a formal complaint of Title IX Sexual Harassment if the conduct alleged in the formal complaint:

1. Would not constitute Title IX Sexual Harassment even if proven;
2. Did not occur in the University's education program or activity; or

3. Did not occur against a person in the United States.

The Title IX Coordinator, or their designee, may dismiss the Formal Complaint or any allegations in the Formal Complaint if:

1. At any time during the investigative process, Complainant notifies the Title IX Coordinator that Complainant would like to withdraw the Formal Complaint or any allegation in the Formal Complaint;
2. Respondent is no longer enrolled in or employed by the University; or
3. Specific circumstances prevent the University from gathering evidence sufficient to make a determination as to Probable Cause

If a formal complaint of Title IX Sexual Harassment is dismissed due to one of the above reasons, the University may refer it for consideration under other University regulations, policies and procedures including other charges under the *Administrative Regulation: Equal Dignity (Interim)*.

VIII. Allegations Regarding Employment Settings

In some cases, Federal Law, specifically Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, requires that the institution use a different definition of harassment. When allegations of harassment based on protected characteristics occur solely within the context of employment at the university, Equal Opportunity may define harassment as: unwelcome conduct when (1) submission to such conduct is made either explicitly or implicitly a term or condition of an individual's employment, (2) submission to or rejection of such conduct by an individual is used as the basis for employment decisions affecting such individual, or (3) such conduct has the purpose or effect of unreasonably interfering with an individual's work performance or creating an intimidating, hostile, or offensive working environment. This includes allegations of sexual harassment that fall outside the definition of Title IX-Sexual Harassment but occur within the employment setting.

IX. False Allegations and Statements

Knowingly submitting intentionally false allegations of discrimination or harassment or intentionally false statements to Equal Opportunity is prohibited. If Equal Opportunity becomes aware that a person may have knowingly submitted false allegations or statements, Equal Opportunity may investigate that as a separate violation of this Policy. Additionally, if a party believes that a person knowingly submitted false information for an Equal Opportunity investigation, they can submit a report to Equal Opportunity outlining the information they believe was knowingly false. The mere fact an investigation concluded with a finding of not responsible or no probable cause does not mean the allegation was made in bad faith or was knowingly false. Additionally, if an individual makes a false allegation to a Mandatory Reporter, the Mandatory Reporter does not make a false report for fulfilling their reporting obligations.

X. Corrective Actions and Disciplinary Procedures

If an Equal Opportunity investigation results in a finding that a violation of the policy did occur and a hearing is not required, Equal Opportunity will make recommendations to the appropriate party regarding corrective action or sanctions. The goal of corrective actions and sanctions is to remedy the impact of the violation on the Complainant and prevent recurrence of violations. Both the Complainant and Respondent will be informed of

the outcome of the corrective action or disciplinary process, though the Complainant will only be notified of sanctions that impact them directly.

A. Allegations Against Students

With respect to allegations that do not concern Title IX Sexual Harassment as defined in Section VII.A, the range of sanctions for students that Equal Opportunity may impose without a hearing includes disciplinary probation, counseling assessment, social restrictions, social suspension and suspension of five days or less. With respect to allegations against students concerning Title IX Sexual Harassment as defined in Section VII.A or any Equal Dignity violation referred for a hearing, sanctions may only be imposed after a hearing and following any determination of responsibility; the range of sanctions includes disciplinary probation, counseling assessment, social restrictions, social suspension, removal from campus housing, suspension, or expulsion. Additional educational sanctions also may be imposed when appropriate.

B. Allegations Against Employees

Recommended range of sanctions for employees that Equal Opportunity may impose without a hearing includes counseling, probation, written or oral warnings and suspension of five days or less. With respect to allegations against employees concerning Title IX Sexual Harassment as defined in Section VII.A or any Equal Dignity violation referred for a hearing, sanctions may only be imposed after a hearing and following any determination of responsibility; the range of sanctions includes counseling, probation, written or oral warnings, suspension, or termination. Additional educational sanctions may be imposed when appropriate.

XI. Regulation References

TITLE IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, 20 U.S.C. §§ 1681 - 1688

Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964

Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964

Department of Education, Title IX regulations, 34 C.F.R. § 106.1, et seq.

Higher Education Act of 1965, 485(f) (20 U.S.C. 1092(f)), Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act (Clery Act).

Violence Against Women Reauthorization Act of 2013, (Pub. Law 113-4)

Administrative Regulation 6:7, Policy on Disclosure of Campus Security and Crime Statistics

Section 1557 of the Affordable Care Act

House Bill 4- in final version

SJR 55

Administrative Regulation — Due Process (Interim)

I. The University Must Provide Due Process

Consistent with its constitutional obligations, before imposing a disciplinary action against a student, student organization or employee, the University will provide due process. In all circumstances, the accused student, student organization or employee is presumed innocent, and the University has the burden of proof. However, the level of due process provided will depend upon the circumstances as detailed below.

A. When a Formal Hearing Is Required

The University will provide a formal hearing, using the procedures detailed in this Administrative Regulation, whenever a student, student organization or employee is facing a significant suspension, expulsion of a student or other significant violation of the Academic Code, cancelation of a contract to live in University-controlled housing, revocation of status as a registered student organization, termination of faculty appointment before the expiration of the appointment, deprivation of a constitutionally protected property interest or where explicitly required by state or federal law.

When the formal hearing results in a finding of responsibility for a student, student organization or employee, the student, student organization or employee may appeal either the finding of responsibility or the sanction or both. If there is finding of no responsibility, then the University may not appeal. In some instances involving violations of Administrative Regulation — Equal Dignity, federal law requires that the Complaining Witness will also have the right to appeal.

B. Instances When a Formal Hearing is not Required

In instances when a formal hearing is not required by this regulation, the University will provide due process in the form of notice of the allegations to the student, student organization or employee and an opportunity for that student, student organization or employee to be heard before a neutral party. The exact procedures for this notice and opportunity to be heard will vary depending upon context.

C. Investigation Before Determining Whether a Formal Hearing is Required

Prior to determining whether a formal hearing is required, the University will conduct an investigation using the procedures established by the appropriate offices. The identification of the appropriate codes and/or policies will be context specific. In some instances, the University's investigation may involve multiple University offices, external entities or individuals retained by the institution. Except where an appeal is required by federal regulation, the decision of the University regarding whether a formal hearing is required is final.

D. Interim Suspension During Investigation and Ultimate Resolution

1. Circumstances Justifying Interim Suspension

When a student, student organization or employee is accused of a violation of any regulation or policy, and when there is a determination by the appropriate administrator that the allegations, if true, make the student, student organization or employee a threat to the safety and well-being of others, then an appropriate administrator will suspend the student, student organization or employee pending investigation and ultimate resolution. Suspensions of employees will be with pay. The appropriate administrators are the dean of students (students or student organizations), the Provost (faculty employees), the Executive Vice President for Finance and Administration (staff employees) or, in those instances where federal regulations govern the administration of federal discrimination law, the executive director of the Office of Equal Opportunity (students and employees). The appropriate administrators periodically will reassess whether continuing the interim suspension is appropriate.

2. Appeal of Interim Suspension By a Student or Student Organization

As required by state law, if a student or student organization receives an interim suspension from the dean of students or the executive director of the Office of Equal Opportunity, they may appeal to the Vice President for Student Success.

II. Hearing and Appeal Procedures

A. Applicability of Hearing and Appeal Procedures

These hearing and appeal procedures apply whenever a formal hearing is required for an alleged violation of any of the following:

- Student Codes
- Academic Code
- Administrative Regulation — Equal Dignity
- Administrative Regulation — Administration of Research Activities
- Administrative Regulation — Employee Code (Faculty)
- Administrative Regulation — Employee Code (Staff)

B. Decision-Makers in Hearings and Appeals

Although all hearings and appeals will utilize similar procedures, the hearing/appeal boards, who are the decision-makers in each hearing and appeal, will vary depending upon context.

C. Establishment of Hearing/Appeal Boards

The University establishes a hearing/appeal board and designates responsible cabinet members to appoint and oversee as follows:

- Student Codes (Vice President for Student Success)
- Academic Code (Provost)
- Equal Dignity (Executive Vice President for Finance and Administration)
- Research Misconduct (Vice President for Research)
- Employee Code — Faculty (Provost)
- Employee Code — Staff (Executive Vice President for Finance and Administration)

D. Composition of Hearing Boards, Hearing Panels and Appeal Panels

1. Appointment of Hearing/Appeal Boards

The cabinet members responsible for each hearing/appeal board will appoint at least 15 or more individuals to serve on hearing/appeal boards. In making appointments, the cabinet members should consult with the Faculty Senate, Staff Senate or Student Government Association, as appropriate. Members will serve one-year terms and may be reappointed for up to two (2) additional terms. The responsible cabinet members will ensure that all hearing board members are trained for their service.

2. Selection of Hearing Panels

For each hearing, three (3) members of the hearing/appeal board will be randomly chosen to serve as the hearing panel for that particular hearing. Panel members may serve on only one hearing or appeal panel at a

time.

In the event a hearing panel member cannot serve for any reason (e.g., a conflict of interest), a replacement member of the hearing board will be randomly selected.

After serving on the hearing panel for a particular hearing, the hearing/appeals board member is eligible to be randomly selected for future hearing panel or a future appeals panel in a different case.

3. Selection of Appeal Panel

For each appeal from a decision of the hearing panel, three (3) members of the hearing/appeal board will be randomly chosen to serve as the appeal panel for that hearing. Individuals who served on the hearing panel are ineligible to serve on the appeal panel. Panel members may serve on only one hearing or appeal panel at a time.

In the event an appeal panel member cannot serve for any reason (e.g., a conflict of interest), a replacement member of the hearing board will be randomly selected.

After serving on the appeal panel for a particular hearing, the hearing/appeals board member is eligible to be randomly selected for future hearing panel or a future appeals panel in a different case.

4. Conflicts of Interest

Any member of a hearing/appeals panel who has a conflict of interest must immediately recuse themselves by notifying the respective hearing clerk/officer. Conflicts of interest include, but are not limited to, personal knowledge of the facts and circumstances of the allegations or having a familial, personal, faculty/student or professional relationship with the respondent.

If the University or the respondent believes a hearing/appeals panel member has a conflict of interest, the party may file a formal request for recusal. If the hearing/appeals panel member refuses to recuse, the party requesting recusal may submit the request to the general counsel who will make the final decision.

In the event a hearing/appeals panel member recuses for any reason, the respective hearing/appeals officer will randomly select a replacement.

E. Establishment of Hearing and Appeals Policies

Because of subtle differences in the statutory and regulatory requirements concerning due process in different areas of the University, the responsible cabinet member for each area will adopt policies detailing how hearing and appeals will be conducted in that area. Due process hearing and appeals policies will be adopted in the following areas:

- Due Process — Student Codes (Vice President for Student Success)
- Due Process — Academic Code (Provost)
- Due Process — Equal Dignity (Executive Vice President for Finance and Administration)
- Due Process — Research Misconduct (Vice President for Research)

- Due Process — Employee Code (Faculty) (Provost)
- Due Process — Employee Code (Staff) (Executive Vice President for Finance and Administration)

F. Termination Proceedings Involving the Board of Trustees

In those instances when only the Board of Trustees may terminate the employee, the employee will still be given a hearing and an appeal through the appropriate process. However, instead of being final, the decision of the appellate panel is only advisory to the President. The President will evaluate all aspects of the matter to determine whether to submit a termination recommendation to the Board of Trustees.

Before making this decision, the President shall consult with the Faculty Senate Chair, the Provost, the faculty employee's dean and such other faculty members as the President deems appropriate. The President shall also ask the faculty employee to provide written reasons as to why termination should not be pursued.

If the President, in their sole discretion, decides not to pursue termination, a lesser sanction will be imposed such as a suspension without pay, a permanent reduction in salary or other appropriate sanction.

If the President, in their sole discretion, decides to pursue termination, the Board of Trustees will conduct the proceedings according to the Kentucky Revised Statutes.

Due Process — Equal Dignity

This policy implements and is consistent with the requirements set out in Administrative Regulation — Due Process. In addition, these procedures should be read in conjunction with Administrative Regulation — Equal Dignity.

I. Formal Hearings

A. Hearing Roles and Responsibilities

1. Hearing Clerk

Appropriate Office of Equal Opportunity staff will serve as hearing clerks for equal dignity due process hearings and appeals. The assigned hearing clerk has responsibility for scheduling the hearing, securing the location, ensuring the availability of the hearing panel, communicating with the hearing officer and ensuring the availability of the hearing officers, as well as other logistics.

2. Hearing Officer

The executive director of the Office of Equal Opportunity will appoint a hearing officer for each hearing. The hearing officer shall be a member in good standing of the Kentucky Bar Association. The hearing officer will

preside over the hearing, instruct the hearing panel on legal issues and make rulings as to the admissibility of evidence. However, the hearing panel will be the ultimate decision-maker as to responsibility for a violation.

3. Hearing Panel

As set out in Administrative Regulation — Due Process, the Executive Vice President for Finance and Administration (EVPFA) will appoint a hearing/appeals board of 30 employees. The faculty senate will nominate 20 faculty employees and the EVPFA will appoint 10 to the hearing/appeals board. The staff senate will nominate 20 staff employees and the EVPFA will appoint 10 to the hearing/appeals board. To ensure all aspects of the University are represented, the EVPFA will appoint 10 additional employees. From this board, there will be a randomly selected three (3)-person hearing panel and if an appeal, a randomly selected three (3)-person appeal panel.

B. Complainant Participation in Hearing

When a formal hearing is required, the respondent will have the right to participate in the hearing to provide a defense on their behalf. In some instances, federal law gives the complainant the same rights. This is true in cases of allegations of sexual harassment under Title IX. In cases with sexual harassment charges, all rights and processes outlined below apply equally to the complainant.

C. Pre-Hearing Procedures

1. Notice of Charges

When a formal hearing is required, the University will provide a statement of charges to the respondent. The statement of charges will detail the circumstances of the alleged violation, including the final investigative report and any probable cause determination. The notice also will provide a hearing date that is at least 15 business days after the notice.

2. Access to Evidence

No later than 10 business days prior to a scheduled hearing, the parties will have access to all exculpatory and inculpatory evidence gathered during the investigation.

3. Submission of Information

No later than 10 business days prior to a scheduled hearing, the University, the respondent and the complainant, if participating, must submit the following to the hearing officer:

- challenges to any hearing panel member;
- any information they wish to present at the hearing;
- the name(s) of their attorney(s) or advisor(s);
- a preliminary list of questions or topics they wish to ask of the other party(s);
- and
- a list of possible witnesses and the subject(s) on which they are expected to testify.

Except where allowed by the hearing officer, the parties may not submit information for the hearing after this deadline. Upon the receipt of information from all participating parties, the hearing officer will review the information submitted to eliminate any redundant, irrelevant or prejudicial information.

4. Request for Postponement

At any time prior to a scheduled hearing, the University, the respondent or the complainant, if participating, may request to postpone the hearing. The hearing officer may accept or deny the request after considering the nature of the request and the incident at issue. The hearing officer's decision is final and may not be appealed.

5. Pre-Hearing Disclosures to Parties

No later than three (3) business days prior to a scheduled hearing, the University, the respondent and the complainant, if participating, will receive a copy of the following:

- A list of witnesses;
- Preliminary questions submitted by parties; and
- Any other related information.

These disclosures will be provided by the hearing clerk.

6. Sexual Harassment under Title IX Disclosures

In cases with charges stemming from sexual harassment under Title IX, in addition to the items above, the pre-hearing disclosures will include:

- The final investigative report; and
- The probable cause determination.

7. Pre-Hearing Materials for the Hearing Panel

No later than three (3) business days prior to a scheduled hearing, the hearing panel will receive a copy of the following:

- Information about the parties;
- The final investigative report, including any appendices;
- A list of potential witnesses;
- The charged policy violations;
- The date and location of the charged violation; and
- Any other related information.

These disclosures will be provided by the hearing clerk.

D. Conduct of Hearings

1. Burden of Proof

The respondent is presumed not responsible for a violation. The University has the burden of proving, by preponderance of the evidence, that the respondent committed the violation. Where federal or state law requires a higher standard of proof, the higher standard will be used.

The University will present its case through the general counsel or attorneys under the direction and control of the general counsel.

While the complainant's testimony will be an integral part of the University's proof, the complainant has no responsibility other than to appear as a witness. Where required by federal or state law, the complainant will have the opportunity to cross-examine the respondent and/or witnesses during the hearing.

2. Rape Shield Protection

In cases related to sexual harassment under Title IX, questions or evidence regarding a complainant's prior sexual behavior is considered irrelevant unless it is offered to prove that someone other than the respondent committed the alleged misconduct or to prove consent.

3. Right to Counsel

The respondent and the complainant, if participating, have the right to legal counsel of their choice at their own expense. In some instances, federal law may require the University to provide legal counsel to the respondent and to the complainant, if participating. In hearings related to charges of sexual harassment under Title IX, the University will provide an attorney to conduct questioning during the hearing for both the respondent and complainant if they do not have their own.

4. Right to an Advisor

The respondent and the complainant, if participating, have the right to a non-attorney advisor(s) of their choice. Advisors may communicate privately with the individual they are supporting but may not question witnesses or offer oral argument during the hearing.

5. No Obligation to Present a Defense

Because the respondent is presumed not responsible and the burden of proof is on the University, the respondent is not required to present a defense.

6. Witnesses

The University, the respondent and the complainant, if participating, may call witnesses and may cross-examine witnesses offered by the other parties. Witnesses other than the respondent and the complainant, if participating, will be excluded from the hearing except for the period of their own testimony.

The University, the respondent and the complainant, if participating, are responsible for arranging the attendance of witnesses. The hearing clerk will advise all potential witnesses of their right to be free from retaliation.

7. Evidence

The University, the respondent and the complainant, if participating, may present evidence. The Kentucky Rules of Evidence will govern the admission of evidence, but the hearing officer has the discretion to allow hearsay evidence.

8. Right Against Self-Incrimination

Any witness, including the respondent or the complainant, if participating, may refuse to appear and/or

exercise the right against self-incrimination. The hearing panel may not draw an inference due to a witness' non-participation or refusal to answer questions.

9. Instructions to the Hearing Panel

At the conclusion of the hearing, the hearing officer will instruct the hearing panel as to:

- The presumption of non-responsibility;
- Standard of evidence required; and
- Any other matter the hearing officer deems necessary for the hearing panel's determination.

10. Record of Hearing

The hearing clerk will arrange for a video recording and/or transcript of the hearing.

E. Formal Hearing Decisions

1. Determination of Responsibility

The hearing panel will determine whether the respondent is responsible for a violation. Any finding of responsibility must be unanimous. No member of the hearing panel may abstain.

2. Recommendation of Sanctions

If the hearing panel reaches a responsible finding, the hearing panel will convene a supplemental proceeding to determine the sanction(s). The University, the respondent and the complainant, if participating, may submit evidence or argument concerning the appropriateness of a particular sanction. The respondent's past violations of University policy may be considered at this time.

3. Decision of the Hearing Panel

The hearing panel will issue a written decision to the parties explaining its finding and accompanying rationale and recommended sanctions. The hearing panel may impose any sanction up to and including expulsion (students), revocation of status as a registered student organization, separation of employment (employees) or a recommendation of termination of faculty appointment (faculty). The decision of the hearing panel will be provided simultaneously to both respondent and complainant.

II. Appeals

A. Applicability of Appellate Procedures

These appellate procedures apply whenever a formal hearing has reached a decision for an alleged violation of equal dignity.

B. Eligibility for Filing an Appeal

Any respondent who has been found responsible by a hearing panel may appeal either the finding of responsibility, the sanction imposed or both. The University may not appeal.

1. Sexual Harassment under Title IX

In cases of sexual harassment under Title IX, the respondent or complainant may appeal on the following basis:

- Dismissal of a formal complaint or allegation of a formal complaint;
- Finding of no probable cause;
- The hearing panel's decision regarding the finding of responsibility; or
- The imposition of a particular sanction.

C. Grounds for Appeal

A respondent or complainant may appeal on any grounds including, but not limited to, procedural irregularity, erroneous factual conclusions, incorrect legal conclusions, violations of constitutional rights or the discovery of new evidence not available at the original hearing. For purposes of an appeal involving Title IX, appeal grounds include, but are not limited to, bias that may have impacted the outcome, previously unavailable evidence and procedural error which may have impacted the outcome.

D. Appointment of Appeal Clerk

The Executive Vice President for Finance and Administration will appoint an appeal clerk who will have responsibility for empaneling the appeals panel, receiving and distributing the briefs, scheduling oral arguments, if requested, and distributing findings.

E. The Notice of Appeal

A respondent may appeal by filing a notice of appeal with the Executive Vice President for Finance and Administration within seven (7) business days of the decision determining the sanction. The notice should simply state the respondent wishes to appeal either the finding of responsibility, the sanction imposed or both.

In those instances where federal law gives the complainant the right to participate, the complainant may appeal by filing a notice of appeal with the Executive Vice President for Finance and Administration within seven (7) business days of the decision determining no responsibility. The notice should simply state the complainant wishes to appeal the finding of no responsibility or probable cause determination.

1. Appeal Record

Upon receipt of a notice of appeal, the appeal clerk will prepare the appeal record.

The appeal record consists of the following:

- Pre-hearing materials for the hearing panel.
- The hearing officer's pre-hearing written rulings.
- The hearing panel's written decision and any sanction recommendation.
- The determination and imposition of sanction from the cabinet member, if any.
- A transcript of the hearing.
- Any other materials admitted into evidence during the hearing.

Upon completion of the appeal record, the appeal clerk will certify the record is complete and will send a copy to all parties.

F. Briefs

1. Appellate Briefs

When a party, either respondent or complainant, is challenging a finding, sanction or both, the appellate brief is due 10 business days after the appeal clerk certifies the record is complete. The appellate brief must not exceed 25 pages, double-spaced, with 12-point type. The appellate brief will be provided to the University and the other party for response.

2. University's Brief

The University's brief is due 10 business days after the brief of the party initiating the appeal. The University's brief must not exceed twenty-five (25) pages, double-spaced, with 12-point type.

3. Opposing Party Response Brief

The non-appealing party may submit a response brief to the appeal, and it is due 10 business days after the brief of the party initiating the appeal. The response brief must not exceed 25 pages, double-spaced, with twelve 12-point type.

4. Reply Brief of the Party Initiating the Appeal

The party initiating the appeal may file a reply brief within 10 business days after the University or non-appealing party briefs. The reply brief must not exceed 10 pages, double-spaced, with twelve (12)-point type.

5. Modification to Deadline and Page Limits

Upon request of any party, the appeals panel may extend the time for filing a brief and/or the page limits.

G. Appeal Decisions

1. Decision by the Appeals Panel

After reviewing all briefs and the appeal record, the appeals panel will make a written decision. The decision must be supported by a majority of the appeals panel. No member of the appeals panel may abstain.

2. Standard of Review

In reviewing the decision of the hearing panel, findings of fact are reviewed under the clearly erroneous standard and conclusions of law are reviewed de novo (reviewing without any deference to the hearing panel).

3. Decision Concerning Responsibility

With respect to the issue of responsibility, the appeals panel may affirm, reverse or reverse and remand for further proceedings. In those instances where federal law allows the complainant to appeal a finding of no probable cause or dismissal of a complaint, the appeals panel may affirm or reverse and remand for further proceedings.

4. Decision Concerning Sanction

As to the sanction, the appeals panel may affirm or impose a lesser sanction. Except where the law allows the appeals panel to increase the sanction, the appeals panel may not increase the sanction.

Table 11: Procedures University Will Follow in the Event of Sexual Assault, Stalking, Dating Violence or Domestic Violence

INCIDENT REPORTED	PROCEDURES UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY WILL FOLLOW
• Sexual Assault • Stalking • Dating Violence • Domestic Violence	1. Depending on reporting time frame, (immediate vs delayed reporting) the immediate health needs of the survivor will be assessed. Access to medical care will be provided if requested and/or needed. 2. Immediate safety needs of the survivor will be assessed. 3. The police will be contacted at the survivor's request AND survivor will be provided police contact information. 4. Information on how to preserve evidence will be provided. 5. The Title IX Coordinator, or their designee, will provide survivor with a written explanation of rights and options and any applicable policy and inform the survivor regarding investigation and resolution pursuant to University regulations. The Title IX Coordinator, or their designee, will also provide the survivor a list of resources needed to address criminal or other legal action, health care both medical and mental, counseling, victim advocacy, student financial aid, visa/immigration services, and/or other support services. 6. Information about how to obtain an Emergency Protective Order (EPO) or Interpersonal Protective Order (IP) through the Kentucky court system is available at https://oeo.uky.edu/faqs, scroll to How do I Request a Protective Order. The Office of Equal Opportunity can issue a mutual No Contact Order enforceable by the University. 7. The Title IX Coordinator, or their designee, will determine any needed interim or long-term reasonable and/or protective measures to ensure the safety of the survivor prior to, during, and/or following completion of the investigation and/or disciplinary process 8. The Title IX Coordinator, or their designee, will inform survivor of investigation outcome, whether or not the accused will be charged and subject to corrective actions and disciplinary procedures, and if applicable, inform survivor of these disciplinary results 9. The Title IX Coordinator, or their designee, will inform the survivor they have a right to be free from retaliation (threats, intimidation, harassment, coercion, etc.) for reporting a violation. Retaliatory behavior is not limited to behavior by the accused individual, and covers behavior by his or her associates, as well as third parties. Retaliation should be reported immediately to the Title IX Coordinator.

Assistance for Victims: Rights and Options

When a student or employee reports to the University that the student or employee has been a victim of dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking, whether the offense occurred on or off campus, the University will provide the student or employee with a written explanation of the student or employee's rights and options. This notification comes in the form of letters from the Office of Equal Opportunity and the VIP Center when initial contact is being made with the survivor. VIP provides an additional resource sheet that covers counseling/therapy services, health/wellness services, substance abuse, community resources, campus resources, and legal resources.

The survivor has a right to experience a safe living, educational, and work environment and the University will make reasonable accommodations as needed to address these areas of concern, regardless of whether the incident occurred on or off campus.

Interim remedies that may be initiated at the beginning of the complaint process and are not dependent on the outcome of the case include, but are not limited to:

1. Referral to on- or off-campus resources, such as the VIP Center or counseling;
2. Alteration of the housing (students) or workplace or workstation (employees) situation for the Complaining Witness or Respondent;
3. Removing a student from residential facilities or removing an employee from the work setting or University premises (see Interim Restriction or Suspension);
4. Limitation on contact between parties (e.g. no-contact orders, no-trespass orders);
5. Referral to academic support services, such as tutoring and testing accommodations (students);
6. Adjustments to course schedules and academic deadlines (students) or work schedules (employees); or
7. Other appropriate remedies based on each individual situation.

For additional information regarding possible interim remedies (emergency suspensions and supportive measures) during the investigation process reference Equal Opportunity Policy and Administrative Regulation – Due Process (Interim). To request changes to living, educational, and work environments survivors should contact:

Students: Contact the Title IX Coordinator, Sarah Mudd (859) 257-8927

Staff/Faculty: Contact the Title IX Coordinator, Sarah Mudd (859) 257-8927

Additionally, if a report of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking is made to a UKPD officer, a list of resources is given to the survivor. The list serves to address any needs the victims may have regarding both on-campus and off-campus resources in the following areas; counseling, health, mental health, victim advocacy, legal assistance, visa and immigration assistance, student financial aid, or other services available to the victim.

Table 12: On-Campus and Off-Campus Resources

ON-CAMPUS RESOURCES		
VIP Center	The VIP Center works toward the prevention of interpersonal violence. VIP provides advocacy (free and confidential), education, bystander dynamics, and many other topics regarding violence prevention.	(859) 257-3574
Student Counseling Center	The Counseling Center offers groups, workshops, and short term counseling	(859) 257-8701
UK HealthCare - Psychiatry	UK Psychiatry provides a full range of clinical services.	(859) 323-6021
The Harris Center	The Harris Center offers psychotherapy for adult, children, and couples. Treatment is provided for a full range of issues.	(859) 257-6853
University Health Service	University Health Service includes Student Health, Employee Health, and Employee Health Urgent Care Clinic	(859) 323-5823
University Health Service – Student Behavioral Health	Staff psychiatrists and other mental health providers provide counseling and medication management services	(859) 323-5511
University Health Service -Info Nurse Line (for students)	A registered nurse is available for telephone consultation for illness, injuries, lab results or other health concerns or questions	(859) 323-4636
The Martin Luther King Center	The Martin Luther King Center seeks to empower students from all communities to improve their college experience by increasing access to academic, civic leadership, and cultural exchange opportunities.	(859) 257-4130
Office of LGBTQ* Resources	LGBTQ* Resources is the central hub for accessing information, groups, and services related to diverse sexual orientations and gender identities.	(859) 218-4816
University of Kentucky Police Department (UKPD)	UKPD officers have full police authority and are responsible for the prevention of crime, detection, and apprehension of offenders. They are also charged with the preservation of public peace, the enforcement of all criminal laws and state statutes, as well as compliance with the policies and regulations of the University.	(859) 257-1616
UKPD – STARR Program	The STARR Program is a self-defense tactics and risk reduction course designed for individuals over the age of 13 with not maximum age limit.	(859) 257-1616
Dean of Students Office	The mission of the Dean of Students is to provide educationally-purposeful programs, activities, and service that engages all students, enhances students' well-being and academic success, and supports positive community behavior.	(859) 257-3754
Equal Opportunity (Title IX)	Office of Equal Opportunity maintains a comprehensive program designed to protect members of the University community from discrimination on the basis of sex or gender, which includes Sexual Harassment under Title IX and Sexual Misconduct.	(859) 257-8927
SAFECats Escort	Free safety escort service sponsored by UKPD and operated by the Flying Wildcats Booster Club. Escorts have undergone UKPD training and criminal background checks.	(859) 257-7233
Office of Student Success	This office includes units that address academic enrichment, student health and well-being, academic support, etc.	(859) 218-9685
Disability Resource Center	The Disability Resource Center assists students in gaining equal access to programs and services	(859) 257-2754
Work + Life Connections	Work + Connections provides employees with connection to therapists and other specialists in the areas of mental health, finance, health/wellness, exercise, etc.	(859) 257-9555

Table 12: On-Campus and Off-Campus Resources (continued)

Office of Student Conduct	The Office of Student Conduct supports the Code of Student Conduct which promotes the core values of integrity, respect, responsibility, and accountability, and a sense of community.	(859) 257-3755
Center for Support and Intervention	The Center for Support and Intervention provides individualized non-clinical case management services to students and comprehensive outreach and training to the larger UK community.	(859) 257-3755
International Center	The International Center can assist with visa and immigration issues.	(859) 323-2106
Office of Student Financial Aid and Scholarships	The Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships can assist with navigating tuition and fees, scholarships, loans, FAFSA, financial aid literacy, etc.	(859) 257-3172
OFF-CAMPUS RESOURCES IN LEXINGTON/FAYETTE COUNTY		
Ridge Behavioral Health	The Ridge provides treatment and services to children, adolescents, and adults for psychiatric and substance use disorder related issues.	(800) 753-4673
Sexual Violence Resource Center	Formerly known as the Bluegrass Rape Crisis Center or Ampersand, the Sexual Violence Resource Center provides services to 17 surrounding counties in the area of sexual violence.	(859) 253-2511
Greenhouse 17	Greenhouse 17 is an advocacy agency committed to ending intimate partner abuse. Trained crisis counseling, emergency shelter, legal advocacy, etc. are among the services offered.	(800) 544-2022
Children's Advocacy Center	The Children's Advocacy Centers serves to reduce the trauma experienced by sexually abused children by providing services to them in an nurturing, friendly, and safe environment.	(859) 225-5437
Gay and Lesbian Services Organization (GLSO)	The GLSO strives to improve the quality of life for gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender individuals in Central/Eastern Kentucky.	(859) 253-3233
The Nest	The Nest assists individuals and families in crisis that may need assistance with basic needs, counseling, advocacy for survivors of intimate partner violence, etc.	(859) 259-1974
Planned Parenthood (Bluegrass Health Center of Lexington)	Planned Parenthood provides health care (specifically reproductive health care), education, and advocacy to both those with and without health insurance.	(317) 205-8088
Health Department	The Lexington Health Department promotes programs related to the enforcement of public health regulations, environmental health, and community safety.	(859) 252-2371
The Refuge Clinic	Patients have access to a variety of charitable care – primary medical, dental, behavioral, etc.	(859) 225-4325
Bluegrass Alcohol Anonymous	Alcoholics Anonymous is a fellowship of individuals who support each other on the journey to sobriety.	(859) 559-5368
Bluegrass.org Pride Program Substance Abuse Rehab	Bluegrass.org Pride Program is a drug and alcohol addiction rehab center.	(859) 425-1210
Chrysalis House	Chrysalis House serves to provide family-oriented treatment and recovery support for women with substance use disorders.	(859) 977-2501
Hope Center Recovery Program for Women	The Hope Center provides recovery program for addiction and alcoholism.	(859) 252-2002
Lexington Division of Police	The Lexington Police Department provides law enforcement services to Fayette County.	(859) 258-3600

Table 12: On-Campus and Off-Campus Resources (continued)

Fayette County Sheriff's Office	The Fayette County Sheriff's Office provides domestic violence advocacy, sex offender registration/compliance, court safety and security, fugitive extradition, and service of court documents.	(859) 252-1771
Kentucky State Police	The Kentucky State Police is the official state police agency of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.	(502) 782-1800
Fayette County Attorney	The Fayette County Attorney's Office is responsible for prosecution of criminal cases, establishing paternity/ collecting court-ordered child support, handling juvenile dependency, neglect, and abuse cases, assisting families with disability guardianship and involuntary mental health treatment for loved ones, and providing support/aid to victims of crimes.	(859) 254-4941
Fayette Commonwealth Attorney	The Fayette Commonwealth Attorney's Office prosecutes felony cases which occur in Fayette County. The Office also maintains a victim advocate branch to assist victims of crime.	(859) 246-2060

Table 12 (continued)

Kentucky Equal Justice Center	The Kentucky Equal Justice Center promotes equal justice for all residents of the Commonwealth and serves as an advocate for low and other vulnerable members of society.	(859) 233-3057
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Student and employees at separate campuses not served by UKPD as the local law enforcement agency should be advised that the above list of on-campus resources also applies to them for any needs they may have concerning resources for counseling, physical health, mental health, victim advocacy, legal assistance, visa and immigration assistance, student financial aid, or other services available to the victim.

Table 13: Additional Resources for Separate Campuses

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES FOR SEPARATE CAMPUSES		
CITY OF VERSAILLES COMMUNITY RESOURCES (Little Research Campus)		
Versailles Police Department	City Law Enforcement Agency	(859) 873-3126
Bluegrass Community Hospital	Emergency Medical Services, 24 hours/day	(859) 873-3111
Sexual Violence Resource Center	Sexual Violence Resource Center, 24 hours/day	(859) 253-2511
BREATHITT COUNTY COMMUNITY RESOURCES (Robinson Forest Campus)		
Breathitt County Sheriff's Office	County Law Enforcement Agency	(606) 666-3800
Kentucky River Medical Center	Emergency Medical Services, 24 hours/day	(606) 666-6000
Kentucky River Community Care	Crisis Services, 24 hours/day	(800) 262-7491
CALDWELL COUNTY COMMUNITY RESOURCES (West Kentucky Campus)		
Caldwell County Sheriff's Office	County Law Enforcement Agency	(270) 365-2088

Table 13: Additional Resources for Separate Campuses (continued)

Caldwell Medical Center	Emergency Medical Services, 24 hours/day	(270) 365-0300
Pennyroyal Center	Crisis Services, 24 hours/day	(270) 881-9551
The Sanctuary House	Sexual Assault/Domestic Violence Services, 24 hours/day	(800) 766-0000
CITY OF HAZARD COMMUNITY RESOURCES (Hazard Campus)		
Hazard Police Department	City Law Enforcement Agency	(606) 436-2222
Hazard Regional Medical Center	Emergency Medical Services, 24 hours/day	(606) 439-6600
LKLP Community Action Center	Domestic Violence/Safe House, Victims of Crimes Assistance Crisis Services	(606) 436-8853
The Rising Center	Sexual Assault/Domestic Violence Services, 24 hours/day	(800) 375-7273
CITY OF PADUCAH COMMUNITY RESOURCES (Paducah Campus)		
Paducah Police Department	City Law Enforcement Agency	(270) 444-8550

Table 13 (continued)

Baptist Health Hospital	Emergency Medical Services, 24 hours/day	(270) 575-2100
Mercy Health – Lourdes Hospital	Emergency Medical Services, 24 hours/day	(270) 444-2444
Lotus	Sexual Violence Resource Center, 24 hours/day	(800) 928-7273
CITY OF BOWLING GREEN COMMUNITY RESOURCES (Bowling Green Campus)		
Bowling Green Police Department	City Law Enforcement Agency	(270) 393-4244
TriStar Greenview Regional Hospital	Emergency Medical Services, 24 hours/day	(270) 793-1000
The Medical Center at Bowling Green	Emergency Medical Services, 24 hours/day	(270) 745-1000
Hope Harbor	Sexual Violence Resource Center, 24 hours/day	(270) 782-5014
NORTHERN KENTUCKY COMMUNITY RESOURCES (Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Highland Heights))		
Northern Kentucky University Police Department	University Law Enforcement Agency	(859) 572-5500
St. Elizabeth Covington Hospital	Emergency Medical Services, 24 hours/day	(859) 655-8800
The Ion Center	Sexual Assault/Domestic Violence Services, 24 hours/day	(859) 491-3335
NORTHERN KENTUCKY COMMUNITY RESOURCES (Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Edgewood))		
Edgewood Police Department	City Law Enforcement Agency	(859) 331-5911

Table 13: Additional Resources for Separate Campuses (continued)

St. Elizabeth Covington Hospital	Emergency Medical Services, 24 hours/day	(859) 655-8800
The Ion Center	Sexual Violence/Domestic Violence Services, 24 hours/day	(859) 491-3335
CITY OF MOREHEAD COMMUNITY RESOURCES (UK-St. Claire)		
Morehead Police Department	City Law Enforcement Agency	(606) 784-7511
UK-St. Claire Hospital	Emergency Medical Services, 24 hours/day	(606) 783-6500
Pathways Rape Crisis Center	Sexual Violence/Domestic Violence Services	(606) 784-4161

Confidentiality

The University strongly encourages prompt reporting, including reports from complaining witnesses, witnesses, and those who are made aware of incidents of prohibited conduct. Reports may be made to the UKPD, the VIP Center, the Dean of Students Office, the Title IX Coordinator, a CSA, or to any University official. Incidences of prohibited conduct may also be reported to police in the location where the incident occurred. Regardless of the location of the incident, reports may be made to the Office of Equal Opportunity. An incident may be reported without filing a written complaint. Individuals designated as CSAs are required by law to report certain crimes, including alleged sex offenses, stalking, and relationship violence, to the UKPD or CMP. These reports are made for statistical purposes, without the inclusion of identifying information of the parties. For reporting responsibilities of individuals designated as Campus Security Authorities, see Administrative Regulation 6:7, *Policy on Disclosure of Campus Security and Crime Statistics*. Confidential reporting is allowed to VIP and the UK Counseling Center or Health Services when receiving counseling or medical services.

The University investigates all reports; it does not have a voluntary, confidential reporting policy. UKPD encourages anyone who is the victim or witness to any crime report the incident to the police promptly. Because police reports are public records under state law, UKPD cannot hold reports of crime in confidence. When a potentially dangerous threat to the University community arises, UKPD will issue timely reports or warnings through e-mail announcements, the posting of flyers at local campuses, or other appropriate means. No victim confidentiality is jeopardized as part of Clery Act compliance measures, such as uploading an incident to the crime log or the issuance of a timely warning or immediate notification.

Additionally, the University will maintain as confidential any accommodations or protective measures provided to the victim, to the extent that maintaining such confidentiality would not impair the ability of the institution to provide the accommodations or protective measures.

Sex Offender Registry and Access to Related Information

The Adam Walsh Child Protection and Safety Act of 2006 (the Act) provides for the registration and tracking of sex offenders. Offenders are required to update their place of residence on a quarterly, biannual, or annual basis depending on the type of convicted offense. The Act also created a national sex offender registry, requiring state compliance in posting sex offender information to a public website. Pursuant to KRS 17.580, the Kentucky State Police (KSP) provides such a database for public access. KSP states that the website's intent is to promote public safety and awareness by alerting possible victims of potential danger, not to punish or embarrass offenders.

The Sex Offender Registry may be accessed by visiting <https://www.kentuckystatepolice.ky.gov/sex-offender-registry> or by calling (502) 227-8700. Information regarding the Sex Offender Registry may also be accessed through each county sheriff's office in the Commonwealth of Kentucky. Community members may access sex offender registry information through the Fayette County Sheriff's Office Sex Offender Compliance Division, http://fayettesheriff.com/?page_id=28 or by calling (859) 252-1771.

The Kentucky State Police, in partnership with the Kentucky Department of Corrections and the Division of Child Abuse and Domestic Violence Services, offers an additional service to the public called the Sex Offender Alert Line. Per KSP this service offers up-to-date, real time information regarding the release of registered sex offenders into local communities. Interested participants can place a toll free call to (866) 564-5652, provide their personal telephone number, and up to three zip codes for monitoring. When KSP receives notification that a registered sex offender is moving into one of the submitted zip codes for monitoring, a call is activated to alert the participant to log on to the Kentucky Sex Offender Registry for more information. Additional information regarding the Sex Offender Alert Line can be found at <https://www.kentuckystatepolice.ky.gov/sex-offender-registry>.

Notification to Victims of Crimes of Violence

The University will, upon written request, disclose to the alleged victim of a crime of violence or a non-forcible sex offense, the report on the results of any disciplinary proceeding conducted by such institution against a student who is the alleged perpetrator of such crime or offense. If the alleged victim is deceased as a result of such crime or offense, the next of kin of such victim shall be treated as the alleged victim for purposes of this paragraph.

The University also notifies victims in accordance with its policy governing such acts as a crime of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking, which can be found in Administrative Regulation: Equal Dignity (Interim), Office of Equal Opportunity Policy, Administrative Regulation: Due Process (Interim) or Policy: Due Process – Equal Dignity.

Crime Log

The University's Crime Log can be found online by visiting www.uky.edu/crimelog. This log contains information on the last sixty (60) days of UKPD's activities such as reports taken and arrests made, as well as any incidents reported to the designated campus security authorities. Additionally, crimes occurring on University property that are reported to LPD are included on this log upon notification by LPD. The information in the crime log includes for each recorded incident: incident number, category of offense, crime date/time, report date, location, description, if a residential occurrence, and the disposition.

Crimes must be entered into the Daily Crime Log within two (2) business days after the crime has been reported. Additionally, anyone may access a paper copy of the crime log by visiting UKPD to view a copy of the last sixty (60) days. Crime log information that is older than sixty (60) days will be provided within two (2) business days upon request by contacting CMP at (859) 257-9665 or cmp@uky.edu.

Disclosure of Crime Statistics

CMP has been designated as the office for ensuring compliance with the requirements of the Clery and Minger Acts by the University. This designation can be found in AR 6:7, *Policy on Disclosure of Campus Security and Crime Statistics*. For the full text of the AR, go to <https://regs.uky.edu/administrative-regulation/ar-67>.

Crime Information/Statistic Sources: CMP gathers crime statistics from a variety of law enforcement agencies and CSA sources.

- UKPD Reports
- CSA Reports
- LPD University of Kentucky Area Case Report
- Local law enforcement statistics gathered from separate campus locations and student domestic and international trips

Law Enforcement: The majority of crime statistics tracked for compliance with the Clery and Minger Acts are provided by UKPD. Individual inquiries are made to local Kentucky law enforcement agencies (KSP, Fayette County Sheriff, and LPD) that may be involved in addressing crime on the University's campuses and properties. If UKPD becomes aware of a specific crime being worked by a local law enforcement agency that has an immediate or ongoing threat to campus, the two agencies will share information to ensure the community is properly informed. Further, statistics are also gathered from local law enforcement agencies (municipal, county, and state) for student domestic and international trips.

Campus Security Authorities (CSA): Individuals may be designated a CSA due to their University responsibilities. These individuals are to report criminal incidents and allegations of such incidents to CMP

immediately. While CSAs have a duty to report on a prompt, ongoing basis, the University also issues a written request for statistical information to this group on an annual basis to ensure compliance.

All CSAs are notified of their designation on an annual basis and receive basic training annually on their responsibilities as well as forms to use when reporting crimes in compliance with the Clery/Minger Acts. Further, all CSAs are contacted on an annual basis and advised to forward any reports for the fiscal year they may have failed to previously report.

A CSA fits any of the following descriptions:

1. A campus police department or a campus security department. All individuals who work for these departments are CSAs.
2. Any individual(s) who have responsibility for campus security but who do not constitute a campus police department or a campus security department (e.g., an individual who is responsible for monitoring the entrance to University property.) For example, individuals who provide security at a campus parking kiosk, act as event security, or escort students around campus after dark.
3. Any individual or organization specified in an institution's statement of campus security policy as an individual or organization to which students and employees should report criminal offenses.
4. An official of an institution who has significant responsibility for student and campus activities, including, but not limited to, student housing, student discipline and campus judicial proceedings. An official is defined as any person who has the authority and the duty to take action or respond to particular issues on behalf of the institution.

The following are CSAs for the University per Administrative Regulation 6:7:

- Officers and employees of the University Police Department;
- Employees of Transportation Services;
- Employees of the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs;
- Employees of colleges designated as Student Affairs Officers;
- Employees of the Athletics Department, including Committee of 101 volunteers;
- Employees and Students serving as advisors to registered student organizations;
- Employees of University Housing, specifically:
 - Associate Auxiliary Services Director
 - Assistant Auxiliary Services Director
 - Housing Manager – Undergraduate Assignments
 - Apartment Housing Manager
- Associate Vice President for Auxiliary Services
- Director of Student Health Services
- Any faculty or staff that lead or participate in education travel experiences that include students, whether credit bearing or non-credit bearing, including international or domestic travel.
- Other employees as designated

It is important to note that licensed pastoral or professional counselors acting in their professional capacity are not CSAs. Under the Clery Act, these counselors are under no obligation to report information they learn about through client interactions.

Preparation of the Annual Safety and Security Report: Each year CMP prepares the Annual Safety and Security Report in compliance with the requirements of the Jeanne Clery Campus Safety Act (Clery Act). This responsibility is specifically designated to CMP by Administrative Regulation 6:7, *Policy on Disclosure of Campus Security and Crime Statistics*. This report includes safety and security related policies and procedures as well as statistics for the three (3) previous calendar years concerning crimes on Clery defined geography. Crimes occurring on Clery defined geography may include crimes reported by UKPD, LPD, CSAs, and other law enforcement agencies with jurisdiction over domestic and international non-campus property locations. This report includes information for the University of Kentucky Main Campus and eleven separate campuses: Little Research Center, North Farm, South Farm, Robinson Forest, West Kentucky Research and Education Center, Paducah Campus, Hazard Campus, Bowling Green Campus - College of Medicine, Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Highland Heights), and Northern Kentucky Campus – College of Medicine (Edgewood). Policies and procedures outlined in this document apply to all University of Kentucky campuses, unless otherwise specified.

The University sends an e-mail notification to all students, faculty, and staff with a link to the website to access this report each year prior to October 1st. The ASR is available in print format, upon request, and is posted on the CMP website at <https://police.uky.edu/get-informed/annual-safety-security-reports>. For prospective employees and students, the disclosure of the availability of the ASR is listed on the UK Jobs web page, <https://ukjobs.uky.edu/>, UK Admissions web page, <https://admission.uky.edu/apply>, and UK Graduate School, <https://gradschool.uky.edu/>, respectively. For further information on the ASR or to request a copy, please contact CMP at (859) 257-9567 or at cmp@uky.edu.

Additionally, CMP submits the annual crime statistics published in the ASR each year to the US Department of Education by October 1 for inclusion on their website.

Crime Statistics Location Definitions

The crime statistics reported are broken down geographically according to the following Clery categories: On-campus; Residential Facility; Non-campus Property; and Public Property. The following definitions apply to these geographic categories:

On-campus: (1) Any building or property owned or controlled by an institution within the same reasonably contiguous geographic area (within one [1] mile) and used by the institution in direct support of, or in a manner related to, the institution's educational purposes, including residence halls; and (2) Any building or property that is within or reasonably contiguous to the area identified in paragraph (1) of this definition, that is owned by the institution but controlled by another person, is frequently used by students, and supports institutional purposes (such as a food or other retail vendor).

Residential Facility: This is a subset of on-campus geography. Any student housing facility that is owned or controlled by the institution or is located on property that is owned or controlled by the institution, and is considered reasonably contiguous (a location that students consider to be, and treat as, part of "campus.")

Generally speaking, it is usually within one [1] mile to Main Campus). It includes residence halls, student apartment housing, or Greek sponsored housing facilities, if appropriate.

Non-campus building or property: (1) Any building or property owned or controlled by a student organization that is officially recognized by the institution; or (2) any building or property owned or controlled by an institution that is used in direct support of, or in relation to, the institution's educational purposes, is frequently used by students, and is not within the same reasonably contiguous geographic area (within one [1] mile) of the institution.

Non-campus geography also includes buildings and properties (such as hotel or academic space) under the temporary control of the institution during student short-stay "away" trips (domestic or international) of more than one night or to repeated locations.

Table 14: Short-stay "Away" Trip Assessment for Non-Campus Geography

TYPE OF TRIP	STUDENT TRIP ACCOMMODATIONS FREQUENCY	STUDENT TRIP DURATION	NON-CAMPUS GEOGRAPHY
University-sponsored "field" trips to non-UK affiliated locations	None	Day Trip	NO
Student organized or private trips – no UK agreements or involvement	Unknown	1 night or more	NO
Overnight UK sponsored trip – UK or *third party contractor arranged	You do not anticipate using the accommodations every year. Does not meet the frequently-used-by-students criterion.	1 night	NO
Repeated Use of Location (trip accommodations and/or academic space) – UK or third-party contractor arranged	The same accommodations are used in two or more consecutive years	1 night or more	YES
Short-stay "away" trips – UK or third-party contractor arranged	You do not anticipate using the accommodations every year	2 or more nights	YES

**Per Clery guidance "it is assumed that the contractor is operating on behalf of the school as the school's agent, putting the institution in control of this space."*

Public property: All public property, including thoroughfares, streets, sidewalks, and parking facilities, that is within the campus or immediately adjacent to and accessible from the campus.

Definitions of Crimes

According to the Clery Act, Criminal Offenses, Hate Crimes, arrests and disciplinary referrals must be classified based on the FBI's Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) Program. The definitions for Murder, Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault, Burglary, Motor Vehicle Theft, Arson, Weapons Law Violations, Drug Abuse Violations, and Liquor Law Violations are from the *Summary Reporting System (SRS) User Manual* from the FBI's UCR Program. The definitions of Fondling, Incest, and Statutory Rape are from the FBI's National Incident-Based Reporting System (NIBRS) *Data Collections Guidelines* edition of the UCR. Hate Crimes are classified according to the FBI's *Uniform Crime Reporting Hate Crime Data Collection Guidelines and Training Manual*. The categories of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking are classified according to the definitions provided by the Violence against Women Act (VAWA) of 1994 and repeated in Clery Act regulations.

The Clery Act requires the disclosure of four (4) general categories of crime statistics: Criminal Offenses, Hate Crimes, VAWA Offenses, and Arrests and Referrals for Disciplinary Action.

Criminal Offenses

Criminal Homicide

Murder and Non-negligent Manslaughter: The willful (non-negligent) killing of one human being by another.

Included in Murder and Non-negligent Manslaughter are death caused by injuries received in a fight, argument, quarrel, assault, or the commission of a crime.

Manslaughter by Negligence: The killing of another person through gross negligence.

Included in Manslaughter by Negligence is any death caused by gross negligence of another. In other words, it is something that a reasonable and prudent person would not do.

Sexual Assault (Sex Offenses)

Any sexual act directed against another person, without consent of the victim, including instances where the victim is incapable of giving consent. This includes attempts.

Rape: The penetration, no matter how slight, of the vagina or anus with any body part or object, or oral penetration by a sex organ of another person, without the consent of the victim. This offense includes the rape of both males and females.

Fondling: The touching of the private parts of another person for the purpose of sexual gratification, without consent of the victim, including instances where the victim is incapable of giving consent because of his/her age or because of his/her temporary or permanent mental incapacity.

Incest: Sexual intercourse between persons who are related to each other within degrees wherein marriage is prohibited by law.

Statutory Rape: Sexual intercourse with a person who is under the statutory age of consent. (In Kentucky, the age of consent is sixteen (16) years old.)

Other Offenses

Robbery: The taking or attempting to take anything of value from the care, custody, or control of a person or persons by force or threat of force or violence and/or by putting the victim in fear.

Aggravated Assault: An unlawful attack by one person upon another for the purpose of inflicting severe or aggravated bodily injury. This type of assault is usually accompanied by the use of a weapon or by means likely to produce death or great bodily harm. (Simple assaults are excluded.)

Burglary: The unlawful entry of a structure to commit a felony or a theft. For reporting purposes, this definition includes unlawful entry with intent to commit a larceny or felony; breaking and entering with intent to commit a larceny; housebreaking; safecracking; and all attempts to commit any of the aforementioned.

Motor Vehicle Theft: The theft or attempted theft of a motor vehicle. (This does not include thefts from motor vehicles.) This includes all cases where automobiles are taken by persons not having lawful access even though the vehicles are later abandoned – including joyriding.

Arson: Any willful or malicious burning or attempt to burn, with or without the intent to defraud, a dwelling house, public building, motor vehicle or aircraft, personal property of another, etc.

Hate Crimes

A Hate Crime is any criminal offense (as listed above) that manifests evidence that the victim was intentionally selected because of the perpetrator's bias against the victim. Bias is a preformed negative opinion or attitude toward a group of persons based on their race, gender, religion, disability, sexual orientation, or ethnicity/national origin – or the offender's perception thereof.

The Clery Act Categories of Bias:

Race: A preformed negative attitude toward a group of persons who possess common physical characteristics (e.g., color of skin, eyes, and/or hair; facial features; etc.) genetically transmitted by descent and heredity which distinguish them as a distinct division of humankind (e.g., Asians, blacks or African Americans, whites).

Religion: A preformed negative opinion or attitude toward a group of persons who share the same religious beliefs regarding the origin and purpose of the universe and the existence or nonexistence of a supreme being (e.g., Catholics, Jews, Protestants, atheists).

Sexual Orientation: A preformed negative opinion or attitude toward a group of persons based on their actual or perceived sexual orientation. Sexual Orientation is the term for a person's physical, romantic, and/or emotional attraction to members of the same and/or opposite sex, including lesbian, gay, bisexual, and heterosexual (straight) individuals.

Gender: A preformed negative opinion or attitude toward a person or group of persons based on their actual or perceived gender (e.g., male or female).

Gender Identity: A preformed negative opinion or attitude toward a person or group of persons based on their actual or perceived gender identity (e.g., bias against transgender or gender non-conforming individuals).

Ethnicity: A preformed negative opinion or attitude toward a group of people whose members identify with each other, through a common heritage, often consisting of a common language, common culture (often including a shared religion) and/or ideology that stress a common ancestry.

National Origin: A preformed negative opinion or attitude toward a group of people based on their actual or perceived country of birth.

Disability: A preformed negative opinion or attitude toward a group of persons based on their physical or mental impairments, whether such disability is temporary or permanent, congenital or acquired by heredity, accident, injury, advanced age, or illness.

For Clery Act purposes, Hate Crimes include any of the offenses listed above and the offenses below that are motivated by bias:

Larceny-Theft: The unlawful taking, carrying, leading, or riding away of property from the possession or constructive possession of another. (Larceny and theft mean the same thing in the UCR.) Constructive possession is the condition in which a person does not have physical custody or possession but is in a position to exercise dominion or control over a thing.

Simple Assault: An unlawful physical attack by one person upon another where neither the offender displays a weapon, nor the victim suffers obvious severe or aggravated bodily injury involving apparent broken bones, loss of teeth, possible internal injury, severe laceration, or loss of consciousness.

Intimidation: To unlawfully place another person in reasonable fear of bodily harm through the use of threatening words and/or other conduct, but without displaying a weapon or subjecting the victim to actual physical attack.

Destruction/Damage/Vandalism of Property: To willfully or maliciously destroy, damage, deface or otherwise injure real or personal property without the consent of the owner or the person having custody or control of it.

VAWA Offenses

Dating Violence: Violence committed by a person who is or has been in a social relationship of a romantic or intimate nature with the victim. The existence of such a relationship shall be based on the reporting party's statement and with consideration of the length of the relationship, the type of relationship, and the frequency of interaction between the persons involved in the relationship. For purposes of this definition, dating violence includes, but is not limited to, sexual or physical abuse or the threat of such abuse. Dating violence does not include acts covered under the definition of domestic violence.

Domestic Violence: A felony or misdemeanor crime of violence committed by a current or former spouse or intimate partner of the victim; by a person with whom the victim shares a child in common; by a person who is cohabitating with or has cohabitated with the victim as a spouse or intimate partner; by a person similarly situated to a spouse of the victim under the domestic or family violence law of the jurisdiction in which the crime of violence occurred; or by any other person against an adult or youth victim who is protected from the person's acts under the domestic or family violence laws of the jurisdiction in which the crime of violence occurred.

To categorize an incident as Domestic Violence, the relationship between the perpetrator and the victim must be more than just two people living together as roommates. The people cohabitating must be current or former spouses or have an intimate relationship.

Stalking: Engaging in a course of conduct directed at a specific person that would cause a reasonable person to fear for the person's safety or the safety of others or suffer substantial emotional distress.

Arrests and Disciplinary Referrals

The Clery Act requires reporting of arrests and referrals for disciplinary actions for the following violations:

Weapons Violations: (carrying, possessing, etc.): The violation of laws or ordinances prohibiting the manufacture, sale, purchase, transportation, possession, concealment, or use of firearms, cutting instruments, explosives, incendiary devices, or other deadly weapons. This classification also encompasses weapons offenses that are regulatory in nature.

Drug Abuse Violations: The violation of laws prohibiting the production, distribution, and/or use of certain controlled substances and the equipment or devices utilized in their preparation and/or use. The unlawful cultivation, manufacture, distribution, sale, purchase, use, possession, transportation, or importation of any controlled drug or narcotic substance. Arrests for violations of state and local laws, specifically those relating to the unlawful possession, sale, use, growing, manufacturing, and making of narcotic drugs.

Liquor Law Violations: The violation of state or local laws or ordinances prohibiting the manufacture, sale, purchase, transportation, possession, or use of alcoholic beverages, not including driving under the influence and drunkenness.

Hazing

Hazing is any intentional, knowing, or reckless act committed by a person (whether individually or in concert with other persons) against another person or persons regardless of the willingness of such other person or persons to participate, that is committed in the course of an initiation into, an affiliation with, or the maintenance of membership in a student organization; and causes or creates a risk, above the reasonable risk encountered in the course of participation in the institution of higher education or the organization (such as the physical preparation necessary for participation in an athletic team), of physical or psychological injury.

Institutions are required to start publishing Hazing incidents to the mandated daily crime log and recording such incidents to statistics January 1, 2025. Statistics will be published in the crime charts at the back of the Annual Safety and Security Report starting in 2026.

Unfounded Crimes: A crime may only be classified as unfounded after a full investigation by sworn or commissioned law enforcement personnel. A crime is considered unfounded (for Clery Act purposes) if sworn or commissioned law enforcement personnel make a formal determination that the report is false or baseless. Crime reports can be properly determined to be false only if the evidence from a complete and thorough investigation establishes that the crime reported was not, in fact, completed or attempted in any manner. Crime reports can be determined to be baseless only if the allegations reported did not meet the elements of the offense or were improperly classified as crimes in the first place. As such, for *Clery Act* purposes, the determination to unfound a crime can be made only when the totality of available information specifically indicates that the report was false or baseless.

Rules for Counting Crimes

For Clery Act reporting purposes, crimes are counted for statistical purposes as outlined below. Crimes may be counted based on the number of victims, number of individuals arrested/cited/referred or number of distinct operations.

Table 15: Rules for Counting Crimes

CRIME CLASSIFICATION	COUNT
Murder/Non-Negligent Manslaughter	Count One Offense Per Victim
Manslaughter by Negligence	Count One Offense Per Victim
Sexual Assault (Rape, Fondling, Incest, Statutory Rape)	Count One Offense Per Victim
Aggravated Assault	Count One Offense Per Victim
Dating Violence	Count One Offense Per Victim
Domestic Violence	Count One Offense Per Victim
Liquor Law Violation Arrest/Citation	Count One Offense Per Individual Arrested/Cited
Drug Law Violation Arrest/Citation	Count One Offense Per Individual Arrested/Cited
Weapons Violation Arrest/Citation	Count One Offense Per Individual Arrested/Cited
Liquor Law Violation Referral	Count One Offense Per Individual Referred to Student Conduct
Drug Law Violation Referral	Count One Offense Per Individual Referred to Student Conduct
Weapons Violation Referral	Count One Offense Per Individual Referred to Student Conduct
Motor Vehicle Theft	Count One Offense for Each Stolen Vehicle
Robbery	Count One Offense for Each Distinct Operation
Burglary	Count One Offense for Each Distinct Operation
Arson	Count One Offense for Each Distinct Incident
Hazing	Count One Offense for Each Distinct Incident
Stalking	Count One Offense for Each Course of Conduct Regardless of the Number of Stalking-Related Behaviors During the Same Calendar Year

Per The Handbook for Campus Safety and Security Reporting, when counting multiple offenses for Clery Act purposes, the Federal Bureau of Investigation's (FBI) Hierarchy Rule is used. Under this rule, when more than one Criminal Offense is committed during a single incident only the most serious offense is counted. There are exceptions to the Hierarchy Rule when counting offenses. Exceptions apply to Arson, Sexual Assaults (Rape, Fondling, Incest, Statutory Rape), Hate Crimes, and Violence Against Women (VAWA) offenses.

The rules for counting Arson:

- Always count Arson regardless of the nature of any other offense committed during the same incident.
- When multiple other offenses are committed during the same distinct operation as the Arson, report the most serious offense along with the Arson.
- Include incidents in which person are killed as a direct result of Arson as Murder and Non-negligent Manslaughter and Arson or Manslaughter by Negligence and Arson.

The rules for counting Sexual Assault:

- If Rape, Fondling, Incest, or Statutory Rape occurs in the same incident as Murder, count both the Sexual Assault and the Murder.
- Fondling is recognized as an element of the other Sexual Assaults. Include a Sexual Assault as Fondling only if it is the only Sexual Assault.

The Hierarchy Rule does not apply to VAWA offenses. For any Criminal Offense, Hate Crime, or arrest for Weapons, Drug, or Liquor Law Violations that is also a VAWA Offense, statistics reflect the original offense and the VAWA Offense.

Hate Crimes are independent of the primary crime tables and instead are reported in narrative format indicating both the crime and bias classification. A Hate Crime is a criminal offense committed against a person or property which is motivated/intentionally selected due to the offender's bias. For Clery Act purposes, Hate Crimes include any of the following offenses motivated by bias: Murder/Non-Negligent Manslaughter, Sexual Assault (Rape, Fondling, Incest, Statutory Rape), Robbery, Aggravated Assault, Burglary, Motor Vehicle Theft, Arson, Larceny-Theft, Simple Assault, Intimidation, and Destruction/Damage/Vandalism of Property. Note: Hate Crimes are counted in the same manner the offenses are when they are not Hate Crimes except that that Hierarchy Rule does not apply to Hate Crimes. This means that:

- All offenses are counted in a multiple offense incident that are bias motivated.
- In a multiple-offense incident, only the crimes that are bias-motivated are counted as Hate Crimes.
- For any Criminal Offense that is also a Hate Crime, statistics indicate the offense and also the offense with the category of bias.



Criminal Offenses	ON-CAMPUS			ON-CAMPUS STUDENT HOUSING FACILITIES			NON-CAMPUS			PUBLIC PROPERTY		
	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025
MURDER/NON-NEGLIGENT MANSLAUGHTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
MANSLAUGHTER BY NEGLIGENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RAPE	19	36	24	19	30	22	0	1	1	0	0	0
FONDLING	24	22	17	5	10	4	0	2	5	0	0	0
INCEST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STATUTORY RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROBBERY	2	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	12	12	6	3	3	2	2	6	0	2	1	0
BURGLARY	16	44	11	6	10	0	2	1	1	0	0	0
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	49	70	48	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
ARSON	0	2	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VAWA Offenses												
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	5	16	13	1	0	0	1	4	3	0	1	0
DATING VIOLENCE	22	31	19	11	19	13	1	1	1	0	0	2
STALKING	21	20	7	4	6	2	1	0	1	0	0	0
Arrests and Citations												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	5	6	9	0	1	0	0	0	0	9	9	25
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	56	47	26	2	1	0	0	1	1	21	24	19
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Disciplinary Referrals												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	565	551	558	565	545	556	0	2	1	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	39	44	34	33	41	16	0	0	0	0	0	2
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Hazing												
Hazing	N/A	N/A	2	N/A	N/A	2	N/A	N/A	4	N/A	N/A	0

Hate Crimes:

2023 - One (1) On-Campus Simple Assault characterized by Religious bias, and five (5) Public Property Simple Assaults characterized by Race bias.

2024 - One (1) On-Campus Vandalism of Property characterized by National Origin bias.

2025 - One (1) On-Campus Simple Assault characterized by Racial bias.

Unfounded Crimes:

2023 - Four (4) crimes were unfounded by UKPD Officers.

2024 - Four (4) crimes were unfounded by UKPD Officers.

2025 – Two (2) crimes were unfounded by UKPD Officers.

*Hazing:

Hazing statistics will be published in the crime charts starting in 2026 once a full calendar year of statistics have been gathered for the first calendar year, 2025.



Criminal Offenses	ON-CAMPUS			ON-CAMPUS STUDENT HOUSING FACILITIES			NON-CAMPUS			PUBLIC PROPERTY		
	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025
MURDER/NON-NEGLIGENT MANSLAUGHTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MANSLAUGHTER BY NEGLIGENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RAPE	3**	5**	9**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FONDLING	30**	9**	7**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
INCEST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STATUTORY RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROBBERY	0	0	1**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	9**	17**	9**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BURGLARY	0	1	1**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ARSON	0	1**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VAWA Offenses												
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	0	1**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DATING VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STALKING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arrests and Citations												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	1**	0	3**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disciplinary Referrals												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Hazing												
HAZING	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0

Hate Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for North Farm Campus.

2024 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for North Farm Campus.

2025 - Zero (0) hate crime were reported for North Farm Campus.

***Occurred specifically at Eastern State Hospital, an inpatient psychiatric facility*

Unfounded Crimes:

2023 - Five (5) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

These incidents were reported from an inpatient psychiatric facility.

2024 - Eighteen (18) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

These incidents were reported from an inpatient psychiatric facility.

2025 - Thirty-three (33) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

These incidents were reported from an inpatient psychiatric facility.

***Hazing:**

Hazing statistics will be published in the crime charts starting in 2026 once a full calendar year of statistics have been gathered for the first calendar year, 2025.



Criminal Offenses	ON-CAMPUS			ON-CAMPUS STUDENT HOUSING FACILITIES			NON-CAMPUS			PUBLIC PROPERTY		
	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025
MURDER/NON-NEGLIGENT MANSLAUGHTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MANSLAUGHTER BY NEGLIGENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FONDLING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
INCEST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STATUTORY RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROBBERY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BURGLARY	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ARSON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VAWA Offenses												
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DATING VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STALKING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arrests and Citations												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disciplinary Referrals												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Hazing												
HAZING	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0

Hate Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for South Farm Campus.

2024 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for South Farm Campus.

2025 - Zero (0) hate crime were reported for South Farm Campus.

Unfounded Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2024 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2025 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

***Hazing:**

Hazing statistics will be published in the crime charts starting in 2026 once a full calendar year of statistics have been gathered for the first calendar year, 2025.



Criminal Offenses	ON-CAMPUS			ON-CAMPUS STUDENT HOUSING FACILITIES			NON-CAMPUS			PUBLIC PROPERTY		
	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025
MURDER/NON-NEGLIGENT MANSLAUGHTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MANSLAUGHTER BY NEGLIGENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FONDLING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
INCEST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STATUTORY RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROBBERY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BURGLARY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ARSON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VAWA Offenses												
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DATING VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STALKING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arrests and Citations												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disciplinary Referrals												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Hazing												
HAZING	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0

Hate Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Little Research Campus.

2024 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Little Research Campus.

2025 - Zero (0) hate crime were reported for Little Research Campus.

Unfounded Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2024 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2025 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

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Criminal Offenses	ON-CAMPUS			ON-CAMPUS STUDENT HOUSING FACILITIES			NON-CAMPUS			PUBLIC PROPERTY		
	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025
MURDER/NON-NEGLIGENT MANSLAUGHTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MANSLAUGHTER BY NEGLIGENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FONDLING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
INCEST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STATUTORY RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROBBERY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BURGLARY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ARSON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VAWA Offenses												
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DATING VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STALKING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arrests and Citations												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disciplinary Referrals												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Hazing												
HAZING	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0

Hate Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Robinson Forest Campus.

2024 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Robinson Forest Campus.

2025 - Zero (0) hate crime were reported for Robinson Forest Campus.

Unfounded Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2024 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2025 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

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Criminal Offenses	ON-CAMPUS			ON-CAMPUS STUDENT HOUSING FACILITIES			NON-CAMPUS			PUBLIC PROPERTY		
	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025
MURDER/NON-NEGLIGENT MANSLAUGHTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MANSLAUGHTER BY NEGLIGENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FONDLING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
INCEST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STATUTORY RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROBBERY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BURGLARY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ARSON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VAWA Offenses												
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DATING VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STALKING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arrests and Citations												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disciplinary Referrals												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Hazing												
HAZING	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0

Hate Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Western Kentucky Campus.

2024 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Western Kentucky Campus.

2025 - Zero (0) hate crime were reported for Western Kentucky Campus.

Unfounded Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2024 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2025 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

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Criminal Offenses	ON-CAMPUS			ON-CAMPUS STUDENT HOUSING FACILITIES			NON-CAMPUS			PUBLIC PROPERTY		
	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025
MURDER/NON-NEGLIGENT MANSLAUGHTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MANSLAUGHTER BY NEGLIGENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FONDLING	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
INCEST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STATUTORY RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROBBERY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BURGLARY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ARSON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VAWA Offenses												
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DATING VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STALKING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arrests and Citations												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disciplinary Referrals												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Hazing												
HAZING	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0

Hate Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Paducah Campus.

2024 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Paducah Campus.

2025 - Zero (0) hate crime were reported for Paducah Campus.

Unfounded Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2024 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2025 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

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Criminal Offenses	ON-CAMPUS			ON-CAMPUS STUDENT HOUSING FACILITIES			NON-CAMPUS			PUBLIC PROPERTY		
	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025
MURDER/NON-NEGLIGENT MANSLAUGHTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MANSLAUGHTER BY NEGLIGENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FONDLING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
INCEST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STATUTORY RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROBBERY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BURGLARY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ARSON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VAWA Offenses												
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DATING VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STALKING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arrests and Citations												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disciplinary Referrals												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Hazing												
HAZING	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0

Hate Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Hazard Campus.

2024 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Hazard Campus.

2025 - Zero (0) hate crime were reported for Hazard Campus.

Unfounded Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2024 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2025 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

***Hazing:**

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Criminal Offenses	ON-CAMPUS			ON-CAMPUS STUDENT HOUSING FACILITIES			NON-CAMPUS			PUBLIC PROPERTY		
	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025
MURDER/NON-NEGLIGENT MANSLAUGHTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MANSLAUGHTER BY NEGLIGENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FONDLING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
INCEST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STATUTORY RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROBBERY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BURGLARY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ARSON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VAWA Offenses												
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DATING VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STALKING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arrests and Citations												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disciplinary Referrals												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Hazing												
HAZING	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0

Hate Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Bowling Green Campus.

2024 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Bowling Green Campus.

2025 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Bowling Green Campus.

Unfounded Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2024 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2025 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

***Hazing:**

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Criminal Offenses	ON-CAMPUS			ON-CAMPUS STUDENT HOUSING FACILITIES			NON-CAMPUS			PUBLIC PROPERTY		
	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025
MURDER/NON-NEGLIGENT MANSLAUGHTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MANSLAUGHTER BY NEGLIGENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FONDLING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
INCEST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STATUTORY RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROBBERY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BURGLARY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ARSON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VAWA Offenses												
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DATING VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STALKING	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arrests and Citations												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disciplinary Referrals												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Hazing												
HAZING	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0

Hate Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Northern Kentucky Campus (Highland Heights).

2024 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Northern Kentucky Campus (Highland Heights).

2025 - Zero (0) hate crime were reported for Northern Kentucky Campus (Highland Heights).

Unfounded Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2024 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2025 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

***Hazing:**

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Criminal Offenses	ON-CAMPUS			ON-CAMPUS STUDENT HOUSING FACILITIES			NON-CAMPUS			PUBLIC PROPERTY		
	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025
MURDER/NON-NEGLIGENT MANSLAUGHTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MANSLAUGHTER BY NEGLIGENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FONDLING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
INCEST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STATUTORY RAPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROBBERY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BURGLARY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ARSON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VAWA Offenses												
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DATING VIOLENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STALKING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arrests and Citations												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disciplinary Referrals												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Hazing												
HAZING	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0

Hate Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Northern Kentucky Campus (Edgewood).

2024 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Northern Kentucky Campus (Edgewood).

2025 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for Northern Kentucky Campus (Edgewood).

Unfounded Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2024 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2025 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

***Hazing:**

Hazing statistics will be published in the crime charts starting in 2026 once a full calendar year of statistics have been gathered for the first calendar year, 2025.



Criminal Offenses	ON-CAMPUS			ON-CAMPUS STUDENT HOUSING FACILITIES			NON-CAMPUS			PUBLIC PROPERTY		
	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025
MURDER/NON-NEGLIGENT MANSLAUGHTER	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
MANSLAUGHTER BY NEGLIGENCE	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
RAPE	N/A	0	2	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
FONDLING	N/A	0	3	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
INCEST	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
STATUTORY RAPE	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
ROBBERY	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
BURGLARY	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	N/A	1	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
ARSON	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
VAWA Offenses												
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
DATING VIOLENCE	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
STALKING	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
Arrests and Citations												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	N/A	1	1	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
Disciplinary Referrals												
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
*Hazing												
Hazing	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0

Hate Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for UK-St. Claire Campus.

2024 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for UK-St. Claire Campus.

2025 - Zero (0) hate crimes were reported for UK-St. Claire Campus.

Note: UK-St. Claire became a separate campus in the University of Kentucky campus system in July 2024. There is no data for 2023.

Unfounded Crimes:

2023 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

2024 – One (1) crime was unfounded by City of Morehead Police Department.

2025 - Zero (0) crimes were unfounded by UKPD officers.

***Hazing:**

Hazing statistics will be published in the crime charts starting in 2026 once a full calendar year of statistics have been gathered for the first calendar year, 2025.

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APPENDIX

Appendix A: University of Kentucky Evacuation Policy (Mandatory) Fire Alarms

The Kentucky Fire Prevention Code and UK policy require evacuation of campus buildings for fire alarms. When the fire alarm system is activated, all persons must immediately evacuate the building. Occupants must not return to the building until fire officials give approval. Although evacuations are disruptive, life safety shall be given priority. The only exception to this policy is patient-related areas, such as the University Hospital and the Kentucky Clinic, where special evacuation procedures have been developed and tested. Employees refusing to evacuate or prohibiting others from evacuating will be subject to disciplinary action in accordance with Human Resources Policy and Procedure Number 12.0. Students refusing to evacuate or prohibiting others from evacuating will be subject to disciplinary action in accordance with the Code of Student Conduct.

Each department should develop internal procedures pertinent to their particular activities, especially research and chemical laboratories. Procedures should include having a designated meeting place outside the building, providing security precautions, and assisting physically impaired persons. Occupants must not return to the building until the fire officials give approval. Should your department need assistance in developing internal procedures, please contact the University Fire Marshal's office at (859) 257-6326. Supporting documents for the University's Mandatory Evacuation Policy are on file in the University Fire Marshal's office.

Appendix B: University of Kentucky ADA Evacuation Policy Residence Halls

It is the University of Kentucky's policy that all Residence Halls must be evacuated upon activation of a fire alarm system. If someone has a physical or medical condition that would not allow them to evacuate without some form of assistance in evacuating, the policy permits that person to be evacuated to the nearest stairway for the Fire Department to evacuate when necessary.

It has been brought to our attention that in some cases a student in their room would need to be placed in a wheelchair to evacuate. In these situations it would require the Housing Staff or another student to put their personal safety in jeopardy and risk harming the bedfast student to assist them to their chair for evacuation.

In an effort to resolve this issue the following changes have been made:

- An ADA student is to be issued an "Emergency Assistance Card". This card will identify the student and their location in the residence hall. This card should be given to another resident on their way out of the building by the card's owner. The resident upon evacuation should give the card and the location of the ADA student to the nearest fireman. These cards can be used in any building on campus, but the student needing help should always give their current location to the person who receives the card.
- Since not all students are capable of giving their card to another individual during evacuation because of their differing abilities, a list of all residents requiring assistance will be kept in the Fire Alarm Control Panel in each residence hall. This list will be located by the first arriving fire company. The fire department will make the determination as to how quickly the students needing additional support during evacuation will need to be evacuated. If a resident is not in danger the Fire Department will leave them in a safe location. Evacuation will be a last resort.
- An Emergency Assistance Card can be issued to residents with temporary conditions that would keep them from evacuating upon activation of the fire alarm. Jake Karnes will determine which of these students has a condition that warrants a card.

If the student has the ability to make their way to the stairwell, the student should evacuate to this location. The stairways are all fire rated and the students will be visible to the incoming firemen, which makes their evacuation easier and faster.

Appendix C: University of Kentucky On-Campus Residential and Student Housing Fire and Life Safety Policy

Objective

This policy has been established to provide necessary information for University of Kentucky (UK) on-campus residents and mandates compliance with the University policy. It also details specific responsibilities associated with the implementation of the UK Fire and Life Safety Program.

Applicability

This policy applies to every person residing or staying in University of Kentucky on-campus housing. These include, but are not limited to, dorms, Greek housing, residential halls, visitor housing, and any other space where sleeping accommodations are provided. The policy applies to any building owned by the University or any building erected on land owned by the University. The policy does not include UK HealthCare facilities.

Definitions

Chapter - a Social Fraternity or Sorority recognized by the Dean of Students.

Dwelling Unit - a single unit providing complete, independent living facilities for one or more persons, including permanent provisions for living, sleeping, eating, cooking, and sanitation.

Fire and Life Safety Program - a program of inspections and training designed to enhance fire and life safety.

Greek Housing – any building whose primary purpose is the housing of University students, visitors, and staff that belong to a Social Fraternity or Sorority recognized by the Dean of Students.

Means of Egress – a continuous and unobstructed path of vertical and horizontal egress travel from any occupied portion of a building or structure to a public way. Means of egress components include aisles, corridors, hallways, stairs, doors, passageways, fire escapes, and any other means occupants use to exit the structure.

Motorized Equipment - includes but is not limited to hoverboards, motorized skateboards, razors, Segways, and scooters.

Office of the University Fire Marshal - the office granted authority by the State of Kentucky and the University to enforce fire and life safety regulations at the University.

On-Campus Housing - any building that is owned and/or is located on University property that provides sleeping accommodations for any length of time. Includes, but may not be limited to, dormitories, residential halls, Greek housing facilities, apartments, graduate housing, and visitor sleeping rooms.

Residence Halls – any building whose primary purpose is the housing of University students, visitors, and staff who are not part of a larger organizational group associated with that facility.

Sleeping Unit - a room or space in which people sleep, which can also include permanent provisions for living, eating, and either sanitation or kitchen facilities but not both. Such rooms and spaces that are also part of a dwelling unit are not sleeping units.

Unintended Alarms – fire alarm activations that occur without a threat of fire. Examples may include, but are not limited to, malicious use of pull stations, vandalism, policy violations, equipment failure, cleaning, construction work, cooking, etc.

Background

The University of Kentucky supports and maintains a strong commitment to the health and safety of every person living in on-campus residential and student housing. It is the University's goal to provide housing that is built and maintained in a manner compliant with applicable codes and regulations to ensure our students can live and learn in a safe environment. It is also our goal to educate students, advisors, directors, and visitors to recognize fire and life safety hazards and train them with the knowledge of how to respond if an incident does occur.

Part I – All Housing

Procedures and requirements applicable to all on-campus housing.

1. Fire Alarm Activation & Evacuation

A. Every person shall evacuate the building in the event of a fire alarm. Failure to evacuate during an active fire alarm may result in disciplinary action as stipulated in the Student Code of Conduct, up to and including removal from the facility and/or the University.

B. Fire alarms, including unintended alarms, shall be reported to the University Police Department (UKPD) and to the Office of Residence Life.

C. Unintended alarms shall not be accepted as an alarm test and/or as a fire drill.

D. Fire Alarm systems shall not be deactivated without approval from the Office of the University Fire Marshal. Should the need arise to take the system out of service, approval shall be obtained from the Office of the University Fire Marshal at (859) 257-8590.

E. The fire alarm system shall only be silenced or reset by authorized personnel from the University of Kentucky under the supervision of the Delta Center or the Lexington Fire Department.

F. Occupants shall not reenter the building until approved to do so by the Lexington Fire Department, the Office of the University Fire Marshal, or other approved University personnel.

2. Life Safety and Fire Protection Equipment

A. Sprinkler Systems

1) No items shall be hung on or around sprinkler system piping or from sprinkler heads.

2) Sprinkler heads shall not be obstructed, covered, painted, modified, removed, or tampered with in any manner that reduces their effectiveness.

3) Heat sources shall not be directed at or placed within 2 ft. of sprinkler heads.

B. Fire Alarm Systems

1) Each resident shall be instructed as to the operation of a fire alarm manual pull station.

2) Smoke and/or heat detectors shall not be obstructed, covered, painted, modified, removed, or tampered with in any manner that reduces their effectiveness.

3) Manual pull stations shall not be blocked, covered, removed, or otherwise tampered with in any way.

4) Activating manual pull stations in a malicious manner may result in disciplinary action including removal from the facility and/or the University.

C. Portable Fire Extinguishers

1) Each resident shall be instructed as to the operation of portable fire extinguishers. Training may be found here: [Fire Extinguisher Training](#)

2) Fire extinguishers must always have at least 3 ft. of clearance in front of them.

3) If any fire extinguisher is found to be vandalized, missing, damaged, or otherwise impaired it must immediately be reported to the Office of the University Fire Marshal (859) 257-8590 for replacement.

3. Means of Egress

A. Means of Egress shall be maintained free of obstructions.

B. Residential room doors shall be functional and maintained free of damage.

C. Residential rooms shall be maintained so that occupants always have a free and clear route to an exit.

D. Stairwell doors and corridor doors shall be maintained in operable condition and shall be self-closing and positive latching. Stairwell doors shall not be propped open with any device except where magnetic hold-opens controlled by the fire alarm system are provided.

E. Emergency lighting and exit signs shall be maintained in operable condition.

4. Sleeping and Dwelling Units

A. Evacuation signage shall be posted in every sleeping and dwelling unit. The information shall include a floor diagram, exit locations, room identification, fire protection equipment locations, and primary/secondary emergency evacuation routes.

B. Subdivision of sleeping and dwelling units is not permitted.

C. Elevated beds (loft arrangements) are permitted. The maximum height allowed at the top of the upper mattress is 66 inches.

D. Only items used for study purposes such as a desk, computer, books, supplies, etc. are permitted beneath and elevated bed. No other items are permitted beneath an elevated bed.

E. Open flames are strictly prohibited.

F. Items that can produce or maintain open flames such as candles, incense, wicks, warmers, fireworks, etc. are prohibited even in an unused state.

G. Smoking is not permitted in any University building.

H. Beds shall not be enclosed in any manner. This includes but is not limited to sheets, decorations, wood, fabrics, and plastics.

I. Headboards not provided as part of the room's furnishings are prohibited.

J. The number of pieces of furniture in a room shall be appropriate to the number of residents. In units where furniture is provided, additional large furniture items are prohibited. A clear and unobstructed egress path shall be available from any point in the room to the means of egress door.

5. Cooking

A. Cooking is not permitted in sleeping units.

B. Cooking is permitted in approved dwelling units equipped with a stovetop oven appliance that has been provided by the University.

1) Stovetop units shall not be covered with any material not original to the appliance. This includes but is not limited to paper, aluminum foil, wood, fabric, and plastic.

2) Ovens shall be maintained in a clean and operable condition.

3) The user must be present and alert while operating the stove or oven.

C. Cooking appliances

1) The use of any cooking appliance not listed below is only permitted upon approval by the University Fire Marshal.

2) The following items are prohibited in sleeping and dwelling units and common kitchens used exclusively by students:

1. Deep fat fryers

2. Appliances with exposed burners or heating elements such as hot plates and toasters

3. Camping or fuel burning stoves

4. Grills

5. Any other appliance using fats or oils that produce grease-laden vapors

3) In sleeping units not provided with a stovetop oven appliance, the following items are also prohibited:

1. Electric skillets

2. Toaster ovens

3. Air fryers

4. Instant Pots

5. Woks

6. Crock pots

7. George Foreman style grills

8. Bacon fryers

4) Where residential dorms are provided with a common kitchen space, no appliances may be used that have not previously been approved and/or provided by the University Fire Marshal.

5) Microwave ovens are permitted to be used in areas other than the kitchen provided that sufficient electrical current is provided. The unit shall be plugged directly into a wall outlet.

6. Electrical

A. Electrical equipment shall be maintained and used in a safe manner and as listed by the manufacturer.

B. Extension cords are not permitted.

C. Multi-plug adaptors are not permitted.

D. Surge protectors that are CE and/or UL listed and have built-in circuit protection may be used. The surge protectors shall be listed for its use and shall be plugged directly into the wall outlet and not into another surge protector or multi-plug adaptor.

E. Electrical cords shall not be run under carpet, through walls, under doors, or any other location that may subject the cord to physical damage or overheating. Damaged cords shall be immediately discarded.

F. Electrical cords that have been modified, repaired, or replaced are prohibited.

G. Outlet and switch cover plates shall be in place and maintained free of damage.

7. Appliances

A. Space heaters are not permitted.

B. Appliances and cords serving appliances shall be in good working condition. Hazardous conditions arising from defective cords or improper use of appliances shall be abated immediately.

C. Appliances shall be listed for their intended use. Appliances shall not be used in a manner contrary to the manufacturer's specifications.

D. Lamps and other appliances shall not use bulbs that are known to produce excessive heat. These can include, but are not limited to, halogen, metal halide, lava lamps, warmers, and sunlamps.

E. The Office of the University Fire Marshal has sole discretion of determination if an appliance poses a fire hazard and if so, shall require the removal of that appliance.

8. Decorations

A. Decorations are permitted within a reasonable amount. The use of decorations that cover an excessive amount of wall and/or door area are not permitted.

B. Highly combustible materials shall not be used for decorations. This can include, but is not limited to, cotton, crepe paper, straw, burlap, foam, and thermoplastics.

C. Live Christmas trees are prohibited in all on-campus housing.

D. Decorations shall be listed as "Flame Retardant."

E. Lighting shall be listed for its intended use and shall meet the criteria defined in 7(D).

F. Decorations shall be arranged in a manner so that they do not obstruct, obscure, or cover any component in a means of egress or any life safety component such as exit signs, emergency lighting, and fire protection equipment.

G. Decorations shall not be hung from or attached to ceilings.

H. Open flames are prohibited as part of any decoration.

I. Exterior decorations shall be self-supporting and not attached to the building structure.

J. Decorations must be removed prior to students vacating the premises for holidays or University breaks.

9. Motorized Equipment and Bicycles

A. Motorized equipment used for the transportation of the physically disabled is permitted within housing facilities. All other motorized

equipment is prohibited inside housing facilities, sleeping units, and dwelling units.

B. Bicycles are not permitted inside any University housing facility and are not permitted inside sleeping and dwelling units.

C. Motorized equipment and bicycles shall not be parked or left in front of any exterior door of a University housing facility.

D. Any motorized equipment or bicycle found in a condition that violates this policy is subject to impoundment by UKPD.

10. General Building

A. Smoking is prohibited on University property per Administrative Regulation 6:5.

B. Flammable liquids and/or gases are prohibited in residential buildings and in sleeping and dwelling units. No quantity of gasoline, lighter fluid, propane, kerosene, diesel, paint thinner, or any other substance defined by the NPFA as a flammable liquid and/or gas are allowed.

C. Walls shall not be covered in any material that is not part of the existing structure. Prohibited materials include, but not limited to, carpet, vinyl, plastics, fabric, burlap, paper, and wood.

D. Fireplaces shall not be operated unless written approval is given by the University Fire Marshal. Existing, approved fireplaces shall be maintained and cleaned by professional services annually. Written reports shall be submitted to the Office of the University Fire Marshal.

E. No combustible storage is permitted in any mechanical room or space, elevator machine rooms, concealed spaces, or in areas without sprinkler coverage.

F. No construction and/or renovation projects shall be undertaken unless reviewed and approved by the Office of the University Fire Marshal. Construction and/or renovation projects in progress without such approval shall be immediately discontinued. Unapproved, completed projects may require the removal of all materials and reverting any alterations to the original condition.

11. Inspections

A. Inspections of sleeping and dwelling units may be conducted at any time by the Office of the University Fire Marshal.

B. Findings and corrective actions will be provided in writing to the resident and designated University personnel within forty-eight (48) hours.

C. Corrective actions shall be determined based on the severity and/or number of violations. The University Fire Marshal and the Dean of Students shall determine the corrective actions. Corrective actions shall range from abatement or mitigation of the violations to closure of the facility.

Part II – Residence Halls

Procedures and requirements applicable to all residence halls.

1. Training

A. Each student living in residence halls and/or Greek Housing shall complete fire and life safety training at the beginning of each fall semester. Any student moving into residence halls and/or Greek Housing during the spring semester is required to complete fire and life safety training. Training shall consist of information and instruction on the location of exits, proper response to a fire alarm, activation of the fire alarm system, use of a portable fire extinguisher, and a list of emergency numbers.

B. Fire and life safety training shall be conducted or approved by the Office of the University Fire Marshal. Only training that has been approved in writing by the Office of the University Fire Marshal is considered acceptable.

C. Each student shall participate in a minimum of two fire drills: one during the fall semester and one during the spring semester. Fire drills shall be conducted by the Office of the University Fire Marshal or approved University personnel.

2. Resident Directors

A. In the event of a fire or fire alarm activation

- 1) Ensure that Resident Advisors have started evacuation procedures
- 2) Evacuate to the assigned meeting location.
- 3) Obtain information from the Resident Advisors as they evacuate the building.
- 4) Report to the responding fire personnel and relay any information gathered. Provide a status report which shall include the names of any person(s) that did not evacuate the facility.

B. Ensure that Resident Advisors, Staff Assistants, and Desk Clerks have read and understand the policies, emergency procedures, and general safety requirements.

C. Ensure that the Resident Advisors have scheduled and conducted fire and life safety training.

D. Conduct and evaluate fire drills.

E. Ensure that any fire alarms are immediately reported to UKPD.

F. Ensure that reports on fire drills are forwarded to the Office of the University Fire Marshal within forty-eight (48) hours following the drill.

G. Report discharged fire extinguishers to the Office of the University Fire Marshal.

H. Immediately report any violations of the requirements in Part I or as noted by Resident Advisors to the Office of the University Fire Marshal.

3. Resident Advisors

A. In the event of a fire or fire alarm activation

- 1) If conditions permit and it is safe to do so, check rooms on your way out of the building.
- 2) Ensure that occupants are evacuating.
- 3) Evacuate to the assigned meeting location.
- 4) Report the status of your floor and any observed conditions noted during the evacuation. The report shall include the names and/or locations of any person(s) that did not evacuate the facility.

B. Ensure that the evacuation plans are accurate, posted in every sleeping and dwelling unit as required, and that occupants understand the evacuation procedures.

C. Schedule and conduct fire and life safety training for all occupants with their area of responsibility.

D. Report any deficiencies in fire drills to the Resident Director.

E. Ensure the means of egress remains clear and unobstructed.

F. Ensure that the requirements in Part I are met. If violations are found, report them immediately to the Resident Director.

4. Desk Clerks

A. In the event of a fire or fire alarm activation

- 1) Gather the building roster and student ID box.
- 2) Evacuate to the assigned meeting location.
- 3) Report the status of the facility roster and number of guests/visitors to the Resident Director.

5. Fire Drills

- A. Two fire drills shall be conducted during each fall semester. The first drill shall be an announced walkthrough drill. The second drill shall be unannounced.
- B. One unannounced drill shall be conducted during the spring semester.
- C. Fire drills shall be reported to the Office of the University Fire Marshal via the online fire drill report within forty-eight (48) hours of the drill.
- D. The fire alarm shall be utilized for each drill.
- E. The Office of Residence Life shall schedule fire drills.

6. Inspections

- A. Residence Hall staff shall conduct fire and life safety inspections for their areas of responsibility each semester using the Residence Hall Self-Inspection Form. Results of these inspections shall be recorded and forwarded to the Office of the University Fire Marshal.
- B. The Office of the University Fire Marshal shall conduct walk through inspections of each Residence Hall at least once each semester. The Office of the University Fire Marshal reserves the right to conduct inspections as necessary.

Part II – Greek Housing

Procedures and requirements applicable to all Greek Housing located in buildings or on property owned by the University of Kentucky

1. Training

- A. Each student living in residence halls and/or Greek Housing shall complete fire and life safety training at the beginning of each fall semester. Any student moving into residence halls and/or Greek Housing during the spring semester is required to complete fire and life safety training. Training shall consist of information and instruction on the location of exits, proper response to a fire alarm, activation of the fire alarm system, use of a portable fire extinguisher, and a list of emergency numbers.
- B. Fire and life safety training shall be conducted or approved by the Office of the University Fire Marshal. Only training that has been approved in writing by the Office of the University Fire Marshal is considered acceptable.
- C. Each student shall participate in a minimum of two fire drills: one during the fall semester and one during the spring semester. Fire drills shall be conducted by the Office of the University Fire Marshal or approved University personnel.

2. President or Designee

- A. In the event of a fire or fire alarm activation
 - 1) Ensure that occupants have started evacuation procedures.
 - 2) Evacuate to the assigned meeting location.
 - 3) Obtain information from the occupants as they evacuate the building.
 - 4) Report to the responding fire personnel and relay any information gathered. Provide a status report which shall include the names of any person(s) that did not evacuate the facility.
- B. Ensure that all occupants have read and understand the policies, emergency procedures, and general safety requirements.
- C. Ensure that the fire and life safety training is scheduled and conducted within the first two weeks of each semester.
- D. Conduct and evaluate fire drills.

E. Ensure that any fire alarms are immediately reported to UKPD.

F. Ensure that reports on fire drills are forwarded to the Office of the University Fire Marshal within forty-eight (48) hours following the drill.

G. Report discharged fire extinguishers to the Office of the University Fire Marshal.

H. Ensure that the evacuation plans are accurate, posted in every sleeping and dwelling unit as required, and that occupants understand the evacuation procedures.

I. Ensure the means of egress remains clear and unobstructed.

J. Immediately report any violations of the requirements in Part I or as noted by occupants to the Office of the University Fire Marshal.

3. Fire Drills

A. Two fire drills shall be conducted during each fall semester. The first drill shall be an announced walkthrough drill. The second drill shall be unannounced.

B. One unannounced drill shall be conducted during the spring semester.

C. Fire drills shall be reported to the Office of the University Fire Marshal via the online fire drill report within forty-eight (48) hours of the drill.

D. The fire alarm shall be utilized for each drill.

E. The Office of Residence Life shall schedule fire drills.

4. Fire Alarm Equipment and Unintended Alarms

A. Chapters with excessive unintended alarms caused by vandalism, malicious use, or policy violations may result in disciplinary action including closure of the facility.

B. No members of the Greek organization or other occupants in Greek Housing facilities are permitted to silence, reset, activate, or otherwise interface with fire alarm system components. Any tampering with fire alarm system components may result in disciplinary action including removal from the facility and/or the University.

5. Required Inspections of Fire Protection Systems

A. Fire Alarm Systems

1) Each chapter shall be responsible for contacting University Physical Plant, Electronics Shop, or a certified fire alarm inspection company to schedule the testing and inspection of fire alarm systems.

2) If University personnel do not conduct the fire alarm testing and/or inspections, the chapter shall provide the testing and inspection reports to the Office of the University Fire Marshal.

3) Deficiencies noted on the testing and inspection report shall be corrected immediately.

4) Fire alarm inspections shall be completed annually.

B. Automatic Sprinkler Systems

1) Each chapter facility is included in the annual testing and inspections conducted by a third-party certified sprinkler inspector. University Physical Plant, Preventative Maintenance division shall be contacted to determine when these inspections are to occur.

2) Deficiencies noted on the testing and inspection report shall be corrected immediately.

3) Automatic sprinkler system inspections shall be completed annually.

C. Emergency Lighting and Exit Signs

1) Each chapter shall ensure that required emergency lighting and exit signs are always operational. If an exit sign or emergency light is found to be non-functional, it shall be repaired or replaced immediately.

2) 90-minute emergency light test shall be completed annually. A record of these tests shall be submitted to the Office of the University Fire Marshal.

D. Portable Fire Extinguishers

1) The Office of the University Fire Marshal is responsible for inspecting and maintaining extinguishers and will schedule inspections with each individual chapter.

2) If extinguishers are found to have been discharged or damaged by vandalism or malicious behavior, the chapter will be charged for replacements.

3) Fire extinguisher inspections will be completed annually.

E. Kitchen Hoods and Suppression Systems

1) Each chapter is responsible for contacting the appropriate vendor to inspect and clean the kitchen appliance hood and associated grease ducts.

2) Hood and grease duct inspection and cleaning shall be completed annually for most kitchens but may be required every six (6) months based on the frequency of use.

3) Each chapter is responsible for contacting the appropriate vendor to inspect and certify the hood fire suppression system.

4) Kitchen hood fire suppression system inspections shall be completed annually.

5) Reports obtained after hood inspections and cleaning and fire suppression inspections shall be submitted to the Office of the University Fire Marshal.

Appendix D: Crime Prevention and Awareness Programs Presented in 2025

Prevention, Outreach, and Wellness Education Resources (POWER)

NAME OF PROGRAM	DATE HELD	LOCATION HELD	TOPIC COVERED
Learning Bar – Interactive Alcohol Risk Reduction Education	Year-round	Hilary J. Boone Center	Interactive education, resource acquisition, and skill building for Alcohol Risk Reduction and Bystander Intervention
ScreenU	Year-round	Classes and Events Throughout Campus	Screening Brief Intervention and Referral to Treatment (S-BIRT) self-assessment for alcohol and cannabis
Staff Presentations	Year-round	Varies	Well-Being topics such as sexual health, stress management and mindfulness, holistic well-being
Mocktail Events	Year-round	Hilary J. Boone Center	Mocktail, non-alcoholic beverage, events promoting alcohol risk reduction belonging
Invest in Yourself Well-Being Challenge	Fall/Spring	Online and Campus	Initiative providing information, action items, and encouragement for students trying to increase their well-being across the 8 dimensions of wellness
Safe Rx	Year-round	Campus	Locking prescription bottles to deter theft of medication
Vector Solutions AlcoholEdu, Hazing, and Sexual Assault Prevention Online Education	Bi-annual	Online	Primary education and resources for alcohol and other substances; connection to on-campus resources and support; harm reduction strategies to reduce harmful substance use behaviors
Fraternity and Sorority Life (FSL) Curriculum	Year-round	Throughout Campus	All first-year FSL members are required to complete the Alcohol 101 training Program to increase education and awareness to reduce harmful drinking and hazing and increase active by standing. Additionally, second- year FSL students must complete the in person hazing prevention program.
Student Wellness Ambassadors/Certified Peer Educators	Year-round	Throughout Campus	Student-led initiatives regarding AOD, Stress management, Holistic Well-Being, Student Success Strategies, Bystander Intervention, Sexual Health, Healthy Relationships
Question, Persuade, and Refer Suicide Prevention Training	Year-round	Online	Bystander strategies for suicide prevention
Well-a-palooza	09/17/2025	Gatton Student Center	Health and Wellness resources (locations, services, programs, etc.)

Office of Wellness Initiatives for Student Empowerment (continued)

Mocktoberfest	10/01/2025	The 90	Interactive mocktail event promoting alcohol education and holistic wellness for students, featuring non-alcoholic beverages.
Fresh Check Day ®	10/01/2025	Barker Plaza	Event focused on mental health, holistic well-being and resources
Recovery Ally Training	Ongoing	Throughout Campus	Informational session focused on understanding addiction, intervention, and how to support those in recovery
Graduate Group Health and Wellness Coaching	Ongoing	Virtual	Health and Wellness support for graduate students
Let's Connect (For Real)	Ongoing	Virtual	The importance of connection and strategies how to develop relationships and make new friends
Connection Groups	Ongoing	In person and virtual	Small groups of students meet to promote a sense of belonging and connection
Recovery Meetings	Weekly	Hilary J. Boone Center	Group self-recovery support
Let's Argue Respectfully	Ongoing	Virtual	Strategies to effectively manage conflict
Spring Break Trivia Thursday	03/12/2025	The Cat's Den	Alcohol risk reduction
Collegiate Recovery Program Events	Ongoing	Varies	Connection and community for students in recovery
Night Cap Distribution	Ongoing	Throughout Campus	The importance of connection and strategies for how to develop relationships and make new friends
Student-led events, activities, and presentations	Ongoing	Varies	Initiatives to educate students on a variety of well-being related topics and university resources
First night	09/03/2025	Jewell Hall	Alcohol risk reduction and resources at a time of increased risk among a student subpopulation
BOO! at Boone	09/03/2025	Hilary J. Boone Center	Promotion of alcohol risk reduction, sexual health, Blueprint Sessions and Intuitive Eating and Body Image via a mocktail event

Office of Wellness Initiatives for Student Empowerment (continued)

Education Abroad at the Learning Bar	04/16, 23, and 28/2025	Hilary J. Boone Center	Custom Learning Bar sessions for students studying abroad, alcohol risk reduction and alcohol related information for the countries they will be visiting
Blueprint Sessions	Ongoing	Varies	Student 1:1 sessions with a health and wellness coach to reflect on their well-being and create goals and create a plan for improvement
Nicotine Cessation	Ongoing	Varies	Confidential, non-judgmental 1:1 sessions with a nicotine cessation coach where students gain tools and resources to build a realistic plan to manage cravings and triggers
BASICS/CASICS	Ongoing	Online	1:1 sessions for students to reflect on alcohol or cannabis use and using a risk reduction model, work with a facilitator to create a plan that aligns with their goals
Collegiate Recovery Program (CRP)	11/18/2025	Kentucky Kernel	The Kentucky Kernal student newspaper interviewed staff and students then published an article on the CRP and recovery support on campus
Collegiate Recovery Program (CRP)	02/05/2025	UKNow	University newsletter published an article about the CRP and its services. The article was picked up and published by a local news outlet

Center for Support and Intervention (CSI)

TITLE	DATE	LOCATION
CARES First Gen Kickoff Kickback and Resource Fair	01/13/2025	Gatton Student Center
SEC Meeting - Arts & sciences	01/13/2025	Zoom
SEC/Liaison Meeting - College of Education	01/14/2025	Teams
SEC Meeting - Public Health	01/16/2025	Zoom
College of Arts and Sciences- College Liaison Meeting With Advisors	01/21/2025	Patterson Office Tower
SEC/Liaison Meeting - College of Design	01/22/2025	Teams
Success Fair	01/29/2025	Gatton Student Center
SEC Meeting - College of Social Work	01/30/2025	Zoom
SEC/CSI Liaison Meeting - College of Pharmacy	01/30/2025	Zoom
SEC Meeting - Health Sciences	02/06/2025	Zoom

Center for Support and Intervention (CSI) (continued)

SEC Meeting - College of Fine Arts	02/6/2025	Zoom
SEC Meeting - B&E	02/10/2025	Zoom
Advising Network	02/14/2025	College of Nursing 115
Liaison Meeting - B&E Advising	02/18/2025	Gatton Business and Economics
SEC Meeting - Nursing, Ag, Engineering	02/18/2025	Zoom
Merit Day	03/01/2025	Gatton Student Center
Merit Day	03/8/2025	Gatton Student Center
SEC Meeting - Public Health	03/17/2025	Zoom
SEC Meeting - Arts & sciences	03/19/2025	Zoom
Merit Day	03/21/2025	Gatton Student Center
Merit Day	03/22/2025	Gatton Student Center
Fresh Check Day	03/25/2025	Gatton Student Center
Retention presentation	03/28/2025	Law School
Sexual Violence Awareness and Prevention Resource Fair	04/14/2025	Barker Plaza
Bluegrass Day - Orientation	04/02/2025	Gatton Student Center
Summer Term BBNO	05/16/2025	Gatton Student Center
Transfer BBNO	06/05/2025	Gatton Student Center
Summer Term BBNO	06/06/2025	Gatton Student Center
BBNOs	07/16/2025	Gatton Student Center

Center for Support and Intervention (CSI) (continued)

BBNOs	06/17/2025	Gatton Student Center
BBNOs	06/18/2025	Gatton Student Center
Transfer BBNO	06/23/2025	Gatton Student Center
BBNOs	06/24/2025	Gatton Student Center
BBNOs	06/25/2025	Gatton Student Center
BBNOs	06/26/2025	Gatton Student Center
BBNOs	06/27/2025	Gatton Student Center
BBNOs	06/30/2025	Gatton Student Center
BBNOs	07/01/2025	Gatton Student Center
BBNOs	07/02/2025	Gatton Student Center
Virtual BBNO (Freshmen and Transfer Students)	07/03/2025	Zoom
BBNOs	07/07/2025	Gatton Student Center
BBNOs	07/08/2025	Gatton Student Center
BBNOs	07/09/2025	Gatton Student Center
BBNOs	07/10/2025	Gatton Student Center
Transfer BBNO	07/11/2025	Gatton Student Center
Residence Life Training for Pro Staff	07/29/2025	Zoom
Presentation	08/05/2025	Gatton Student Center
Presentation	08/07/2025	Zoom

Center for Support and Intervention (CSI) (continued)

Presentation	08/11/2025	Gatton Student Center
RA Resource Fair	08/12/2025	Jacob's Science Center
Tabling	08/13/2025	Gatton Student Center
Residence Life Training for RA's	08/14/2025	Chem/Phys Room 222
Tabling	08/19/2025	Gatton Student Center
Tabling	08/20/2025	Gatton Student Center
Tabling	08/20/2025	Gatton Student Center
Presentation/Interactive	8/20/2025	Gatton Student Center
College of Education K Week Academic Day	08/21/2025	Seton Hall Gymnasium
CARES First Gen Kickback Celebration and Fair	08/24/2025	Engineering Quad Courtyard
Presentation/Recorded	09/04/2025	Zoom
Get Help Presentation	09/05/2025	Zoom
MLK Center Cookout	09/05/2025	Main Lawn
Training - First Year Support	09/16/2025	Gatton Student Center
CSI detailed overview	09/17/2025	Teams
Tabling/Interactive	09/17/2025	Barker Plaza
After Office Hours - Panel Representation and Merch Repping CSI	09/17/2025	Baldwin Hall
Presentation	09/22/2025	Miller Hall Rm 101
Presentation	09/22/2025	Funkhouser 208

Center for Support and Intervention (CSI) (continued)

CoC Team Overview and Get Help Form	10/06/2025	Zoom
Presentation	10/13/2025	283 Jacobs Science Building
Presentation	10/29/2025	RMB 309
Presentation	10/30/2025	Jewell Hall 202
Presentation	11/03/2025	College of Public Health Research Facility #1 rm. 115 LEC
Student Safety Meeting	11/03/2025	Zoom
Support following loss of professor	11/25/2025	COHS
Support following loss of professor	12/01/2025	College of Health Sciences Room 217
Presentation	12/03/2025	Jewell Hall 202
Presentation	12/03/2025	Gatton Student Center
Support following loss of student	12/04/2025	TH Morgan

Triage, Referral, Assistance, and Crisis Support (TRACS)/Basic Needs

NAME OF PROGRAM	NUMBER OF PROGRAMS	TOPIC	AUDIENCE
Mental Health Screening & Awareness	2	Community-based screening initiatives focused on mental health, substance use, and disordered eating awareness and early identification.	General Campus
Mental Health & Wellbeing	13	Educational presentations and skill-building workshops designed to increase mental health awareness, reduce stigma, strengthen coping strategies, and promote overall wellbeing.	College of Arts & Sciences, ACP/AMP students, CARES First, Student Government Association, University Behavioral Health Center, Student Organizations, POWER, Marting Luther King Center, College of Engineering
Mental Health & Wellbeing	12	Outreach and engagement programming focused on emotional wellness, resilience, stress management, and student support resources.	Campus Community and Student Groups
Mental Health Training/Debriefing	3	Training and consultation sessions designed to support student leaders and staff in responding to student mental health concerns and crisis situations.	Resident Advisors/Directors
Grief Debriefing	4	Supportive debriefing and psychoeducational sessions provided in response to student and faculty deaths or other traumatic campus events.	Student Athletics, College of Health Sciences, College of Business

UKPD Community Affairs

DATE HELD	EVENT	LOCATION HELD
01/07/2025	Security Walkthrough	Boyd County Office
01/22/2025	Active Attack presentation CPI Healthcare Training Turfland Training Center	CPI Healthcare Training Turfland Training Center
01/23/2025	Active Attack presentation Blazer Hall 101's Classroom	Blazer Hall 101's Classroom
01/04/2025	K9 Hudson Visit	Counseling Office
02/06/2025	Stuckert Student Assistant's Safety Training	Stuckert Career Center - Library
02/07/2025	Active Attack presentation	Woodland Glen IV 100E1's classroom
02/11/2025	K9 Hudson Visit	Counseling Office
02/13/2025	Security Walkthrough	Fleming County Office
02/13/2025	AFROTC SafeCats Safety Talk	Buell Armory
02/18/2025	De- Escalation Training	The 90
02/18/2025	K9 Hudson Visit	Counseling Office
02/19/2025	Active Attack presentation	CPI Healthcare Training Turfland Training Center
02/21/2025	Active Attack presentation	CPI Healthcare Training Turfland Training Center
02/24/2025	CPA Start	The 90
02/26/2025	Safety Assessment	Moloney Building
03/04/2025	K9 Hudson Visit	Counseling Office
03/11/2025	RA & RD Question and Answer	Main Campus
03/14/2025	Student Interview for CJ Student	Main Campus
03/21/2025	Security Walkthrough	Bosworth Building
03/25/2025	Fresh Check Event for Counseling Office	Main Campus
03/26/2025	CoSW ALERRT Training Planning	Patterson Office Tower
03/28/2025	Active Attack presentation	CPI Healthcare Training Turfland Training Center
04/01/2025	Security Walkthrough	Alpha Delta Pi House
04/02/2025	Active Attack presentation	CPI Healthcare Training Turfland Training Center
04/08/2025	K9 Hudson Visit	Counseling Office
04/15/2025	Security Walkthrough	WUKY (2640 Spurr Rd)

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04/15/2025	K9 Hudson Visit	Counseling Office
04/15/2025	K9 Hudson Visit	Counseling Office
04/22/2025	Security Assessment	Chandler Central Pharmacy
04/22/2025	Security Assessment	Bosworth Building
04/25/2025	Active Attack presentation	CPI Healthcare Training Turfland Training Center
04/30/2025	Attack presentation	Cpi Healthcare Training Turfland Training Center
05/07/2025	Nurses Awards	Chandler Hospital
05/14/2025	Active Attack presentation	CPI Healthcare Training Turfland Training Center
05/20/2025	Security Walkthrough	Chandler Central Pharmacy
05/22/2025	K9 Hudson Visit	UK Appreciation Day Kroger Field
05/23/2025	Active Attack presentation	Cpi Healthcare Training Turfland Training Center
06/06/2025	Special Olympics Torch Run	On and Off Campus in Lexington, KY
06/10/2025	Situational Awareness	MN 363 Dentistry
06/16/2025	BBN Freshman Orientations	Gatton Student Center
06/16/2025	Upward Bound Q&A	Main Campus
06/17/2025	BBN Freshman Orientations	Gatton Student Center
06/18/2025	BBN Freshman Orientations	Gatton Student Center
06/20/2025	Active Attack presentation	CPI Healthcare Training Turfland Training Center
06/30/2025	BBN Freshman Orientations	Gatton Student Center
07/01/2025	BBN Freshman Orientations	Gatton Student Center
07/02/2025	BBN Freshman Orientations	Gatton Student Center
07/07/2025	BBN Freshman Orientations	Gatton Student Center
07/08/2025	BBN Freshman Orientations	Gatton Student Center
07/09/2025	Active Attack presentation	CPI Healthcare Training Turfland Training Center
07/09/2025	BBN Freshman Orientations	Gatton Student Center
07/10/2025	BBN Freshman Orientations	Gatton Student Center
07/11/2025	K9 Hudson Visit	PNC Bank in Student Center

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08/07/2025	Green Dot Push	Downtown Lexington
08/12/2025	Campus Resource Fair	Jacob Science Building
08/12/2025	K9 and Counseling event	Student Center
08/13/2025	Graduate Student Resource Fair	Gatton Student Center Ballroom 212A & B
08/13/2025	Cat Chat Live	Online
08/19/2025	Tech Takeover	Cornerstone
08/20/2025	Tech Takeover	Cornerstone
08/21/2025	Tech Takeover	Cornerstone
08/21/2025	M-G Café Resource Fair Garrigus	Alumini Plaza
08/23/2025	Catapalooza Resource Fair	Gatton Student Center
08/25/2025	SafeCats Meeting	Buell Armory
08/26/2025	CCERT Active Aggressor	UKPD Training Room
08/27/2025	Situational Awareness	University Health Services Room 130
08/28/2025	ROTC Workout	Pieretts Field
08/28/2025	ROTC Meeting	Gatton Student Center
08/29/2025	Active Attack presentation	Cpi Healthcare Training Turfland Training Center
08/29/2025	K9 Hudson Visit and Active Aggressor	Frazee Hall
09/02/2026	K9 Hudson Visit	Counseling Office
09/03/2025	Active Attack presentation	CPI Healthcare Training Turfland Training Center
09/03/2025	Check-In & Chick'n	Jewell Hall
09/8/2025	Security Survey	Fayette County Extension Office
09/09/2026	K9 Hudson Visit	Counseling Office
09/11/2025	ROTC Active Aggressor Train	Student Center
09/12/2025	Hudson and De Escalation Training	Frazee Hall
09/16/2025	Safety Meeting and Q&A	Research Facility 1
09/17/2025	Well-a- palooza	GSC Barker Plaza
09/19/2025	K9 Hudson Visit	Kroger Field

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09/22/2025	Active Attack	Gatton Student Center
09/22/2025	Fall CPA Start	The 90
09/24/2025	Active Attack presentation	Lewis College
09/26/2025	Active Attack presentation	CPI Healthcare Training Turfland Training Center
10/01/2025	Active Attack presentation	CPI Healthcare Training Turfland Training Center
10/07/2025	K9 Hudson Visit	Student Center
10/13/2025	Coffee with a Cop MLK Center	Gatton Student Center
10/14/2025	Active Aggressor Presentation	The 90
10/15/2025	K9 Hudson Visit	Good Sam Hospital
10/16/2025	Active Aggressor Presentation	UK HealthCare
10/16/2025	K9 Hudson Visit	Good Sam Hospital
10/17/2025	Active Attack presentation	Cpi Healthcare Training Turfland Training Center
10/17/2025	De-Escalation Training	Dickey Hall
10/20/2025	K9 Hudson Visit CPA K9 Night	The 90
10/21/2025	K9 Hudson Visit	Student Center
10/24/2025	Active Aggressor Presentation	Alumni Suite
10/28/2025	Active Attack presentation	WT Young Library
10/30/2025	Red Ribbon Week visit	Julius Marks Elementary
10/31/2025	Reverse Trick or Treat Parade	Kentucky Children's Hospital
11/03/2025	Active Attack presentation	Fayette County Extension Office
11/07/2025	Active Attack Presentation	Fayette County Extension Office
11/07/2025	BBN Spring Orientation	Gatton Student Center
11/11/2025	RA Event with Drunk Goggles	Holmes Hall
11/12/2025	Active Attack presentation	Turfland Training Center
11/12/2025	Active Attack Presentation	WT Young Library
11/13/2025	Active Attack presentation	College of Law
11/13/2025	Fayette Co Career Fair	Tates Creek HS

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11/14/2025	Res Life Training w/ New NOA staff	Woodland Glen 4
11/19/2025	De-Escalation Training	Alumni Park Plaza
11/25/2025	K9 Hudson Visit (Anderson co Fire Chief)	Baptist Health
11/25/2025	K9 Hudson Visit	Counseling Office
12/02/2025	K9 Hudson Visit	Counseling Office
12/08/2025	Fraternity Meet and Greet for Tor Drop Off	UKPD
12/09/2025	K9 Hudson Visit	Counseling Office
12/10/2025	Active Attack presentation	Turfland Training Center

Office of Student Conduct

NAME OF PROGRAM	DATE HELD	LOCATION HELD	TOPIC COVERED
CARES First Generation Resource Fair	01/13/2025	Harris Ballroom	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
Circle Process Tier 1	01/16/2025	JSB 161N	An overview of circle processes as a whole and facilitation techniques for hosting community building RJ circles
FSL Leader Training	01/16/2025	Harris Ballroom	Process overview, key policies, amnesty, standards of org conduct
Spring Involvement Fair	01/23/2026	Gatton Student Center	General information on OSC, hearing board and student conduct advisor recruitment
Lunch & Learn: The Restorative Action Blueprint	02/04/2025	Gatton Student Center 331	Restorative Action Planning for resident directors.
The Forum: Real Talk, Real Solutions	02/13/2025	Gatton Student Center Senate Chamber	Panel discussion about campus safety, University policies, and resources for students experiencing interpersonal violence
Chellgren Hall Pop-Up	02/10/2025	Chellgren Hall Lobby	Dixon v. Alabama, due process, student conduct process overview
Circle Process Tier I	02/21/2025	Patterson Hall 305	An overview of circle processes as a whole and facilitation techniques for hosting community building RJ circles
Haggin Hall Pop-Up	02/17/2025	Haggin Hall Lobby	Dixon v. Alabama, due process, student conduct process overview
Holmes Hall Pop-Up	02/18/2025	Holmes Hall Lobby	Dixon v. Alabama, due process, student conduct process overview
University Flats Pop-Up	02/26/2025	University Flats Lobby	Dixon v. Alabama, due process, student conduct process overview

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University Flats Pop-Up	02/26/2025	University Flats Lobby	Dixon v. Alabama, due process, student conduct process overview
University Flats Pop-Up	02/26/2025	University Flats Lobby	Dixon v. Alabama, due process, student conduct process overview
Merit Day Orientation Tabling	03/01/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
RSO Advisor Workshop-Conflict Management	03/03/2025	Zoom	How to support student organizations who are experiencing conflict
Merit Day Orientation Tabling	03/08/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
Circle Process Tier Two Training	03/20/2025-03/21/2025	Patterson Hall	Training on circle processes and facilitation techniques for hosting dialogue and conflict circles
Merit Day Orientation Tabling	03/21/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
Merit Day Orientation Tabling	03/22/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
IFC Judicial Board Training	04/01/2025	Frazer 112	Skills-based training on peer accountability, conflict resolution and standards processes for IFC J-Board
Sexual Assault Awareness & Prevention Month Resource Fair Tabling	04/14/2025	Barker Plaza	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
Enhancing Transparency: Student Org Conduct Changes	04/24/2025	Zoom	Webinar for student organization leaders, advisors, and national organization staff regarding Campus Hazing Transparency Report
Bluegrass Day – Big Blue Nation Orientation (BBNO)	05/02/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
First Year Experience Ambassador Training	06/03/2025	Gatton Student Center Senate Chamber	Office overview, how to make a report, and how to refer a student to services
Circle Process Tier I	06/04/2025	Grehan 201	An overview of circle processes as a whole and facilitation techniques for hosting community building RJ circles
Transfer Student BBNO	06/06/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
BBNO	06/16/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
BBNO	06/17/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
BBNO	06/18/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
BBNO	06/23/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
BBNO	06/24/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services

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BBNO	06/25/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
BBNO	06/26/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
BBNO	06/27/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
BBNO	06/30/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
BBNO	07/01/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
BBNO	07/02/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
BBNO	07/07/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
BBNO	07/08/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
BBNO	07/11/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
Resident Director Conflict Management Training	07/24/2025	The 90 203	Skills for facilitating resolution of conflict and supporting students through interpersonal conflict
Returning RD Conduct Officer Training	07/28/2025	The 90 203	Data review and skill development for conduct officers
Cat Chat Live: College Conflict & Family Support	07/30/2025	Zoom	Strategies for families to support students in conflict
New Conduct Officer Training	07/31/2025	Frazee 313	Basics of holding informal meetings, best practices for question asking, and how to determine responsibility based on preponderance
New Conduct Officer Training-Maxient	08/01/2025	Frazee 313	Training on the Maxient student conduct database
Circle Process Tier I	08/05/2025	JSB 321	An overview of circle processes as a whole and facilitation techniques for hosting community building RJ circles
FSL House Director Training	08/05/2025	Gatton Student Center Senate Chamber	Conduct process overview, how and when to report, collaborations
RA Training Resource Fair	08/12/2025	JSB Atrium	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
RA Conflict Management Training	08/12/2025	JSB 121	Skills for facilitating resolution of conflict and supporting students through interpersonal conflict
Conflict Management Skills for BIO 155 TAs	08/13/2025	Thomas H. Morgan Bio Sciences 108	Skills for facilitating resolution of conflict and supporting students through interpersonal conflict in the academic space
BBNO	08/18/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services

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Student Athlete Conduct & Accountability (W. Soccer)	08/15/2025	Nutter Training Facility	Community expectations and conduct overview
Student Athlete Conduct & Accountability (M. Soccer)	08/18/2025	Bell Soccer Complex	Community expectations and conduct overview
Student Athlete Conduct & Accountability (M. Ten, M. Golf, Dance)	08/19/2025	Nutter Training Facility	Community expectations and conduct overview
Student Athlete Conduct & Accountability Cheer	08/19/2025	Nutter Training Facility	Community expectations and conduct overview
Student Athlete Conduct & Accountability (Baseball; M/W Swim)	08/20/2025	Nutter Training Facility	Community expectations and conduct overview
BBNO	08/20/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
Lewis Launch Resource Fair	08/20/2025	Gatton Student Center Ballroom C	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
Student Athlete Conduct & Accountability (Gymnastics)	08/21/2025	Nutter Field House	Community expectations and conduct overview
Conflict Management Skills for LGBTQ* Resource Center Staff	08/21/2025	LGBTQ* Resource Center	Skills for facilitating resolution of conflict and supporting students through interpersonal conflict
Student Athlete Conduct & Accountability (Track & Field)	08/21/2025	Nutter Training Facility	Community expectations and conduct overview
Student Athlete Conduct & Accountability (Rifle & W. Golf)	08/21/2025	Nutter Training Facility	Community expectations and conduct overview
IFC Full Council Training	08/21/2025	Good Barn	2024-2025 year in review, general conduct expectations, policies and procedures, important policies to be aware of, additional resources OSC provides
Panhellenic Council Recruitment Counselors-Amnesty	08/21/2025	JSB 321	Amnesty policy and process overview
Student Athlete Conduct & Accountability (Volleyball)	08/22/2025	Wildcat Coal Lodge	Community expectations and conduct overview
CARES First Generation Kickoff Kickback Resource Fair	08/24/2025	Engineering Courtyard	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
Student Athlete Resource Fair	08/24/2025	Historic Memorial Coliseum	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
Student Athlete Conduct & Accountability (W. Basketball)	08/22/2025	CATS Bridge Conference Room	Community expectations and conduct overview
Club Sports Training	08/26/2025	Gatton Student Center Cat's Den	Process overview, key policies, amnesty, standards of org conduct
UK 101 Class	08/27/2025	Barker Hall	General overview of the Code of Student Conduct and amnesty policy
LaborStay Street Fair	08/29/2025	Library parking lot	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services

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Check In & Chik'n	09/03/2025	Jewell Hall	Alcohol safety programming-amnesty policy review
FSL Student Leader Conduct Training	09/03/2025	Gatton Student Center Ballrooms	Process overview, key policies, amnesty, standards of org conduct
Investigator Training	09/05/2025	Frazee 112	investigation process, interviewing skills
MLK Center Cook Out	09/05/2025	Stoll Field	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
Student Conduct Advisor Training	09/05/2025	Frazee 112	OSC Conduct Process and Advisor role
Leadership & Service LLP: Recognizing Conflict & Resetting Expectations	09/09/2025	Patterson Hall	Conflict resolution workshop on conflict identification and deescalation skills
Roommate Games-Conflict Tips & Tricks	09/09/2025	The 90	Conflict resolution skills tabling
Roommates, Roommates, Roommates!	09/10/2025	Pigman Hall Large Classroom	conflict styles, conflict tips, resources for navigating conflict
Wellapalooza	09/17/2025	Barker Plaza	Social dimension of wellness-- Interpersonal conflict services and skills + amnesty
ASB Site Leader Conflict Resolution Training	09/18/2025	Frazee 112	Skills for facilitating resolution of conflict and supporting students through interpersonal conflict
Mocktoberfest	10/01/2025	Lewis Hall Courtyard	Alcohol policy and amnesty information tabling
Skill & Chill: Student Organizations and Early Intervention	10/07/2025	Gatton Student Center 231	Recognizing early signs on organizational misconduct and connecting behavior to organizations
UK 101 Class	10/08/2025	Fine Arts Bldg. 308B	OSC Overview, Conflict Management Services, Amnesty
Roommates, Roommates, Roommates!	10/08/2025	JSB 221	conflict styles, conflict tips, resources for navigating conflict
UK 101 Class	10/13/2025	Miller Hall 101	OSC Overview, Conflict Management Services, Amnesty
Conduct Officer Training	10/20/2025	Frazee 313	Basics of holding informal meetings, best practices for question asking, and how to determine responsibility based on preponderance. Training on Maxient database.
UK 101 Class	10/27/2025	MDS 333	General information on OSC, Conflict Resolution services, Amnesty
Circle Process Tier II Training	10/27/2025 & 10/28/2025	The 90 217	Training on circle processes and facilitation techniques for hosting dialogue and conflict circles
UK 101 Class	11/03/2025	Boyd Hall Classroom	OSC Overview, Conflict Management Services, Amnesty
Skill & Chill: Asking Questions	11/04/2025	Gatton Student Center 375	Tips and tricks for conduct officers to improve questioning

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BBNO	11/07/2025	Gatton Student Center	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services
ResLife Winter Marker	11/19/2025	Lewis Courtyard	Office overview, amnesty policy and conflict resolution services

University of Kentucky Counseling Center (UKCC)

PROGRAM	NUMBER OF PROGRAMS	TOPIC	AUDIENCE
QPR	9	Suicide Prevention	Residence Life, Fraternity and Sorority Life, CARES First Gen, College of Pharmacy
Grief Debriefing	3	Supporting students and employees following a student or employee death.	College of Health Sciences, College of Dentistry
Mental Health Screening Day and Awareness Events	1	Community screening for mental health, substance use, disordered eating	General Campus
Mental Health and Wellbeing	33	Education and skill building about mental health, reducing stigma, and improving wellbeing.	Society of Postdoctoral Scholars, Gatton College of Business and Economics, Parent and Family Programs, MLK Center, National Panhellenic Council, AFROTC, International Center, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Department of Chemistry, College of Arts & Sciences, Department of Physical Therapy, College of Law, UK Online, Residence Life, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Graduate School, Fraternity and Sorority Life, Disability Resource Center, Biosystems and Ag Engineering

Appendix E: Resources

University of Kentucky Police Department

152 Transcript Avenue

Emergency: 911 from a campus land line
#UKPD from a cell phone

Non-Emergency: 859-257-1616

<https://police.uky.edu/>

Crisis Management and Preparedness

152 Transcript Avenue

(859) 218-8174

<https://police.uky.edu/crisis-management-and-preparedness>

Campus Wildcard Office

Suite A380, Gatton Student Center

(859) 257-1378

Room A.00.807 Chandler Hospital

(859) 323-2356

<https://wildcard.uky.edu/>

Equal Opportunity

Patterson Office Tower, 18th Floor

(859) 257-8927

In case of emergency, contact UKPD

<https://oeo.uky.edu/>

Dean of Students

301 Frazee Hall

(859) 257-3754

<https://www.uky.edu/deanofstudents/>

VIP Center

C316 Gatton Student Center

(859) 257-3574

<https://www.uky.edu/vipcenter/>

Office of LGBTQ* Resources

A250 Gatton Student Center

(859) 218-4816

<https://studentsuccess.uky.edu/lgbtq-resources>

Center for Support and Intervention

Frazee Hall, 3rd Floor

(859) 257-3755

<https://www.uky.edu/concern/>

TRACS (Triage, Referral, Assistance, and Crisis Support)

C316 Gatton Student Center

(859) 218-7227

<https://studentsuccess.uky.edu/tracs>

Office of Student Conduct

Frazee Hall, 3rd Floor

(859) 257-3755

<https://www.uky.edu/studentconduct/>

Counseling Center

104 Mandrell Hall

(859) 257-8701

<https://www.uky.edu/counselingcenter/>

Human Resources

112 Scovell Hall

(859) 257-9555

<https://hr.uky.edu/>

Veterans Resource Center

2 Erickson Hall

(859) 257-1148

<https://studentsuccess.uky.edu/veterans-resource-center>

Disability Resource Center

725 Rose Street

859-257-2754

<https://www.uky.edu/DisabilityResourceCenter/>

International Student and Scholar Services

Bradley Hall

(859) 323-2106

<https://international.uky.edu/iss>

Stuckert Career Center

408 Rose Street

(859) 257-2746

<https://www.uky.edu/careercenter/students>

Appendix F: Primary Prevention and Awareness Programs

2025 Primary Prevention and Awareness Programs

DATE	NAME OF PROGRAM	AUDIENCE	TOPICS COVERED
01/14/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Staff	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
01/28/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
02/12/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Staff	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
02/13/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Staff	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
02/25/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
03/04/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
03/18/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Staff	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
04/01/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
04/15/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Staff	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
04/17/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Staff	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
06/13/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Staff	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
08/12/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Residence Life Staff	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
08/13/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Residence Life LLP Peer Mentors	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
08/21/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Staff (KWeek)	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
08/24/2025	SVU Tabling Event	CARES/First Generation Welcome Resource Fair Participants	Primary Prevention, Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
09/03/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
09/08/2025	SVU Presentation	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention, Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
09/09/2025	Green Dot Workshop	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander

2025 Primary Prevention and Awareness Programs (continued)

09/09/2025	Green Dot Workshop	UKHC Staff	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
09/15/2025	SVU Presentation	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention, Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
09/21/2025	Green Dot Overview	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
09/21/2025	Consent Culture	Social Work Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
09/22/2025	Green Dot Overview	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
09/22/2025	SVU Presentation	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention, Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
09/23/2025	SVU Presentation	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention, Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
09/24/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
09/24/2025	SVU Presentation	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention, Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
09/28/2025	Green Dot Overview	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
09/28/2025	Consent Culture	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
10/01/2025	Green Dot Overview	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
10/05/2025	Green Dot Overview	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
10/07/2025	Green Dot Overview	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
10/08/2025	Green Dot Workshop	The Learning Bar	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
10/08/2025	SVU Presentation	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention, Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
10/12/2025	Green Dot Overview	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
10/12/2025	Green Dot Overview	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
10/13/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
10/14/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander

2025 Primary Prevention and Awareness Programs (continued)

10/20/2025	Green Dot Overview	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
10/28/2025	Green Dot Overview	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
11/04/2025	Green Dot Overview	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
11/04/2025	Green Dot Overview	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
11/05/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Cares First Generation Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
11/06/2025	Green Dot Overview	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
11/13/2025	Green Dot Overview	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
11/17/2025	Consent Culture	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
11/17/2025	Green Dot Overview	SHAC Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
11/17/2025	SVU Presentation	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention, Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
11/19/2025	Green Dot Overview	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
11/19/2025	Green Dot Overview	UK 101 Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander
12/09/2025	Green Dot Workshop	Students	Primary Prevention; Active Bystander

Appendix G: Ongoing Prevention and Awareness Programs

2025 Ongoing Prevention and Awareness Programs

DATE	NAME OF PROGRAM	TOPICS COVERED
01/09/2025	VIP Overview	Secondary Prevention
01/13/2025	Cares First Generation Kickoff Event	Tabling

2025 Ongoing Prevention and Awareness Programs (continued)

01/29/2025	SGA Resource Fair	Tabling
02/04/2025	VIP Tabling Event	Green Dot
02/10/2025	VIP Tabling Event	Green Dot
02/11/2025	VIP Tabling Event	Green Dot
02/13/2025	VIP Tabling Event	Green Dot
02/13/2025	UKPD SVU Participated in It's On Us and SGA's Campus Safety Town Hall	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
03/25/2025	Fresh Check Day	Tabling
03/25/2025	UKPD SVU tabled at POWER's Fresh Check Day	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
03/27/2025	UKPD SVU Behind the Blue Podcast	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
03/27/2025	UKPD SVU Presentation of CJ 123 Students	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
04/01/2025	UKPD SVU Presentation of GWS 200 Students	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
04/07/2025	UKPD SVU Presentation to Citizens Police Academy	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
04/11/2025	VIP Overview	Secondary Prevention Activities
04/14/2025	VIP Tabling – SAAPM Resource Fair	Tabling, Awareness
04/14/2025	UKPD SVU co-hosted Sexual Violence Awareness and Prevention Resource Fair	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
04/16/2025	UKPD SVU co-hosted Craft and Cope Workshop	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
04/16/2025	AAPM Survivor Self-Care Event	Awareness
04/18/2026	Wake Up Lex Tabling	Tabling; Awareness

2025 Ongoing Prevention and Awareness Programs (continued)

04/26/2025	Denim day Fashion Show Tabling	Tabling; Awareness
04/29/25	How to Help a Friend	Secondary Prevention
04/30/2025	Denim Day Tabling	Tabling; Awareness
04/30/2025	UKPD SVU tabled at Gatton Student Center for Denim Day	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
05/06/2025	How to Help a Friend	Secondary Prevention
08/12/2025	UKPD SVU participated in Residence Life's Campus Resource Fair	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
08/13/2025	UKPD SVU participated in Graduate Student Resource Fair	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
08/19-21/2025	UKPD SVU tabled at Tech Takeover	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
09/03/2025	UKPD SVU participated in Residence Life's First Night Out programming	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
09/17/2025	UKPD SVU tabled at POWER's Wellapalooza	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
09/17/2025	UKPD SVU presentation at LGBTQ* Resources	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
09/17/2025	UKPD SVU participated in Residence Life's After Office Hours	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
09/30/2025	UKPD SVU presented to CJ 328	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
10/01/2025	UKPD SVU tabled at Residence Life's Mocktoberfest	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
10/07/2025	UKPD SVU presented to CJ 123	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
10/09/2025	UKPD SVU tabled for Domestic Violence Awareness	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
10/16/2025	UKPD SVU participated in #PurpleThursday	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
10/16/2025	UKPD SVU presentation at LGBTQ* Resources	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking

2025 Ongoing Prevention and Awareness Programs (continued)

10/21/2025	UKPD SVU Tabled at VIP Center's Clothesline Project	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
10/22/2025	UKPD SVU presented to CJ 328	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
10/23/2025	UKPD SVU tabled at Fayette County Sheriff's Domestic Violence Vigil and Resource Fair	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
10/23/2025	UKPD SVU Tabled at POWER's Smash the Scale	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
11/07/2025	UKPD SVU Tabled at UK's Spring BBN Orientation	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
11/19/2025	UKPD SVU Tabled at Residence Life's Winter Market	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking
11/19/2025	Tabling	Awareness, Sexual Violence, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking

Appendix H: Programs Presented by the OEO in 2025

Programs Presented by the OEO

DATE	TOPIC OF TRAINING	AUDIENCE
Ongoing	Discrimination, Harassment, and Sexual Misconduct: What you need to know	Required training All New Employees
01/09/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Resident Advisors
01/14/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Pharmacy
01/14/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Pharmacy
01/15/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Army ROTC
01/16/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	FSL Student Leader Training
01/21/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Pharmacy
01/21/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Pharmacy
01/28/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	EmPATH
01/29/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Graduate Medical Education

Programs Presented by the OEO (continued)

02/03/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Athletes (who didn't attend fall sessions)
02/13/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Gill Heart Institute
02/28/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Associate Dean for CoSW
03/06/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Target4, KIRP, UKHC
03/26/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	College of Design
04/14/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Delta Zeta Chapter President
04/16/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	NAO
04/30/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Graduate Medical Education
05/21/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Residential Camp RAs
05/28/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Biosystems
06/16/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	GME New Fellow Orientation
06/23/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	GME New Fellow Orientation
07/01/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	GME New Fellow Orientation
07/15/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	UK 101 Instructor Training
07/23/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	UK 101 Instructor Training
07/23/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	SuperVision
07/24/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Res Life Pro Staff
07/24/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Women's Soccer
08/04/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Men's Soccer
08/04/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	College of Dentistry
08/05/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	FSL House Director Training
08/05/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Women's Basketball
08/06/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	UK 101 Instructor Training
08/12/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	College of Pharmacy
08/12/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Volleyball
08/14/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	UK 101 Instructor Training
08/14/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	SuperVision

Programs Presented by the OEO (continued)

08/14/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	CAAs and RAs
08/15/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Office of Biomedical Education (new PhD student orientation)
08/15/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Desk Clerks
08/19/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	College of Public Health Faculty
08/20/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Gymnastics
08/20/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Football
08/20/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Panhellenic Association
08/21/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	College of Health Sciences Office of Academic & Student Affairs
08/21/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Community and Leadership Development Graduate Students Orientation
08/22/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Stunt
08/24/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Men's Basketball
08/26/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Women's Track, Tennis, Softball, Golf
08/27/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Men's Track
08/27/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Fall Club Sports
08/28/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Men's Swim
08/29/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Army ROTC
09/02/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Women's Swim, Rifle, Dance, Cheer
09/03/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	FSL Student Leaders
09/03/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	SGA
09/04/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Men's Cheer+ Dance
09/05/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Baseball
09/09/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Arts & Sciences Academic Advising
09/09/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Men's Golf and Tennis
09/10/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	College of Nursing Academic Advising and University Advising
09/11/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Academic Advising - College of Social Work
09/16/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	CSI
09/17/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	UK Marching Band

Programs Presented by the OEO (continued)

09/24/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	NAO
09/30/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Health Sciences Advising Team
09/30/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	College of Public Health, Fine Arts, Pharmacy Advisors
10/13/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Kappa Alpha Theta
10/14/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	1 CDU - UK Healthcare (Radiology)
10/16/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	1 CDU - UK Healthcare (Radiology)
10/21/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	I-RAFT
10/22/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Dept of Philosophy
10/23/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	UK Cooperative Extension Service
10/29/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	UK International Center
11/04/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Alpha Kappa Psi
11/04/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	College of Communication and Information Advising
11/07/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Physician Assistant Studies
11/12/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	UK Cooperative Extension Service
11/12/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	Dept of Philosophy
11/13/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	College of Arts and Sciences
11/17/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	UK Cooperative Extension Service
11/18/2025	Discriminatory Harassment & Sexual Misconduct	A&S Directors of Undergraduate Studies (DUS)

Appendix I: Title IX Outreach Documents to Complainants

Title IX outreach materials sent to complainants include the following attached below: 1.) Title IX Outreach Letter, 2.) VIP Introduction Letter, 3.) Student Resource Guide, and 4.) Employee Resource Guide.

1. Title IX Outreach Letter

Dear {{PREFERRED_NAME}}:

I am writing you to request that you schedule a meeting with me. I work for the Office of Equal Opportunity ("Equal Opportunity"), and we investigate allegations of behavior that may constitute discrimination, harassment, and sexual misconduct as those terms are defined by [Administrative Regulation- Equal Dignity \(interim\)](#). You can find more information on our policies and procedures [here](#). We received a report that you may have experienced behavior that could violate this policy.

Please know that you have the right to report what has happened to our office, as well as ask the University for assistance in resolving this. You also have the right to make no report at all. It is your choice.

I would like to meet with you to discuss what happened, as well as provide you with information regarding campus and community resources and discuss your rights under University Policy. But, I respect your privacy and understand that you may not wish to speak with me at this time. Please know that I and others are here for you, and we will be ready to talk when you feel comfortable. **If you decide that you would like to meet, please call 859-257-8927 to schedule a meeting with me. Our Administrative Support team can also assist you with scheduling your meeting. Please have your case number available when you call to schedule the meeting.**

I also wanted to let you know that you can speak confidentially with an advocate at the Violence Intervention and Prevention Center ("VIP Center") here on campus, located in Multidisciplinary Science Building, 401. I'm copying Lenzi Dodgen, Survivor Advocate in the VIP Center. VIP can assist you in obtaining resources to address any concerns or needs you may be experiencing as a result of this incident. When you scroll down in this document, you will find a letter from Lenzi explaining the services of her office. Moreover, you can set up an appointment with the VIP Center by calling 859-257-3574, and more information can be found on their website at www.uky.edu/vipcenter.

I would like to make you aware of the following:

- If you decide to meet, you are welcome to bring up to two individuals with you to make you feel more comfortable. One or both of your support may be an attorney. Those who are in attendance with you to provide support may not participate in or disrupt the meeting.
- The University provides amnesty for drug and alcohol use in relation to allegations of sexual misconduct. If you were under the influence of alcohol or drugs, you will not be subject to disciplinary action if your complaint involves sexual misconduct. In order to be granted amnesty, you will need to meet with a representative from Equal Opportunity.
- Equal Opportunity reviews complaints objectively and does not advocate for either party. We value the perspectives of all parties.

- The University's policies also prohibit retaliation. If at any time you feel that you are being retaliated against, please contact Equal Opportunity immediately.
- This review is private and Equal Opportunity will only share information with those individuals who have a legitimate business reason to know or as the law requires.
- The University process is separate from any criminal or civil proceedings that may be ongoing regarding this incident.
- If you would prefer to talk with someone confidentially (meaning they will not share the information with me without your permission), I recommend contacting one of the confidential resources included in the attachment. Please know you are welcome to contact me at any time.

If you ever feel unsafe, please contact the University of Kentucky Police Department ("UKPD") at (859) 257-8573, and if there is an emergency, dial 911. Please use these numbers if you have any concerns about your safety – trust your instincts and call if someone's behavior makes you nervous. In addition to taking complaints regarding possible criminal activity, UKPD provides an evening shuttle service, uniformed escorts, and other services to the campus community. Please contact the UKPD or view their website at <http://www.uky.edu/Police/> for more information about how they can help you.

I understand you may not want to discuss this with people in my office at this time. If you would like us to stop contacting you, please email me and let me know. Otherwise, please take care and I am here to speak with you regarding this matter when you are ready.

Sincerely,

The Office of Equal Opportunity

2. VIP Introduction Letter



University of Kentucky

Violence Intervention and
Prevention Center

725 Rose St, Suite 401

P: 859-257-3574

www.uky.edu/vipcenter

Hi ,

I understand that UK recently reached out to you about an experience you had. While I believe the VIP Center was offered as a resource, I wanted to follow up and introduce myself to better explain our services and my role as a Survivor Advocate.

The VIP Center is a **confidential** resource here at UK, where we provide advocacy and support to UK students, faculty, and staff who have experienced some kind of interpersonal trauma. These experiences can range from but are not limited to, sexual harassment, sexual assault, dating, and intimate partner violence, stalking, etc...

Together, we can explore options and resources that are available to you, as well as ensure that you are aware of your rights. These can include things like accommodations around safety, housing, academics, and other needs you may identify. Everything we talk about will stay between us unless you request otherwise.

Alternatively, if you would just like to talk and have someone listen without judgment, we are here. Please know that if you are not comfortable seeking services now, we will continue to be available to you throughout your UK experience.

You can reach me by email at lenzi.dodgen@uky.edu to schedule a time to talk in person, via Zoom, or by phone, Monday-Friday from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm.

I hope to hear from you soon.

Take care,

Lenzi G. Dodgen, MSW
Director, The VIP Center

Resource Guide

Students



The Office of Equal Opportunity

859-257-8927

<https://oeo.uky.edu/>

24/7 Crisis Resources

Crisis Text Line

Text “Start” to 741-741

A live, trained crisis counselor receives the text and responses from a secure online platform
9-8-8

9-8-8 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline

Formerly the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline
Free, confidential support for people in distress
Prevention and crisis resources for you or your loved ones
859-253-2511

Sexual Violence Resource Center of the Bluegrass

Available to support and provide resources for those who have been impacted by sexual violence
1-800-544-2022

GreenHouse17

Formerly Bluegrass Domestic Violence Program
Specially trained crisis counselors available to help those harmed by intimate partner violence
1-800-928-8000

New Vista Crisis Line

Crisis trained counselors who can assist in your situation and explore possible solutions
877-565-8860

Trans Lifeline

Connects trans people to community support and resources

Campus Resources

TRACS (Triage, Referral Assistance, Crisis Support)

859-218-7227
Confidential mental health support

UK Counseling Center

Must go to TRACS first before Counseling Center
859-257-8701

Provides confidential psychological counseling to currently enrolled UK students
859-257-3574

Violence Intervention and Prevention (VIP) Center

Confidential advocates who works with students, staff, and faculty toward the mission of eliminating the perpetration of sexual or gender-based interpersonal violence

SafeZone

UKPD provides a free app that empowers you to take proactive steps for your personal safety and gives UKPD enhanced response capabilities.
859-218-6994

Basic Needs

Assists with basic needs (food, housing, finances); overseen by UK Big Blue Pantry
859-257-2754

Disability Resource Center

Students who need accommodations for disabilities in classroom, residence halls, etc.
859-257-3755

Center for Support and Intervention (CSI)

Provides a central point of entry for concerns regarding students/employees and connecting individual to resources
859-323-3312

Office of LGBTQ* Resources

Supports education, advocacy, and community building for members of the LGBTQ* community on campus
859-323-2778

University Health Service (UHS)

Provides immunizations, screenings, and urgent treatment for students

Community Resources

God's Pantry Food Bank

859-255-6592

Serves 50 counties in Central and Eastern Kentucky in partnership with more than 475 food pantries and meal programs

The Nest

859-259-1974

Supports individuals and families in crisis, facing adversity, or who have unexpected needs through early childhood education and care; basic human needs; counseling/advocacy for survivors of Intimate Partner Violence

Domestic and Sexual Violence Prevention Coalition

859-258-3803

Lexington's coordinated community response to domestic and dating violence, sexual violence, and stalking

Lexington Addiction Center

859-681-7823

Partial hospitalization program, intensive outpatient program, outpatient program

Legal Resources

UK Police Department (24hr)

859-257-8573
Always call 9-1-1 in an emergency

UKPD's Special Victims Unit (SVU)

Consists of Lieutenant, Detective, and Victim Advocates
Helps victims of interpersonal violence navigate the criminal justice system with respect and integrity

Fayette County Attorney's Office

859-254-4941

Fayette Commonwealth Attorney's Office

Prosecutes misdemeanor cases
859-246-2060

Fayette County Sheriff's Department Sherrif Department's Amanda's Center

Prosecutes felony cases
859-252-1771

Legal Aid of the Bluegrass

24-7 assistance to those dealing with issues of domestic violence. They have advocates who can assist victims in filing Emergency Protective Orders (EPOs), provide safe phones, offer cameras and other safety measures, etc.
859-431-8200 and press option 4
Legal help for people living at or near poverty, veterans, those who are disabled and victims of domestic violence

Lexington Police Department (24 hr)

859-258-3600

Kentucky State Police

1-800-222-5555

Office of the Attorney General VINE Registration

1-800-372-2551
1-800-511-1670
The nation's most reliable and confidential source for updated custody status and criminal case information. Register and stay informed

Resource Guide

Employees



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859-257-8927

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Campus Resources

Employee Relations	859-257-8758 Provides guidance on UK HR Policies and Procedures; consults with employees, managers, and administrators on a variety of workplace topics
Work-Life Connections Counseling	859-257-9355 Holistic mental health and wellness support for UK employees, including free therapy options, physical health and financial wellness resources
Individual, Relational, and Financial Therapy (I-RAFT) Clinic	859-257-7755 For couples: Professional mental health appointments (in-person or telehealth) with a marriage and family therapist-in-training at the I-RAFT Clinic
Violence Intervention and Prevention (VIP) Center	859-257-3574 Works with students, staff, and faculty toward the mission of eliminating the perpetration of sexual or gender-based interpersonal violence Confidential advocates can meet with you to review your options
Center for the Enhancement of Learning and Teaching (CELT)	Resources on how to navigate difficult conversations in the classroom and more services to support engaging, inclusive, and innovative learning
C.R.I.S.I.S Program	Assists UK employees experiencing personal financial hardship
Headspace	A meditation and mindfulness platform available to UK faculty and staff for a free one-year membership
SafeZone	UKPD provides a free app that empowers you to take proactive steps for your personal safety and gives UKPD enhanced response capabilities.

Community Resources

God's Pantry Food Bank

859-255-6592

Serves 50 counties in Central and Eastern Kentucky in partnership with more than 475 food pantries and meal programs

The Nest

859-259-1974

Supports individuals and families in crisis, facing adversity, or who have unexpected needs through early childhood education and care; basic human needs; counseling/advocacy for survivors of Intimate Partner Violence

Domestic and Sexual Violence Prevention Coalition

859-258-3803

Lexington's coordinated community response to domestic and dating violence, sexual violence, and stalking

Lexington Addiction Center

859-681-7823

Partial hospitalization program, intensive outpatient program, outpatient program

Legal Resources

UK Police Department (24hr)	859-257-8573 Always call 9-1-1 in an emergency
UKPD's Special Victims Unit (SVU)	Consists of Lieutenant, Detective, and Victim Advocates Helps victims of interpersonal violence navigate the criminal justice system with respect and integrity
Fayette County Attorney's Office	859-254-4941 Prosecutes misdemeanor cases
Fayette Commonwealth Attorney's Office	859-246-2060 Prosecutes felony cases
Fayette County Sheriff's Department	859-252-1771
Sheriff Department's Amanda's Center	24-7 assistance to those dealing with issues of domestic violence. They have advocates who can assist victims in filing Emergency Protective Orders (EPOs), provide safe phones, offer cameras and other safety measures, etc.
Legal Aid of the Bluegrass	859-431-8200 and press option 4 Legal help for people living at or near poverty, veterans, those who are disabled and victims of domestic violence
Lexington Police Department (24 hr)	859-258-3600
Kentucky State Police	1-800-222-5555
Office of the Attorney General	1-800-372-2551
VINE Registration	1-800-511-1670 The nation's most reliable and confidential source for updated custody status and criminal case information. Register and stay informed

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