

# Policies, Safety, & U

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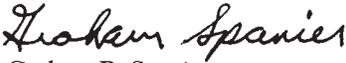
### From the President

To the University Community.

It is up to each one of us to help foster a secure and supportive environment at Penn State—an environment where individuals can feel safe to visit, learn, work and live. Primary to this goal are the principles of responsibility and respect. With these qualities firmly in place, our students, faculty and staff have both the freedom and security that are so important to their productivity and success.

Safety on campus is one of the highest concerns. A truly safe campus can only be achieved through the cooperation of everyone.

This publication contains information about campus safety measures and reports statistics about crime in our University community. It also describes our efforts to combat alcohol and drug abuse. Please take the time to read it and help foster a more caring and safe environment.

  
Graham B. Spanier  
President

### From the Chief of Police

To the University Community.

On behalf of the members of the University Police, I want to thank you for your interest in our annual publication “Policies, Safety & U.” We encourage you to review the information we have made available to you in this brochure. You will find information about our organization including descriptions of certain services that we provide. You will also become familiar with our strong commitment to victims of crimes and the specific extensive services that we make available to crime victims. Lastly, you will find important information about security policies and procedures on the Penn State campuses, crime data, and crime prevention information.

We join President Spanier in our commitment to foster a secure and supportive environment at Penn State. We are proud to be a part of Penn State’s tradition of excellence. It has always been our goal to provide the highest quality of public safety services to the university community. The men and women of the University Police are committed to making the Penn State campus a safe place in which to live, work, and study.

  
Stephen G. Shelow  
Chief

### Safety, Our Number One Priority

The University takes great pride in the community at Penn State and has many advantages to students, faculty and staff. This community is a great place to live, learn, work and study, however, this does not mean that the community is immune from all of the other unfortunate circumstances that arise in other communities. With that in mind, Penn State has taken progressive measures to help eliminate and minimize the amount of crime that occur on campus.

This brochure is to aid in educating you on what is occurring at Penn State as it relates to crime and security. This brochure will provide information on a) University policies and regulations b) Increase awareness on crimes on campus by provide statistical information c) educate students, faculty and staff on security measures and ways to prevent crimes from occurring on campus.

Though the University is progressive with its policies, programs, and education, it is up to each one of us to live with a sense of awareness and use reasonable judgment when living, working or visiting on campus.

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# Safety

## Public Safety Resources

The University Police are responsible to the Senior Vice President for Finance and Business. University Police provides protection and service 24 hours a day, 365 days a year and employs:

- 52 police officers
- 2 security officers
- 6 police dispatch recorders
- 9 assistant police service officers
- 200 student auxiliary officers who are responsible for vehicle and crowd control during special events, security services, and residence hall security patrols

The police officers at University Park campus:

- have bachelor's degree or equivalent
- Complete the training course required of all municipal police officers in Pennsylvania
- Take ninety to one hundred hours of in-service training each year
- Specialize in crime prevention, fingerprint technology, evidence technology, hazardous device technology, emergency first aid, CPR/AED, weapons and tactics.

University Police officers are commissioned under the Administrative Code of 1929 and the Municipal Police Officers Education and Training law (Act 120 of 1974) and have the same authority as municipal police officers in the Commonwealth, being authorized to carry firearms and empowered to make arrests.

All criminal incidents are investigated by the University Police at University Park. All crimes that occur on campus or University property shall be reported to University Police.

University Police maintains a cooperative relationship with the Pennsylvania State Police, State College Borough Police, and surrounding police agencies. This includes joint radio and computer systems, training programs, special events coordination, and investigation of serious incidents.

## Weapons Policy

The possession, carrying and use of weapons, ammunition, or explosives is prohibited on University owned or controlled property.

The only exception is for authorized law enforcement officers or other persons specifically authorized by the University. At some campuses University Police provides storage facilities for the personal weapons of members of the University community. Failure to comply with the University weapons policy will result in disciplinary action against violators.

## Reporting a Crime

All members of the university community are encouraged to report all crimes and emergencies to University Police in a timely manner. University Police have a dispatch center that is available by phone at 814-863-1111 or in person twenty-four hours a day at the Eisenhower Parking Deck. Though there are many resources available, University Police should be notified of any crime, whether or not an investigation continues, to assure the University can access any and all security concerns and will be able to inform the community if there is a breach in their safety. If you are interested in reporting a crime anonymously, you can utilize University Police's Silent Witness program that can be accessed through the department's website: <http://www.police.psu.edu/witness/>.

## Timely Warning Policy

In an effort to provide timely notice to the community, and in the event of a serious incident which may pose an ongoing threat to members of the community, "Crime Alerts" are posted throughout the University Community. Crime Alerts are usually posted for the following classifications: Arsons, aggravated assault, criminal homicide, robbery, and sex offenses. University Police will post these warnings through a variety of ways, including but not limited to posters, e-mails, and media. Penn State has adopted an innovated program to assist with the disclosure of important information to the campus community. The University has the ability to send text messages to those who register their cell phone numbers. The text messaging can be a very effective way to disseminate important information quickly. Penn State's News Wire publication is an electronic media that is also resourceful for University Police in distributing information regarding crime on campus.

A timely warning shall be made to the campus community whenever the following criteria are met: 1) a crime is committed 2) the perpetrator has not been apprehended; and 3) there is a substantial risk to the physical safety of other members of the campus community because of this crime. Such crimes include, but are not limited to: 1) Clery reportable crimes, or 2) any crime involving serious bodily injury or the threat of serious bodily injury. In addition, whenever there is a pattern of crime against persons or property, timely warnings will be issued if such warning would aid citizens in protecting themselves.

At University Park, The Chief of University Police will generally make the determination if a timely warning is required. However, when there are exigent circumstances requiring an immediate notification, any police supervisor may authorize implementation of the timely warning procedures.

In relation to off-campus crimes, a timely warning shall be issued as stated in the above circumstances if the crime occurred in a location which is used and frequented by the University population.

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# Safety

## Personal Safety

Theft, Disorderly Conduct, and alcohol related offenses are very common on university campuses. However, they don't stand alone. Despite law enforcement's efforts, serious crimes do occur on campuses. It is important to report any suspicious incidents to police and always remain alert and vigilant.

One of the more serious crimes that too often goes unreported is Sexual Assault and Rape. It is important to know what these crimes are, because it is too often that one falls victim of such crimes without knowing that it is a crime. Additionally, crimes of this nature are very difficult for victims to report for a number of reasons, however, the following information is to help those who may or have been victim of sexual assault or rape.

There are many guidelines to help you be more alert and aware of the situation to prevent such serious crimes. Such as:

- Know your surroundings
- Be alert
- Call for help
- Report any suspicious activity/persons immediately

## Defining Rape and Sexual Assault

In Pennsylvania RAPE is defined as when a person engages in sexual intercourse with a person by forcible compulsion or the threat of forcible compulsion that would prevent resistance by a person of reasonable resolution, or when a person is unconscious or where the person knows that the victim is unaware that the act is occurring.

In Pennsylvania SEXUAL ASSUALT is defined as when a person engages in sexual intercourse or deviate sexual intercourse with a complainant without the victim's consent.

While these definitions are clear, victims often have difficulty reporting a sexual assault for numerous reasons such as knowing the perpetrator, fear of retaliation, fear of parents knowing about the incident, fear of getting in trouble with law enforcement. Despite these concerns, it is vital to report such incident in order to get help. The following information provides steps to follow should a sexual assault occur:

1. Get to a safe place as soon as possible
2. Try to preserve all physical evidence. The victim should not bathe, shower, brush teeth, douche, use the toilet, or change clothing until s(he) has a medical exam. Contact a close friend or relative, if available, who can provide support and accompany the victim to the medical exam and/or police department. Advocates from the Women's Resource Center can be available to the victim to provide support.
3. Get medical attention as soon as possible. An exam may reveal the presence of physical injury that the victim is unaware of. Following a sexual assault, antibiotics are typically given at the time of the exam to help prevent the victim from acquiring certain sexually transmitted diseases. Emergency contraceptive pills are offered to all victims at the time of the exam (if the victim presents within 120 hours) to help prevent pregnancy

from occurring as a result of the rape.

If the victim reports memory loss, loss of consciousness or other circumstances suspicious for a drug-facilitated assault, a urine test may be done if the victim presents within 96 hours. Some of the commonly used "date rape" drugs, however, are only detectable in the urine for 6-8 hours after ingestion.

4. Contact the police, sexual assault is a crime, it is vital to report it. It is important to remember report a crime is not the same as prosecuting the crime. The decision to prosecute may be made at another time. Final decision to prosecute is determined by the District Attorney.
5. Consider talking to a counselor. Seeing a counselor may be important in helping the victim understand his/her feelings and begin the process of recovery.

## Our Commitment to Addressing Sexual Assault/Rape

1. Penn State will pay for all basic sexual assault related care for students who receive care at either University Health Center or Mount Nittany Medical Center.
2. Victim Resource Officer available to all victims of crimes. The VRO will provide support and guidance to victims and enable them to receive advocacy, information, and assistance both judicially and academically.
3. University Police are active participants in the Centre County Sexual Assault Response Team (SART). This is to ensure victims are provided the appropriate care in a timely fashion and with only well trained professionals.
4. On campus counseling services are available to students through Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS)
5. "Trauma Drop" is a special procedure the enables victims of violence to retroactively withdraw from a semester or individual courses.
6. The University does not tolerate sexual misconduct or abuse, such as sexual assault, rape or any other forms of nonconsensual sexual activity. This is a violation of the Student Code of Conduct. Violations of this policy are subject to disciplinary sanctions through the Office of Judicial Affairs. Please visit [www.sa.psu.edu](http://www.sa.psu.edu) to review procedures, policies and protocols for reporting and addressing allegations of student sexual misconduct.

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# Safety

## **Other Common Crimes on Campus**

### **Theft**

Many campuses become victim of theft across the country. Often times this is due to the fact theft is often seen as a crime of opportunity. Confined living arrangements, recreation facilities, and many open classrooms and laboratories provide thieves with effort-less opportunities. Occupants of the residence halls often feel a sense of security and home atmosphere and become too trusting of their peers, while other leave classrooms and laboratories unlocked when not occupied for short periods of time.

It is important to be very vigilant when it comes to suspicious persons. Never leave items and valuables lying around unsecured. Doors should be locked at all times. The following is a list of suggestions to help you not fall victim of theft:

- Keep doors to residence halls, labs, classrooms locked when not occupied
- Don't provide unauthorized access to persons in the buildings or classrooms
- Do not keep large amounts of money with you.
- Lock all valuables, money, jewelry, checkbooks in a lock box or locked drawer
- Keep a list of all valuable possession including the make, models, and serial numbers
- Take advantage of the Engraving Programs to have all valuables engraved with specific identifying marks.
- Don't leave laptop computers or textbooks unattended in labs or libraries, even if it is for a short period of time
- Don't lend credit cards or identification cards to anyone.
- Report loitering persons or suspicious persons to police immediately; don't take any chances

### **Identity Theft**

Identity theft is a crime in which someone wrongfully obtains and uses another person's personal information in some ways that involves fraud or deception, typically for economic gain. This personal data could be a Social Security number, bank account and credit card information.

Persons involved in identity theft often use computers or other forms of media to assist them.

There are measures you can take to prevent this from happening to you:

- Do not give anyone your personal information unless there is a reason to trust them and for good reason.
- Never give your credit card information, date of birth, or other information over the telephone, unless you can confirm the person receiving that information.
- Complete a credit check frequently to assure there is no suspicious activity.
- Examine financial information often to assure all transactions are authorized and accounted for
- Using computer security software on computers and installing firewalls are good things to do. Do not share passwords with anybody.

### **Underage Drinking**

Underage drinking is a crime in which a person purchases, consumes, possesses or transports liquor or malt or brewed beverages under the age of twenty-one.

Penn State University has a zero tolerance policy associated with students consuming beverage alcohol under the age of twenty-one. Not only is this against the Pennsylvania law, it is also a violation of the student code of conduct.

### **Public Drunkenness**

Public drunkenness is a crime when a person appears in any public place manifestly under the influence of alcohol or a controlled substance to the degree that he may endanger himself or other persons or property, or annoy persons in his vicinity.

Public drunkenness also leads to other behaviors and important health concerns. Oftentimes public drunkenness contributes to many criminal mischiefs and disorderly conducts on campus. Persons must be responsible for their own actions and know their limits and tolerance levels before consuming alcohol.

### **Open Container Law**

In Pennsylvania, there is no state law to prohibit open containers of alcohol in public. However, many local governments have enacted such ordinances. For example, in State College it is unlawful for any person to possess an open container of alcohol on any public street, sidewalk, alley, or park.

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# Drugs and Alcohol

## **Penn State's Alcohol and Drug Policy**

Federal law requires Penn State to notify annually all faculty, staff, and students of the following:

The University prohibits the unlawful possession, use, manufacture or distribution of alcohol or controlled substances by students, faculty and staff in buildings, facilities, grounds or property controlled by the University or used as part of University activities. For students, this includes prohibiting the possession and consumption of any beverage containing alcohol in a residence hall room except by individuals who are twenty-one years or older at campuses where alcoholic beverages are permitted. It also includes prohibiting the presences of students under the age of twenty-one in residence hall rooms where alcohol is present. In addition, the smoking of any material is prohibited in all facilities of Penn State University at all locations.

### **Areas Open to the Public**

The Pennsylvania State University prohibits the possession and use of alcoholic beverages in areas open to the public including areas of buildings open to the public. However, the use of alcoholic beverages, subject to the laws of the Commonwealth may be permitted at University sponsored activities in areas designated by, and with the prior approval of, the University Risk Manager at the University Park campus; the Senior Vice President for Health Affairs and Dean of the College of Medicine of the Milton S. Hershey Medical Center; or at other non-University Park locations, the Chancellor or whoever is the appropriate campus/center executive officer responsible for the area requested. (Please consult Policy AD18, Use and Distribution of Alcoholic Beverages, for more information).

### **Private or Closed Areas**

The possession and use of alcoholic beverages are prohibited in conference rooms, offices, office reception rooms, closed buildings, and areas of buildings not open to the public or from which the public has been excluded, except: the use of alcoholic beverages, subject to the laws of the Commonwealth, may be permitted in specific private or closed areas designated by, and with the prior approval of, the appropriate person responsible for the area of request.

### **Education and Research Areas**

The Pennsylvania State University specifically prohibits the use, possession and dispensing of alcoholic beverages in classrooms, lecture halls, laboratories, libraries, research areas, or within buildings, arenas or areas where athletic events, lectures, or concerts are held, during such events or activities. Permission will not be granted to use or possess alcoholic beverages in a facility which is being used for one of the above functions.

## **Students**

Any student who violates this policy is subject to disciplinary action including sanctions as outlined in the Student Code of Conduct in addition to any penalties resulting from violating local, state and or federal law. Disciplinary sanctions may include:

Students who are found responsible for violations may be subject to sanctions ranging from Disciplinary Warning, Disciplinary Probation, up to Suspension or Expulsion from the University. Students residing in University housing may also lose the privilege of living on campus for violating University rules and regulations or conditions of the housing contract.

In most cases the Office of Judicial Affairs will also assign developmental and educational interventions designed to promote greater awareness and improved decision making for students and to further deter future misconduct.

## **Faculty and Staff**

As a condition of University employment, every employee shall abide by the terms of this policy. Any employee who violates this policy is subject to Penn State sanctions, including dismissal, as well as criminal sanctions provided by federal, state or local law. An employee may be required to participate in a drug abuse or drug rehabilitation program. An employee must notify his or her supervisor of any criminal drug conviction for a violation occurring in the University workplace no later than five (5) days after such conviction. (Please consult *Policy AD33, A Drug-Free Workplace*, for more information).

# Drugs and Alcohol

## Alcohol Related Offenses

### **Pennsylvania Driving Under the Influence (DUI) Law**

In Pennsylvania the illegal level for DUI is .08% Blood Alcohol Content (BAC) and .02% BAC for minors. The law emphasizes treatment and a three-tier penalty system based on BAC and prior offenses: 1) general impairment (.08-.099%), 2) high rate of alcohol (.10-.159%) and 3) highest rate of alcohol (.16% and above).

Also, drivers with any amount of a Schedule I, II, or III controlled substance that has not been medically prescribed (or their metabolites) may not drive, operate, or be in actual physical control of a vehicle. For more information, see [www.lcb.state.pa.us/edu](http://www.lcb.state.pa.us/edu). Click on "Alcohol & the Law."

### **Underage Drinking**

It is illegal for anyone under 21 years of age to attempt to purchase, purchase, consume, possess, or knowingly and intentionally transport any liquor, malt or brewed beverage. It is also illegal to lie about age to obtain alcohol and to carry a false identification card.

	1st Offense	2nd Offense	Subsequent Offense
<b>Fine</b>	Up to \$300	Up to \$500	Up to \$500
<b>Jail</b>	Up to 90 days	Up to 90 days	Up to 90 days
<b>License Suspension</b>	90 days	1 year	2 years

**Alcohol poisoning is a medical emergency!**

**Call for help. You could save a life.**

**ON CAMPUS: 3-1111 • OFF CAMPUS: 911**

#### **Know the signs:**

- Passed out or difficult to wake
- Cold, clammy, pale or bluish skin
- Slowed breathing
- Vomiting (asleep or awake)

#### **Know how to help:**

- Turn a vomiting person on her/his side to prevent choking
- Clear vomit from the mouth
- Keep the person awake
- NEVER leave the person unattended



## Drug Related Offenses

### **Possession of Small Amount of Marijuana**

A person is unlawful when he unknowingly, knowingly or intentionally possesses a small amount of marijuana (Hashish), a Schedule I substance, and is not authorized by law to possess such substance, and is outlined under the Controlled Substances, Drugs, Device and Cosmetic Act of 1972.

Persons engaged in such activity will most likely be faced with criminal charges and charged with a violation of the student code of conduct.

### **Possession of Drug Paraphernalia**

A person is unlawful when he possesses, with the intent to use, drug paraphernalia which is used for packaging, manufacturing, injecting, ingesting, inhaling or otherwise introducing into the human body a controlled substance in violation of the Controlled Substances, Drugs, Device and Cosmetic Act of 1972.

## Drug Alert

Prescription drug abuse is an increasing problem that endangers the public's health and safety. Prescription drug abuse is purposely misusing prescription controlled substances for non medical purposes. The National Institute on Drug Abuse reports that the largest group of prescription drug abusers is between the ages of 18 and 24. Students reporting prescription abuse can be as high as 25% on some campuses (Department of Education's Higher Education Center). It is important to seek help for such abuse through local and state medical and support services.

# Drugs and Alcohol

## Drug Risks and Consequences

Drug (Schedule)	Quantity	Penalties
Cocaine (II)	500 - 4999 gms mixture	<p><b>First Offense:</b> Not less than 5 yrs, and not more than 40 yrs. If death or serious injury, not less than 20 or more than life. Fine of not more than \$2 million if an individual, \$5 million if not an individual</p> <p><b>Second Offense:</b> Not less than 10 yrs, and not more than life. If death or serious injury, life imprisonment. Fine of not more than \$4 million if an individual, \$10 million if not an individual</p> <p><b>For quantities larger than those listed:</b></p> <p><b>First Offense:</b> Not less than 10 yrs, and not more than life. If death or serious injury, not less than 20 or more than life. Fine of not more than \$4 million if an individual, \$10 million if not an individual.</p> <p><b>Second Offense:</b> Not less than 20 yrs, and not more than life. If death or serious injury, life imprisonment. Fine of not more than \$8 million if an individual, \$20 million if not an individual.</p> <p><b>2 or More Prior Offenses:</b> Life imprisonment</p>
Cocaine Base (II)	5-49 gms mixture	
Fentanyl (Actiq, Duragesic, Percopon) (II)	40 - 399 gms mixture	
Fentanyl Analogue (Alfenta, Sufenta, China White) (I)	10 - 99 gms mixture	
Heroin (I)	100 - 999 gms mixture	
LSD (I)	1 - 9 gms mixture	
Methamphetamine (Crystal Meth) (II)	5 - 49 gms pure or 50 - 499 gms mixture	
PCP (Angel Dust) (II)	10 - 99 gms pure or 100 - 999 gms mixture	
Other Schedule I & II drugs* (e.g., Ecstasy, Morphine and any drug product containing GHB)	Any amount	<p><b>First Offense:</b> Not more that 20 yrs. If death or serious injury, not less than 20 yrs, or more than Life. Fine \$1 million if an individual, \$5 million if not an individual.</p> <p><b>Second Offense:</b> Not more than 30 yrs. If death or serious injury, not less than life. Fine \$2 million if an individual, \$10 million if not an individual</p>
Flunitrazepam (Rohypnol, Roofies) (IV)	1 gm or more	
Other Schedule III drugs* (e.g., Codeine Compounds, Special K)	Any amount	<p><b>First Offense:</b> Not more than 5 years. Fine not more than \$250,000 if an individual, \$1 million if not an individual.</p> <p><b>Second Offense:</b> Not more 10 yrs. Fine not more than \$500,000 if an individual, \$2 million if not an individual</p>
Flunitrazepam (Rohypnol, Roofies) (IV)	30 to 999 mgs	
All other Schedule IV drugs* (e.g., Valium, Ativan, Xanax)	Any amount	<p><b>First Offense:</b> Not more than 3 years. Fine not more than \$250,000 if an individual, \$1 million if not an individual.</p> <p><b>Second Offense:</b> Not more than 6 yrs. Fine not more than \$500,000 if an individual, \$2 million if not an individual.</p>
Flunitrazepam (Rohypnol, Roofies) (IV)	Less than 30 mgs	
All Schedule V drugs* (e.g., Parepectolin, Robitussin AC)	Any amount	<p><b>First Offense:</b> Not more than 1 yr. Fine not more than \$100,000 if an individual, \$250,000 if not an individual.</p> <p><b>Second Offense:</b> Not more than 2 yrs. Fine not more than \$200,000 if an individual, \$500,000 if not an individual.</p>
Marijuana / Hashish (I)	1,000 kg or more mixture; or 1,000 or more plants	<p><b>First Offense:</b> Not less than 10 years, not more than life. If death or serious injury, not less than 20 years, not more than life. Fine not more than \$4 million if an individual, \$10 million if other than an individual.</p> <p><b>Second Offense:</b> Not less than 20 years, not more than life. If death or serious injury, mandatory life. Fine not more than \$8 million if an individual, \$20 million if other than an individual.</p>
	100 kg to 999 kg mixture; or 100 to 999 plants	<p><b>First Offense:</b> Not less than 5 years, not more than 40 years. If death or serious injury, not less than 20 years, not more than life. Fine not more than \$2 million if an individual, \$5 million if other than an individual.</p> <p><b>Second Offense:</b> Not less than 10 years, not more than life. If death or serious injury, mandatory life. Fine not more than \$4 million if an individual, \$10 million if other than an individual.</p>
	Hashish: more than 10 kg; 50 to 99 kg mixture	<p><b>First Offense:</b> Not more than 20 years. If death or serious injury, not less than 20 years, not more than life. Fine \$1 million if an individual, \$5 million if other than an individual.</p> <p><b>Second Offense:</b> Not more than 30 years. If death or serious injury, mandatory life. Fine \$2 million if an individual, \$10 million if other than individual.</p>
	Hashish Oil: more than 1 kg oil; 50 to 99 plants	<p><b>First Offense:</b> Not more than 5 years. Fine not more than \$250,000, \$1 million other than individual.</p> <p><b>Second Offense:</b> Not more than 10 years. Fine \$500,000 if an individual, \$2 million if other than individual.</p>
	1 to 49 plants; less than 50 kg mixture Hashish: 10 kg or less Hashish Oil: 1 kg or less	<p><b>First Offense:</b> Not more than 5 years. Fine not more than \$250,000, \$1 million other than individual.</p> <p><b>Second Offense:</b> Not more than 10 years. Fine \$500,000 if an individual, \$2 million if other than individual.</p>

Definition of schedules:

I: High potential for abuse, no currently accepted medical use in the US and a lack of accepted safety for use under medical supervision

II: High potential for abuse, currently accepted medical use in the US, or with severe restrictions, and abuse may lead to severe psychological or physical dependence

III: Less abuse potential than I and II, an accepted medical use, and low to moderate psychological or physical dependence

IV: Lower potential for abuse than III, an accepted medical use in the US, and may lead to limited psychological or physical dependence from abuse relative to III

V: Lower potential for abuse than IV, an accepted medical use in the US, and may lead to psychological or physical dependence from abuse relative to IV

Source: The US Drug Enforcement Administration, <http://www.justice.gov/dea/agency/penalties.htm>

# Controlled Substances Act\*

Schedule of Controlled Substance Categories & Examples	For Felony Delivery and Obtaining Possession thru Forgery or Fraud	For Misdemeanor Possession
<p><b>Schedule I:</b> Substances with a high potential for abuse, no currently accepted medical use in the U.S. and a lack of accepted safety for use under medical supervision</p> <p>Gama Hydroxybutyric Acid (GHB) Heroin LSD Methaqualone Mescaline Ecstasy Psilocybin/Psilocyn (mushrooms) Phencyclidine (PCP) Tetrahydrocannabino/S (THC) Marijuana &amp; Hashish:     1,000 kg. or more</p> <p>    50 kg. to 999 kg.</p> <p>    Under 50 kg.</p>	<p>Jail: 5 years to life Fine: Up to \$4,000,000</p> <p>Jail: 10 years to life Fine: Up to \$4,000,000</p> <p>Jail: 5 to 40 years Fine: Up to \$2,000,000</p> <p>Jail: Up to 5 years Fine: Up to \$250,000</p>	<p>Jail: Up to 1 year Fine: Up to \$100,000</p>
<p><b>Schedule II:</b> Substances with a high potential for abuse, currently accepted medical use in the U.S., or with severe restrictions, and abuse may lead to severe psychic or physical dependence.</p> <p>Morphine Methadone Amphetamine Cocaine Methamphetamine Oxycodone</p>	<p>Jail: Up to 20 year Fine: Up to \$1,000,000</p>	<p>Jail: Up to 1 year Fine: Up to \$100,000</p>
<p><b>Schedule III:</b> Substances with less abuse potential than Schedules I and II; an accepted medical use, and low to moderate dependence from abuse.</p> <p>Anabolic Steroids Codeine Compounds Ketamine (Special K) Phendimetrazine Tincture of Opium</p>	<p>Jail: Up to 5 years Fine: Up to \$250,000</p>	<p>Jail: Up to 1 year Fine: Up to \$100,000</p>
<p><b>Schedule IV:</b> Substances with a lower potential for abuse than Schedule III; an accepted medical use; and limited dependence from abuse.</p> <p>Valium Ativan Xanax</p>	<p>Jail: Up to 3 years Fine: Up to \$250,000</p>	<p>Jail: Up to 1 year Fine: Up to \$100,000</p>
<p><b>Schedule V:</b> Substances with a lower potential for abuse than Schedule IV; an accepted medical use; and limited dependence from abuse.</p> <p>Parapectolin Robitussin AC</p>	<p>Jail: Up to 1 year Fine: Up to \$100,000</p>	<p>Jail: Up to 1 year Fine: Up to \$100,000</p>

\* The Controlled Substances Act (CSA), Title II of the Comprehensive Drug Abuse Prevention and Control Act of 1970.

Federal law also allows for the possibility of loss of property and federal grants as defined by the Controlled Substances Act and regulation 21CFR 1300.11-1300.15.

**For more information, visit [www.usdoj.gov/dea/pubs/scheduling](http://www.usdoj.gov/dea/pubs/scheduling)**

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# Conduct, Notification, & Resources

## **The Office of Judicial Affairs**

The mission of the Office of Judicial Affairs is to promote a safe, orderly, and civil University community and to encourage and inspire students to become good citizens by engaging in personal responsibility, ethical decision making, and demonstrating respect for the rights and safety of others.

## **The Student Code of Conduct**

The Office of Judicial Affairs is responsible for administering the Code of Conduct for Students which is an articulation of behavioral standards and the equitable procedures employed by the University to respond to allegations of student misconduct.

The Code of Conduct for Students is administered at all Penn State campuses on University property and may also address off campus student misconduct when a student's behavior affects a Substantial University Interest.

Students who are found responsible for violations may be subject to sanctions ranging from Disciplinary Warning, Disciplinary Probation, up to Suspension or Expulsion from the University. Students residing in University housing may also lose the privilege of living on campus for violating University rules and regulations or conditions of the housing contract.

In most cases the Office of Judicial Affairs will also assign developmental and educational interventions designed to promote greater awareness and improved decision making for students and to further deter future misconduct.

In instances where there is reasonable cause to believe a student is an immediate threat to the safety of himself/herself or other persons or property or is an immediate threat to disrupt essential campus operations, the Office of Judicial Affairs may assign an Interim Suspension and/or other actions, designed to protect the health and safety of the community and members therein.

The Office of Judicial Affairs is also responsible for conducting pre-admission, pre-enrollment, and re-enrollment reviews for prospective students with known behavioral problems.

Any individual or entity may submit reports alleging student misconduct to the Office of Judicial Affairs or designee at the campus where the incident occurred.

The Office of Judicial Affairs also provides outreach programming designed to inform and educate students and to promote the Penn State Principles. Please visit the Judicial Affairs homepage at <http://www.sa.psu.edu/ja> where you may find the Student Code of Conduct, Parental Notification Policy, Student Records Policy and links to all policy and procedural guidelines related to the Judicial Affairs process. Students are encouraged to take the "Know the Code" quiz located on the Judicial Affairs website.

## **Important Information**

The Pennsylvania State University is obligated to provide all students with the University regulations, policies, and procedures governing student conduct. Penn State policies and procedures, including the Code of Conduct for Students and the Off-Campus Misconduct Policy are published on the Judicial Affairs website: <http://www.sa.psu.edu/ja>.

If you have additional questions, special needs, or wish to request a hard copy of this information, please contact the Student Affairs Office at University Park.

This publication, as well as university regulations and policies and procedures governing student conduct, is available on the "Policies and Crime Statistics" channel of the Penn State Portal: <https://portal.psu.edu>

## **Parental Notification Policy**

The University reserves the right to report student discipline information to the parents or legal guardians of students.

- Federal legislation authorizes Penn State to disclose disciplinary records concerning violations of the University's rules and regulations governing the use or possession of alcohol or controlled substances that involve students who are under the age of 21 regardless of whether the student is a dependant.
- The University may also report non-alcohol or drug related incidents to parents or legal guardians of dependant students under circumstances described in the Student Guide to General University Policy and Rules. See the following website for the University Code of Conduct and additional information concerning Parental Notification: <http://www.sa.psu.edu/ja/policiesrules.pdf>.

## **Missing Student Policy**

The Pennsylvania State University has a policy and procedure regarding missing students. The policy complies with the Higher Education Opportunity Act of 2008 and addresses the University's policy and investigative procedures that involve multiple departments and/or units within the University. The University will conduct a thorough investigation on any student who is reported missing as well as provide community notifications in such instances. For further information regarding this policy, please contact the Assistant Vice President for Student Affairs at 814-863-4926 or [jqp1@psu.edu](mailto:jqp1@psu.edu).

## **Resources for Faculty and Staff**

Penn State's Employee Assistance Program (EAP) can help if you think you or someone close to you may have a problem with alcohol or other drugs.

If you suspect that you or someone close to you may have a problem with alcohol or other drugs . . . stop hurting and start healing.

Penn State faculty and staff can reach the EAP 24 hours a day, 7 days a week by calling 1-866-749-1735.

Any employee or supervisor with additional questions related to alcohol and other drug problems may contact:

Office of Human Resources: Health Matters  
(814) 865-3085

Community resources are listed on page 19.

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# Selected Crime Stats

## Crime Statistics

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## Policy for Reporting the Annual Disclosure of Crime Stats

The University Police department publishes an activity log every day, which is available to members of the press and public. This log identifies the type, locations, and time of each criminal incident reported to University Police. The Daily Collegian (the student newspaper), the Centre Daily Times (the local newspaper), and the local television and radio stations contact University Police to acquire information from this log. Information deemed newsworthy is published in both newspapers and is broadcast by the local radio and television stations.

The University Police prepares this report to comply with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security and Crime Statistics Act. You can obtain a full text version of this report at the University Police website, <http://www.police.psu.edu>. This document is prepared by information provided by University Police, local law enforcement agencies surrounding main campus and alternate sites such as, Student Affairs, Residence Life, and the Athletics Department. Each entity provides updated statistical information.

This report provides statistics for the previous three years concerning reported crimes that occurred on campus, in certain off-campus building or property owned or controlled by Penn State University. This report also includes institutional policies concerning campus security, such as policies regarding sexual assault and alcohol related offenses.

In an effort to provide timely notice to the community, and in the event of a serious incident which may pose an ongoing threat to members of the community, "Crime Alerts" are posted throughout the University Community. Crime Alerts are usually posted for the following classifications: arson, aggravated assault, criminal homicide, robbery, and sex offenses. University Police will post these warnings through a variety of ways, including but not limited to posters, e-mails, and media. Penn State had adopted an innovative program to assist with the disclosure of important information to the campus community. The University has the ability to send text messages to those who register their cell phone numbers. The text messaging can be a very effective way to send important information to the campus community. Penn State's News Wire publication is an electronic media that is also resourceful for University Police in distributing information regarding crime on campus.

A timely warning shall be made to the campus community whenever the following criteria are met: 1) a crime is committed; 2) the perpetrator has not been apprehended; and 3) there is a substantial risk to the physical safety of other members of the campus community because of this crime. Such crimes include, but are not limited to: 1) Clery reportable crimes; or 2) any crime involving serious bodily injury or the threat of serious bodily injury.

In addition, whenever there is a pattern of crime against persons or property, timely warnings will be issued if such warning would aid citizens in protecting themselves.

At University Park, Chief of University Police will generally make the determination if a timely warning is required. However, when there are exigent circumstances requiring an immediate notification, any police supervisor may authorize implementation of the timely warning procedures.

In relation to off-campus crimes, a crime alert shall be issued as stated in the above circumstances if the crime occurred in a location which is used and frequented by the University population.

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# Jeanne Clery Act

Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act (20 USC § 1092(f)) is the landmark federal law, originally known as the Campus Security Act, that requires colleges and universities across the United States to disclose information about crime on and around their campuses.

## Clery Crimes

**Murder/Manslaughter**—defined as the willful killing of one human being by another.

**Negligent Manslaughter**—is defined as the killing of another person through gross negligence.

**Forcible sex offenses**—is defined as any sexual act directed against another person, forcibly and/or against that person's will; or not forcibly or against the person's will where the victim is incapable of giving consent. Including: forcible rape, forcible sodomy, sexual assault with an object, forcible fondling.

**Non forcible sex offense**—unlawful, non-forcible sexual intercourse. Including, incest and statutory rape.

**Robbery**—is defined as taking or attempting to take anything of value from the car, 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**—is defined as an unlawful attack by one person upon another for the purpose of inflicting severe or aggravated bodily injury. This type of assault usually is accompanied by the use of a weapon or by means likely to produce death or great bodily harm.

**Burglary**—is the unlawful entry of a structure to commit a felony or a theft.

**Motor Vehicle Theft**—is the theft or attempted theft of a motor vehicle.

**Arson**—any willful or malicious burning or attempt to burn, with or without intent to defraud, a dwelling house, public building, motor vehicle or aircraft, personal property of another, etc.

## Reportable Hate Crimes

**Larceny/Theft**—includes, pocket picking, purse snatching, shoplifting, theft from building, theft from motor vehicle, theft of motor vehicle parts or accessories, and all other larceny

**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 or Property (except Arson)**—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.

## Categories of Hate Crimes:

**Race**—A preformed negative attitude toward a group of persons who possess common physical characteristics genetically transmitted by descent and heredity which distinguish them as a distinct division of humankind

**Gender**—A preformed negative opinion or attitude toward a group of persons because those persons are male or female.

**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

**Sexual Orientation**—A preformed negative opinion or attitude toward a group of persons based on their sexual attraction toward, and responsiveness to, members of their own sex or members of the opposite sex.

**Ethnicity/national origin**—A preformed negative opinion or attitude toward a group of persons of the same race or national origin who share common or similar traits, languages, customs and traditions.

**Disability**—A preformed negative opinion or attitude toward a group of persons based on their physical or mental impairments/challenges, whether such disability is temporary or permanent, congenital or acquired by heredity, accident, injury, advanced age or illness.

# Clery Statistics

The following annual security report provides crime statistics for selected crimes that have been reported to local police agencies or to campus security authorities. The statistics reported here generally reflect the number of criminal incidents reported to the various authorities. The statistics reported for the sub categories on liquor laws, drug laws and weapons offenses represented the number of people arrested or referred to campus judicial authorities for respective violations, not the number of offenses documented. This report complies with 20 U.S. Code Section 1092 (f).

CRIMINAL OFFENSES:	2007				2008				2009			
	On Campus	Residence Halls	Public Property	Non-Campus	On Campus	Residence Halls	Public Property	Non-Campus	On Campus	Residence Halls	Public Property	Non-Campus
Murder/Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses: Forcible	8	6	0	2	9	4	2	5	8	6	0	2
Sex Offenses: Non Forcible	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	3	0	0	4	3	0	0	0	2	1	1	0
Aggravated Assault	3	0	1	1	9	3	0	0	6	2	5	1
Burglary	112	73	0	17	46	22	0	26	49	30	1	15
Motor Vehicle Theft	4	0	1	2	4	0	1	2	2	0	1	0
Arson	7	5	0	0	8	5	0	3	14	10	0	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>HATE CRIMES:</b>												
Disability	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ethnicity	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Race	0	0	0	0	1(a)	0	0	2	0	1	0	0
Religion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Sexual Orientation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>ARRESTS:</b>												
Weapons Violations	1	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	1	0	1	1
Drug Law Violations	176	117	7	14	172	80	15	11	177	102	8	21
Liquor Law Violations	762	184	72	54	856	206	96	39	761	205	119	26
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>939</b>	<b>301</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>1029</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>938</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>47</b>
<b>REFERRALS:</b>												
Weapons Violations	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Drug Law Violations	6	0	0	0	4	3	0	0	1	1	0	0
Liquor Law Violations	402	368	0	0	338	338	0	0	459	459	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>369</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

(a) Aggravated Assault

# Campus Criminal Statistics

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CAMPUS: University Park	2007			2008			2009		
	ON CAMPUS			ON CAMPUS			ON CAMPUS		
	ACTUAL OFFENSES	*CRIME RATE	ARREST DATA	ACTUAL OFFENSES	*CRIME RATE	ARREST DATA	ACTUAL OFFENSES	*CRIME RATE	ARREST DATA
<b>PART I OFFENSES</b>									
<b>CRIMINAL HOMICIDE</b>									
A. Murder and Non-Negligent Manslaughter									
B. Manslaughter by Negligence									
<b>FORCIBLE RAPE</b>									
A. Rape by Force	3	5	1				2	4	0
B. Assault to Rape - Attempts									
<b>ROBBERY</b>									
A. Firearm	1	2	0						
B. Knife or Cutting Instrument									
C. Other Dangerous Weapon									
D. Strong Arm (Hands, Feet, Etc.)	4	7	2	2	4	1			
<b>ASSAULT</b>									
A. Firearm	0	0	3						
B. Knife or Cutting Instrument				1	2	0	3	5	2
C. Other Dangerous Weapon	1	2	0				9	16	6
D. Hands, Fists, Feet, Etc.	3	5	0	8	15	7	11	20	12
<b>BURGLARY</b>									
A. Forcible Entry	0	0	40						
B. Unlawful Entry - No Force	6	11	0	11	20	1	12	21	2
C. Attempted Forcible Entry	74	133	0	39	71	3	33	59	2
							1	2	0
<b>LARCENY - THEFT (Except Motor Veh.)</b>	460	826	24	413	754	66	439	784	67
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT</b>									
A. Autos	0	0	3						
B. Trucks and Buses	4	7	0	4	7	2	1	2	1
C. Other Vehicles	1	2	0				2	4	0
<b>ARSON</b>	4	7	2	4	7	0	13	23	3
<b>TOTAL PART I OFFENSES</b>	560	1006	75	483	882	80	526	939	96
<b>PART II OFFENSES</b>									
Assaults - Non Aggravated	21(1)	38	7	51(1)	93	40	31	55	24
Forgery and Counterfeiting	7	13	5	7	11	2	9	16	5
Fraud	72	129	37	57	104	38	43	77	27
Embezzlement							37	66	6
Stolen Prop., Rec., Possess., etc.	8	14	6	5	9	7	8	14	5
Vandalism	347(1)	623	56	364(1)	664	67	292	521	57
Weapons, Carrying, Possess., etc.	1	2	0	1	2	0	2	4	1
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice									
Sex Offenses (Exc. Prostitution & Rape)	8	14	2	22	40	13	17	30	5
Drug Abuse Violations									
S Opium-Cocaine	2	4	1	4	7	4	4	7	1
A Marijuana	16	29	19	13	24	12	8	14	4
L Synthetic	2	4	7	0	0	1			
E Other	1	2	0	1	2	1	4	7	1
P Opium-Cocaine	1	2	0	2	4	3	1	2	0
O Marijuana	100	180	113	136	248	119	149	266	118
S Synthetic				1	2	1			
S. Other	7	13	23	2	4	2	0	0	1
Gambling									
Book Making									
Numbers, etc.									
Offenses Against Family & Children	1	2	0						
Driving Under the Influence	56	101	56	119	217	117	78	139	80
Liquor Laws	487	875	628	571	1042	564	548	978	574
Drunkenness	111	199	110	150	274	147	157	280	152
Disorderly Conduct	168(7)	302	46	213(4)	389	133	271	484	160
Vagrancy				1	2	0			
All Other Offenses (Exc. Traffic)	79	142	78	66	120	52	67	120	45
<b>TOTAL PART II OFFENSES</b>	1495	2686	1194	1785	3258	1323	1726	3082	1266
<b>TOTAL PART I &amp; PART II OFFENSES</b>	2055	3692	1269	2268	4140	1403	3978	7102	2628

\*RATE: Per 100,000 population. Population is calculated using full time equivalent students, faculty and staff.

(" )" indicates the number of incidents, if any, that are classified as hate crimes by the Hate Crimes Statistics Act (28 U.S.C. 534).

Footnote: These statistics comply with the Pennsylvania Campus Security Act (PA Title 24 Section 2502-1 to -5) enacted May 1988.

(a) Aggravated Assault

# Know how many and make the cut.

## Excessive drinking can take you out of the picture.

A 2008 survey of Penn State students indicates that, compared to lower-risk drinkers, high-risk drinkers\* are more likely to:

- Miss a class
- Do poorly on an assignment or test
- Have difficulty concentrating in class
- Fall behind in school

## Cut your number of drinks— find out what you're missing.

Know how many drinks you typically have  
and start by cutting down by a third this  
weekend . For more tips on responsible  
drinking, visit <http://csap.psu.edu>.

\* Source: Student Affairs Research and Assessment, Penn State  
Pulse, Student Drinking January/February 2008



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# Crime Prevention

In an effort to promote community awareness it is the desire of University Police to establish a working relationship with the Penn State Community. We hope to accomplish this through a variety of public education programs and services. To request a program, please contact the Crime Prevention and Community Education Officer, Rebecca Bywater at 814-863-1278. Some of the programs and services that University Police offer are:

## **Acts of Intolerance Jeopardy**

This interactive Jeopardy game is a fun way to encourage students to participate in teams and learn about racism, sexism, ableism, and religion oppression.

## **Alcohol Awareness**

A presentation is given on the effects of alcohol and the laws and consequences. Fatal Vision goggles are used as part of this demonstration.

## **Bicycle Rodeos**

Bicycle officers provide information on bicycle rules and safety, as well as demonstrating various riding techniques.

## **Blurred Lines / DUI Awareness**

A presentation is given on Driving Under the Influence, including laws, detection, arrest procedures, and prosecution. Participants are able to observe officers demonstrate actual field sobriety tests that are given to intoxicated motorists in the course of the officer's duty.

## **Domestic Violence**

The program provides awareness and statistical information on the common challenges victims face with relationship / domestic violence.

## **Drug and Alcohol Jeopardy**

This interactive Jeopardy game is a fun way to encourage students to participate in teams and learn about drug and alcohol use.

## **Drug Awareness and Recognition**

The program focuses on the various narcotics that are used, their effects on persons and society, laws governing narcotics and various statistics in regards to usage and costs to society.

## **Identity Theft**

Officers will present information and precautions to be taken to minimize the risk of becoming the victim of identity theft.

## **Office Interviews on Any Topic**

Office staff are available for interview by persons seeking information for speeches, papers, or news articles. Appointments are preferred.

## **Office Safety**

A presentation is given on office security, such as personal safety and theft prevention in the work place.

## **Operation ID / Engraving**

University Police provide engraving tools and instruction to persons interested in marking and identifying valuable items.

## **Rape Aggression Defense (RAD)**

RAD is a comprehensive self-defense system for women. The program includes awareness, prevention, risk reduction and avoidance, as well as options available to women during a confrontation or attack. The program is 12 hours in length.

## **Ride-A-Long**

Participants may ride or walk with an officer on routine patrol for up to a two hour period to gain firsthand knowledge of police procedures and operations.

## **Self Awareness & Familiarization Exchange (SAFE)**

University Police provide SAFE, a self defense awareness and familiarization exchange for women. It is taught by certified SAFE instructors. It is not a physical defense program, but rather a method of distributing crime prevention information for individual study. The program is 2 hours in length.

## **Sexual Assault Prevention**

Issues involving sexual assault and corresponding relevant statistics are presented.

## **Theft Prevention**

Officers will present information and precautions to be taken to minimize the risk of becoming the victim of theft.

## **Work Place Violence**

This program helps managers and supervisors assess employee potential for acting violently in the workplace.

## **Your Law Enforcement on Campus**

Officer are available to discuss police procedures and services available from the department

Year	Programs Conducted
2007	255
2008	202
2009	215

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# On Campus Living

## Campus Facilities

At University Park campus, administrative buildings are open from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, and academic buildings generally are open from 7:00 a.m. until 11:00 p.m.

Academic buildings are scheduled to be open on weekends only as needed. Access to individual classrooms and laboratories is limited to those enrolled in the courses meeting there. Likewise, access to most programs is limited to those enrolled in the program. Many cultural and athletic events held in University facilities are open to the public.

Other facilities such as the bookstore, library, and HUB are likewise open to the public. Only those who have demonstrated a need are issued keys to a building. University facilities are well-maintained with security concerns given a high priority. Landscaping and outdoor lighting on campus are designed for safety and security. Sidewalks are designed to provide well-traveled, lighted routes from parking areas to buildings and from building to building. Maps showing the best lit and most-traveled routes across campus at night are available by contacting University Police. As needs are identified, new sidewalks and lights are installed.

## Housing Options

At the University Park campus, a variety of housing options exist including: on and off campus housing, single, double, group housing, single sex or coed living, special living options, graduate and married student living. During fall semester, first year full-time, degree-seeking students have priority for on-campus housing. During spring semester, however, any registered student may apply. Each residence hall area is supervised by an Assistant Director of Residence Life and a number of professional coordinators. In addition, each hall is staffed by trained graduate or undergraduate student Resident Assistants. It is possible to change one's room assignment for a number of reasons, including medical need (with appropriate documentation), emergency (after discussion with the residence hall staff), and direct room exchange with a student of the same gender.

## Residence Halls

At the University Park campus, all residence halls operate under a computerized Access Control and Security Monitoring System. Identification cards are coded so that entry to these residence halls can be made only by those students who live there; the system denies entry to all unauthorized persons. When any exterior door is left ajar, an audible alarm is activated, then it is the responsibility of the roving Auxiliary Officers to check on the doors and secure them. When a door is malfunctioning, personnel are summoned for immediate repair. Remember to lock your doors and windows. All residence hall and apartment exterior doors are equipped with locks and with crash bars to ensure a quick emergency exit.

Only residents and their invited guests are permitted in the living areas of the residence halls. It is the resident's responsibility to ensure that his/her guest are aware of the University and residence hall policies. Guests are not provided with room keys or door access cards. Guests of the opposite sex must be escorted by a resident of the building at all times. All exterior doors are locked 24 hours a day. It is the responsibility of residents and staff members to challenge or report individuals who cannot be identified as residents or the guests of residents. When University Police receive a report of an unescorted person in a residence hall, a police officer is dispatched to identify that person. University Police assigns the largest number of its officers between the hours of 10:30 p.m. until 4:00 a.m. Most of these officers spend much of their time patrolling in and around the residence hall complexes. Student auxiliary officers are assigned to patrol the residence hall areas from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 a.m. During low-occupancy periods such as holidays and scheduled breaks, students are consolidated into designated buildings and gain access via the University's electronic access control system. During the summer when groups who are not regularly associated with Penn State are using the University residence halls, exterior doors are locked 24 hours a day. Each guest is issued an identification card which allows them to gain access to their assigned building via the electronic access control system. A 24 hour desk operation is staffed in each residence hall area in use and buildings are periodically checked by University Police personnel.

# On Campus Living

## Fire Safety

Penn State takes Fire Safety very seriously and continues to enhance its programs to the university community through education, engineering and enforcement. Educational programs are presented throughout the year to faculty, staff and students so they are aware of the rules and safe practices. These programs which are available at all campus locations include identification and prevention of fire hazards, actual building evacuation procedures and drills, specific occupant response to fire emergencies and hands-on use of fire extinguishers.

All University residence halls have emergency evacuation plans and conduct monthly fire drills during the school year to allow occupants to become familiar with and practice their evacuation skills.

PSU has been a leader in ensuring the safety of students, faculty, staff and visitors who live and work in university operated residences. Automatic Sprinkler Systems and fire alarm systems are recognized engineered building features that help to provide for a fire safe living environment. All University operated residence halls and apartments are provided with automatic sprinkler systems, smoke detectors and building fire alarm systems to provide early detection and warning of a possible fire emergency. Additionally, Food Service staff at University Park are trained annually on hands-on use of fire extinguishers and emergency procedures in the event of a fire.

The University maintains and tests all fire alarms and automatic fire suppression systems in accordance with the appropriate National Fire Protection Association Standard to insure system readiness and proper operation in the event of a fire emergency.

The University has adopted and developed numerous Safety Policies and Guidelines to help promote a safe living and work environment at all University locations. These policies, guidelines and other fire safety information can be accessed on the internet at <http://www.ehs.psu.edu>.

Additional protection is provided by University Park Police Officers who are trained for initial response to fire incidents occurring at University Park facilities. Officers provide assistance in building evacuation and extinguishment / confinement of small fires.

A Special Response Unit Vehicle is available to Police Officers at University Park for response to emergencies. The vehicle provides equipment and protective equipment for Officers to extinguish and control small fires involving ground cover, outdoor trash receptacles and other non-structural type fires.

In addition, laboratory safety and evacuation plans are also part of the Environmental Health and Safety mission. EHS is dedicated to maintaining the safety of our community by conducting annual inspections, plan reviews, and evacuation drills are in all laboratories on campus.

## Annual Fire Safety Report

The Higher Education Opportunity Act enacted on August 14, 2008, requires institutions that maintain on-campus student housing facilities to publish an annual fire safety report that contains information about campus fire safety practices and standards of the institution. The following report details all information required by this act as it relates to the University Park Campus of The Pennsylvania State University.

### Definitions

The following terms are used within this report. Definitions have been obtained from the Higher Education Opportunity Act:

**On-Campus Student Housing**—A 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 within a reasonable contiguous area that makes up the campus.

**Fire**—Any instance of open flame or other burning in a place not intended to contain the burning or in an uncontrolled manner.

## 2009 Fire Statistics for On-Campus Student Housing Facilities

Date	Location	Cause	Damage Amount	Injuries	Deaths
1/17/2009	Porter Hall—#7	Burning paper in trash can	0	0	0
2/27/2009	2509 Nittany Apartments	Accidental—pizza box in oven	\$1,185.23	0	0
2/28/2009	Hastings Hall—#142	Accidental—paper smoldering due to contact with curling iron	0	0	0
3/5/2009	4503 Nittany apartments	Accidental—pan on stove activated smoke alarm	\$28.60 (staff cleaning)	0	0
6/22/2009	McKean Hall—#505	Accidental—burned food causing damage to microwave	\$100.00	0	0
9/13/2009	4208 Nittany Apartments	Accidental—pizza box in oven	0	0	0
10/4/2009	Stephens Hall Lobby	Arson—elevator door charred by flame	\$57.20	0	0
11/12/2009	Outside of room 902 Pinchot Hall	Intentional—scorched wall paint	\$108.97	0	0

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## Description of On-Campus Student Housing Fire Safety Systems—Residence Halls/Apartments

Building	Area	Fire Sprinkler Coverage	Fire Alarm Systems SD (Smoke detector) MP (Manual Pull Stations)	Monitored Fire Alarm System	Fire Rated Corridors	Fire Drills (Monthly during semester)
Watts Hall	West	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Irvin Hall	West	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Jordan Hall	West	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Thompson Hall	West	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Hamilton Hall	West	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
McKee Hall	West	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Beaver Hall	Pollock	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	7
Porter Hall	Pollock	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Hartranft Hall	Pollock	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Mifflin Hall	Pollock	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Shunk Hall	Pollock	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Hiestler Hall	Pollock	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	8
Shulze Hall	Pollock	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Wolf Hall	Pollock	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Ritner Hall	Pollock	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Leete Hall	North	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Holmes Hall	North	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Runkle Hall	North	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Beam Hall	North	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Nittany 11-17	UAS	Full coverage	SD	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Nittany 21-25	UAS	Full coverage	SD	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Nittany 31-35	UAS	Full coverage	SD	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Nittany 41-45	UAS	Full coverage	SD	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Nittany 51-57	UAS	Full coverage	SD	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Nittany Hall	UAS	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Atherton Hall	South	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
McElwain Hall	South	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	7
Simmons Hall	South	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	7
Haller/Lyons Hall	South	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Ewing/Cross Hall	South	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Hibbs/Stephens Hall	South	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Cooper/Hoyt Hall	South	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Geary Hall	East	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Packer Hall	East	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Curtin Hall	East	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Bigler Hall	East	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
McKean Hall	East	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Pennypacker Hall	East	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Hastings Hall	East	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Stone Hall	East	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Stuart Hall	East	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6

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Snyder Hall	East	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Tener Hall	East	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Brumbaugh Hall	East	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Sproul Hall	East	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Pinchot Hall	East	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Brill Hall	UAS/EVT	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Curry Hall	UAS/EVT	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Harris Hall	UAS/EVT	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Nelson Hall	UAS/EVT	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Miller Hall	UAS/EVT	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Panofsky Hall	UAS/EVT	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Young Hall	UAS/EVT	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	6
Garban Hall	UAS/WC	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	12
Patterson Hall	UAS/WC	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	12
Grubb Hall	UAS/WC	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	12
Dunham Hall	UAS/WC	Full coverage	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	12
Farrell Hall	UAS/WC	Full coverage	SD	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Bernreuter Hall	UAS/WC	Full coverage	SD	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Cunningham Hall	UAS/WC	Full coverage	SD	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Donkin Hall	UAS/WC	Full coverage	SD	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Osborn Hall	UAS/WC	Full coverage	SD	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Palladino Hall	UAS/WC	Full coverage	SD	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Ray Hall	UAS/WC	Full coverage	SD	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Ferguson Hall	UAS/WC	Full coverage	SD	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Haffner Hall	UAS/WC	Full coverage	SD	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Ikenberry Hall	UAS/WC	Full coverage	SD	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Lovejoy Hall	UAS/WC	Full coverage	SD	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Holderman Hall	UAS/WC	Full coverage	SD	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

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## Agricultural Facility Student Employee Housing (Used by a limited number of student employees)

Building	Area	Fire Sprinkler Coverage	Fire Alarm Systems SD (Smoke detector) MP (Manual Pull Stations)	Monitored Fire Alarm System	Fire Rated Corridors	Fire Drills (Monthly during semester)
Beef and Sheep Center	AG	No	SD/MP	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Dairy Barn Center	AG	No	SD	Yes	Yes	Not Applicable
Dairy Herd Managers House	AG	No	SD	No	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Deer Pen Office Center	AG	No	SD	No	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Head House I	AG	No	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	Not Applicable
New Horse Barn	AG	No	SD	Yes	No	Not Applicable
Meats Lab	AG	No	SD	Yes	Yes	Not Applicable
Poultry Center	AG	Yes	SD/MP	Yes	Yes	Not Applicable
Swine Center	AG	No	SD	No	No	Not Applicable

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## Residence Hall Fire Drills

Monthly fire drills are conducted in all on-campus residence halls during the school year to allow occupants to become familiar with and practice their evacuation skills. The drills are conducted by the Resident Coordinators, Residence Assistants, Community Assistance, Housing Management and University Police.

## Prohibitions on Portable Electrical Appliances, Smoking and Open Flames

All on-campus housing facilities prohibit the following:

- Smoking
- Candles, incense burners, oil lamps and other open flame devices
- Torchiere halogen floor lamps
- Obstructing or tampering with fire safety equipment
- Possession and use of fireworks
- Occupant-provided refrigerators and microwaves

Additional information about residence hall living and policies is available at: [http://www.hfs.psu.edu/housing/under graduates/policies.shtml#SFT](http://www.hfs.psu.edu/housing/under_graduates/policies.shtml#SFT).

## Evacuation Procedures

Penn State Housing and Residence Life provide residents with fire evacuation procedures and conduct monthly fire drills during each semester. Residents are informed of the following procedures:

*If you discover a fire in the residence hall:*

- Immediately activate the nearest manual fire alarm pull station. The fire alarm system will alert people to evacuate the building.
- Call 911 from a safe location to report the fire and to give as much information as possible.

*Evacuation from the Building:*

- Upon activation of the fire alarm system everyone shall immediately leave the building.
- Feel the door. If it is hot, do not open it.
- If the door is cool, crouch low and open the door slowly. Close the door quickly if smoke is present.

- If the hallway is smoke-free or there is a light smoke condition, proceed to the nearest exit. If a light smoke condition is present stay below the smoke (crouch or crawl).
- Leave the building and meet at your designated evacuation meeting site.
- Never use elevators during a fire evacuation.

*If you are trapped in your room:*

- Place material (e.g. clothing, rug) at base of door to prevent smoke from entering the room.
- Open your window, wave a piece of material and yell to attract the attention of people outside.
- Call 911 and report your location.
- Stay low; breathe fresh air near the windows.
- Await rescue.

## Fire Safety Education and Training Programs for Students, Faculty and Staff

Environmental Health and Safety (EHS), in coordination with Residence Life and Housing and Food Service, provides annual training to Resident Assistants (RA), Community Assistants and Residence Life Coordinators.

*Topics addressed during this training include:*

- Fire prevention in the residence hall
- What to do in the event of a fire
- Evacuation planning
- How to report a fire or other emergency
- How residence hall fire safety systems operate

Additional fire safety training and education programs for residence hall students are coordinated by Resident Assistants and Community Assistants.

Other general safety and fire safety information is available to students, faculty and staff on the Environmental Health and Safety web site at <http://www.ehs.psu.edu>.

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## Fire Incident Reporting

Students, faculty and staff are instructed to call 911 to report a fire emergency.

Non-emergency notifications (e.g. evidence that something burned) are made to:

PSU Police 814-863-1111

Environmental Health and Safety 814-865-6391

### *Housing & Residence Life Area Offices:*

Central Housing Office ..... 814-865-7543

Central Residence Life ..... 814-863-1710

East Housing ..... 814-865-1791

East Residence Life ..... 814-865-5375

South Housing ..... 814-865-2391

South Residence Life ..... 814-865-8322

Pollock Housing ..... 814-865-4321

Pollock Residence Life ..... 814-865-6503

North/West Housing ..... 814-865-9526

North/West Residence Life ..... 814-865-5951

University Apartments & Suites ..... 814-865-6025  
(Housing & Residence Life Joint Office)

## Plans for Future Improvements in Fire Safety

Penn State continues to monitor trends related to residence hall fire incidents and alarms to provide a fire safe living environment for all students. New programs and policies are developed as needed to help insure the safety of all students, faculty and staff.

## Penn State Police Walking Escort Service

University Police provides a Security Escort Service to the University Community. The Security Escort Service is designed to provide walking accompaniment to Penn State students, employees, and visitors who may feel unsafe walking alone on campus at night. Mobile escorts may also be provided to augment the walking service, when appropriate. Uniformed student employees who are equipped with police radios will walk persons from one on-campus location to another and within reasonable walking distance off-campus. Escorts are available from dusk to dawn 365 days a year. To request an Escort, call 865-WALK (865-9255).

## Campus Lighting

At University Park, landscaping and outdoor lighting are designed for safety and security. Sidewalks and building entrances are illuminated to provide well-traveled, lighted routes from parking areas to buildings and from building to building. Maps showing the best-lit and most traveled routes across campus are available by contacting University Police. Surveys of University property are conducted twice a year to evaluate the need for additional lights. At University Park, there are over 2,700 walkway, parking lot and roadway lights that provide illumination on campus.

## Emergency Phones

More than 200 emergency phones are located throughout the University Park Campus. Phones are located in public areas of buildings including parking garages, elevators, residence hall complexes, administration buildings and also numerous outdoor locations. Emergency phones provide direct voice communications to the University Police Dispatch Center for the reporting of emergencies or requests for assistance.

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## Emergency Management

### Penn State Office of Emergency Management

The Office of Emergency Management is responsible for the Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan (CEMP). This plan is designed to be an all-hazards disaster and emergency plan that complies with FEMA guidelines for Higher Education that includes planning, mitigation, response, and recovery actions.

*Our priorities are:*

- Life safety, infrastructure integrity, and environmental protection during an emergency
- Coordination with university departments to write, maintain, test, and exercise the CEMP
- Cooperation, Integration, and Mutual Aid with local, state and federal planning, response, and public safety agencies and their CEMPs.

### Emergency Response Notifications

The Pennsylvania State University uses the emergency notification vendor, E2Campus, to provide alerts via PSUTXT. Penn State's primary emergency notification tool, PSUTXT, is a cellular text service available to students, staff, and anyone in the university community who wants to subscribe. PSUTXT is used to send emergency messages within minutes of the occurrence of an incident. Alerts sent by PSUTXT are simulcast to the university community via our news wire at [www.live.psu.edu](http://www.live.psu.edu), Penn State's Facebook page, Twitter, or at the subscribers choice, their e-mail account. Penn State performs a University-wide annual test of the system. All of the twenty-four campuses have full access to PSUTXT for posting local emergency alerts.

To sign up for PSUTXT, visit: <http://live.psu.edu/psutxt>.

### Drills, Exercises and Training

In early October 2009, the Office of Residence Life and Housing conducted their annual Emergency Shelter Drill. Key members of the staff from Housing and Residence Life have received training and certifications from The American Red Cross in Emergency Shelter Operations. Annually, the staff conducts an Emergency Shelter Activation, testing their shelter plan which is updated on an annual basis. This particular exercise took place in Waring Commons. Representatives from the American Red Cross, Centre Regions Chapter were on location to evaluate the exercise. Participants included representatives from the Office of Emergency Management, University Police and Residence Life Staff.

These policies and procedures are subject to change at any time. Revised August 2010. U. Ed. BSO 10-1020 MPC 101504

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# General Information

## Megan's Law

### Registered Sex Offender Information

Members of the general public may request community notification flyers for information concerning sexually violent predators in a particular community by visiting the chief of law enforcement officer in that community. In jurisdictions where the Pennsylvania State Police is the primary law enforcement agency, members of the general public may make such requests at the local Pennsylvania State Police Station in that community. This information is also available on the internet at <http://www.psp.state.pa.us>. Click on "Megan's Law Website."

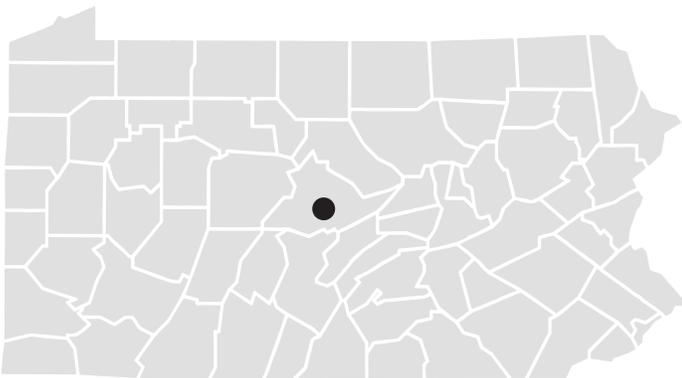
## Register to Vote

All students are urged to register to vote in local, state and national elections. Go to <http://fec.gov/votregis/pdf/pa.pdf> for a printable Voter Registration Application. Note that Adobe Acrobat must be loaded to view the Voter Registration Application.

## PSU TXT

PSUTXT is an emergency notification text messaging service that allows Penn State to send messages to your cell phone in the event of a campus emergency, such as weather-related school closings, delays, and other news alerts. Your subscription is free for this service, but your phone plan may charge for receiving text messages. To register, go to [www.live.psu.edu/psutxt](http://www.live.psu.edu/psutxt) and follow the instructions on the bottom of the page under the PSU Text Messaging Alerts headline. To verify that you have subscribed, you will receive a text message at the cell phone number you provided. Then, follow the instructions you receive in order to validate your subscription. You can also subscribe to receive these messages via e-mail using the same website referenced above.

## University Park Campus



The University Park campus of Penn State is located in State College, Pennsylvania.

### On Campus:

12,000 undergraduate and  
1,000 graduate students live in the residence halls, apartments, and housing.  
23,000 undergraduate and  
6,000 graduate students reside off campus.  
16,000+ faculty and staff are employed at the University Park Campus.

## Resources

### Personalized Alcohol Use Screening and Education (PAUSE)

University Health Services  
201 Student Health Center  
814-863-0461  
*Intervention*  
*Referral*

### Center for Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS)

501 Student Health Center  
814-863-0395  
*Individual and group counseling*  
*Crisis intervention*

### Center for Women Students

204 Boucke Building  
814-863-2027  
*Sexual assault and relationship violence information*  
*Referrals*  
*Advocacy*

### Disability Services

116 Boucke Building  
814-863-1807  
*Academic adjustments*  
*Auxiliary aids*

### Office of Judicial Affairs

135 Boucke Building  
814-863-0432

## Community Resources

### Alcoholics Anonymous (AA)

814-237-3757

### Centre County Drug and Alcohol

Willowbank Building  
420 Holmes Street  
Bellefonte, PA 16823  
814-355-6782

### Community Help Centre

141 West Beaver Avenue, #1  
State College, PA 16801  
814-237-5855  
800-643-5432 — 24-hour Hotline

### Women's Resource Center

140 W. Nittany Avenue  
State College, PA 16801  
814-234-5222 Resource Information  
814-234-5050 — 24-hour Hotline  
877-234-5050 Toll-Free

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University Police  
Eisenhower Parking Deck  
University Park, PA 16802

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### **Important Telephone Numbers**

**Penn State University Police/Fire/EMS**

814-863-1111

911

Eisenhower Parking Deck, University Park

**State College Borough Police Department**

814-237-7150

911

S. Allen Street, State College

**University Health Services**

814-863-0774

Student Health Center, University Park

**Mount Nittany Medical Center**

814-231-7000

East Park Avenue, State College

**24-Hour Crisis Hotline**

800-643-5432

**Environmental Health and Safety**

814-865-6391

Eisenhower Parking Deck, University Park

## **In Case of Emergency**

**DIAL: 911**

***on any telephone***

**If you are on campus, you can reach University Police by dialing 3-1111 from any campus phone or (814) 863-1111 from any other phone.**

**University Police may also be reached by pressing the emergency button on any of the emergency or courtesy phones located around campus.**