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CLERY REPORTING INFORMATION

The Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act (also referred to as Clery Act) is a federal law that requires colleges and universities to disclose information about crime on and around their campuses. The act is named in memory of Jeanne Clery, a 19-year-old Lehigh University freshman who was assaulted and murdered in her residence hall room on April 5, 1986. The Clery Act mandates that higher education institutions give timely warnings of crimes that represent a threat to the safety of students or employees, and to make publicly available their campus security policies. The act also requires that crime data be collected, reported and disseminated to the campus community, while also being reported to the U.S. Department of Education. This act is intended to provide students, their families, staff and anyone else concerned with accurate and timely information about safety on campus.

On Aug. 14, 2008, the Higher Education Opportunity Act or HEOA (Public Law 110-315) reauthorized and expanded the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended. HEOA amended the Clery Act and created additional safety and security-related requirements for institutions.

Preparation of Disclosure of Crime Statistics

The Riverpoint Campus Department of Security and Public Safety prepares this report in compliance with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Crime Statistics Act. The report can be accessed via the Security homepage at http://spokane.wsu.edu/services/Facilities/Safety_Security/security.htm in PDF format. The report can also be obtained at the security office on campus, located in the South Campus Facility building at 412 E. Spokane Falls Blvd. room 269. Campus crime, arrest and referral statistics are compiled from various sources in addition to those statistics from the Office of Security and Public Safety for the Riverpoint Campus. These sources include but are not limited to, all offices that have designated campus officials such as directors, department supervisors, deans, advisors, counselors, as well as any other office on campus that may, in the time of emergency, take or forward a report to the Office of Security. Crime statistics may also include crimes that have occurred in proximity to the campus which have been reported to the Spokane Police Department or other adjacent security or law enforcement agencies. The Office of Security and Public Safety annually requests crime statistics from the Spokane Police Department as part of an ongoing partnership. Counseling and Mental Health services are not required to inform security or police, on a voluntary and confidential basis, of an event unless it is reasonably suspected that the person may do harm to themselves or any other person within the campus community. A procedure is in place to anonymously report crime statistics that are disclosed confidentially during a session with these professionals. Daily crime log information is compiled by the Clery officer in the Office of Security and Public Safety. These crime logs are posted on a monthly basis in a display case in front of the Campus Security Office located in the South Campus Facility building, room 269. Every year a campus-wide e-mail notification is sent to all participating students, staff, faculty and guests containing this report as an attachment, along with instructions and the location of the website to retrieve the same report. The report is also forwarded to the Washington State University and Eastern Washington University student services for further dissemination through their e-mail contact lists. In addition to electronic dissemination, campus security provides a paper copy in a labeled binder to each student services office on campus to remain accessible to the campus community upon request to view. All the crime statistics found within this report are reported to the Department of Education by the supervisor of the Office of Security and Public Safety for the Riverpoint Campus.
Welcome,

On behalf of the Riverpoint Security Department, I would like to extend to you our greetings. We are committed to maintaining a safe environment for work, study and research. I encourage you to join us as a member of the Riverpoint Campus community, to actively participate in maintaining a safe environment in partnership and report any suspicious activity or crime you may witness. As a member of the Riverpoint Campus, it is your responsibility to help protect yourself and others.

The Riverpoint Campus includes, Washington State University, Eastern Washington University and Innovate Washington (formerly known as SIRTI). We are located in downtown Spokane, commonly known as the University District, which also includes a Whitworth University annex and Gonzaga University across the river.

The Security Department is a full service department consisting of four full-time officers, seven part-time officers and two supervisors, some of which have limited commissions issued by the Spokane Police Department. We are on duty twenty four hours, seven days a week, including all holidays to provide security services. You may contact Riverpoint Security directly at (509) 358-7995.

All the members of the Riverpoint Security Department are committed to making a difference. I encourage you to get to know them. You will find that they are professional, knowledgeable and personable. We look forward to providing you with excellent service as a member of our Campus community. If you have questions about security at the Riverpoint Campus, please feel free to contact me at (509) 358-7993 or by email at Pignataro@wsu.edu.

Al Pignataro
Campus Security Lieutenant
Mission Statement

The Riverpoint Campus Department of Security and Public Safety is concerned about the welfare of all students, faculty, staff and guests. The department is dedicated to providing a safe educational environment, and to protecting the assets of the institution. Because no campus can totally isolate itself from crime, the Riverpoint Campus Department of Security and Public Safety has developed a series of policies and procedures designed to ensure that every possible precaution is taken to protect our campus and its community.

Office Information
The office of Riverpoint Campus Security and Public Safety reports to the Director of Facility Operations. Campus Security and Public Safety works closely with all departments of the Universities represented to ensure that safety policies and procedures are uniformly executed and conveyed in a clear and consistent manner to all student, faculty, staff and guests.

Location
The office is located at 412 E. Spokane Falls Blvd. in the South Campus Facility building, room 269. Officers are available for calls 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Supervisors and uniformed campus security officers provide around-the-clock patrol and services to the campus community. The department currently employs 13 officers, 4 of which serve full-time. 2 full-time officers including the supervisors carry a limited Police Officer Commission issued by the Spokane Police Department. Limited commission officers have arrest powers as a police officer while on duty within the Riverpoint Campus boundaries. The remaining officers are non-commissioned and are governed by the civil service statutes of the State of Washington. They have the same arrest powers as a private citizen as interpreted from common law and the Revised Code of Washington 9A.04.060.

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Security Roles and Responsibilities
Campus Security officers are responsible for a full range of safety services to the Riverpoint Campus community. Services include, but are not limited to, all initial crime report investigations, first responder situations including medical emergencies and fire emergencies, safety escorts, vehicle jump starts and unlocking, and enforcement of all University policies including those relating to alcohol use, drug use, and weapons possession. Campus Security officers submit incident reports and information reports on all crimes on or adjacent to campus that are reported to the department. These incident reports are filed with the office of Facility Operations and are disseminated, ultimately becoming part of its record-keeping process. All incidents that are criminal in nature, or that are likely to become criminal are forwarded to Spokane Police Department for further consideration or investigation.

How to report a crime
All criminal activity, suspicious activity, and other emergencies on campus should be reported directly to the Office of Campus Security and Public Safety by any member or guest of the Riverpoint Campus community. For crimes in progress please call 911 first to alert police and then security at 358-7995 or #40 from a campus phone if there is time. For all other calls, including but not limited to non-emergency, suspicious circumstances and persons, complaints and information requests, please call 509-358-7995. An officer is available to take your call 24 hours a day. Additionally, all Campus Security Authorities are able to take initial reports of crimes from our campus community, and they will forward the report to security or call an officer for response.
Emergency Blue Stations

The Riverpoint Campus currently has seven Blue Emergency Phone Poles within its boundaries. Refer to the campus map for the specific locations at the end of the report, page 24. The Emergency Blue poles call campus security and provide two-way communication between the user and the officer. While a phone is active, a blue light on top of the pole flashes in a strobe pattern for identification purposes. Please remain near the pole if at all possible, so that an officer can communicate with you and respond appropriately. Failure to remain near an Emergency Blue pole when in use, or not communicating with the officer via the speakerphone on the pole may delay response efforts of first responders or emergency services.

Voluntary Confidential Reporting
If you are the victim of a crime and do not want to pursue action within the Washington State University system or the local criminal justice system, we urge you to consider making a confidential report. With your permission, the Supervisor or a designee of the Riverpoint Security and Public Safety Department can file a report on the details of the incident without revealing your identity. The purpose of a confidential report is to comply with your wish to keep the matter confidential, while also taking appropriate measures to ensure the future security and safety of yourself and others while on the Riverpoint Campus. With such information, the University can better keep accurate records of the number of incidents involving the campus community, determine any discernible pattern of crime with regard to particular location, method, or assailant, and alert the campus community to any potential danger. Reports filed in this manner are counted and disclosed in the annual crimes statistics for this institution.

Campus Security Authorities

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Encouragement of Pastoral and Professional Counselor Reporting

While it is not mandatory for Pastoral or Professional Counselors to report crimes that have been reported to them in confidence, Riverpoint Campus Security urges them to confidentially report such incidents which could endanger the person or any member of the campus community in the future. Any report in this manner is confidential, and as such will be recorded under the same policy as a confidential report to protect the identity of the victim or witness.

Access

During business hours (7:00 am to 10:00 pm, Monday through Friday for most buildings) the university is open to students, parents, employees, contractors, guests and invitees. During non-business hours, which include some buildings during the weekends, access to the university buildings are by key, if issued, or by admittance via the Department of Security and Public Safety, with prior approval. Emergencies on or around campus may necessitate changes to any posted schedules. Areas that are revealed as problematic have security surveys conducted of them. Administrators from Facility Operations, Campus Safety Committee, and other offices concerned review the survey results. These surveys examine security issues such as landscaping, locks, alarms, lighting, crosswalk safety, handicap accessibility and communications.

Security Awareness Programs

During orientation in August for WSU students, and September for EWU students in specific departments, services are offered by Riverpoint Campus Security. Verbal presentations by officers are scheduled during the orientations which outline campus wide resources and security related prevention techniques while on the Riverpoint Campus. Programs such as bike registration, bicycle lock purchasing, floor captain and fire drill/ evacuation training, personal awareness training while walking around campus and the urging of community members to call security if they see anything suspicious. Periodically during the academic year or otherwise scheduled special showings, Riverpoint Campus Security, in cooperation with WSU Student Affairs, show active shooter videos and facilitate active discussion after the showing for the campus community. Current crime prevention techniques are also communicated during these meetings, and are also available upon request from the Supervisor of Riverpoint Security and Public Safety Department. Along with periodic seminars, security performs an annual vehicle survey outlining things left in vehicles while parked on campus that would further increase the likelihood of crimes of opportunity to occur. Such items targeted include cell phones, GPS devices, stereo equipment, personal hygiene items, school books and handbags, an abundance of loose change within sight and other easily sellable or tradeable items. A summary report is then published and distributed around campus for the community members to read and review.

When time is of the essence, information is released to the campus community through security alerts which are emailed to a predefined mass email server list. Specific members of the EWU administration are included in the mailing so that they may further disseminate the alert to the EWU staff and faculty, as well as the student base at the Riverpoint campus.

Statement Addressing Criminal Activity Off Campus

When a Riverpoint student is involved in an off-campus offense, a Spokane Police Neighborhood Resource Officer, as per a verbal agreement with the Riverpoint Security Department, will notify us of any serious incidents occurring on campus or in the immediate neighborhood and business areas surrounding campus. This agreement also exists with the Eastern Washington University Campus Police Department whose students attend our shared campus. Riverpoint campus security officers work closely with city, county and state police to facilitate rapid response in any emergency situation.

In the event that a Riverpoint student commits a criminal offense off-campus, local law enforcement, as per agreement, may contact Riverpoint Security for purposes of Student Conduct Code referrals. Any report of criminal activity by a Riverpoint student may be investigated by Campus Security and will be forwarded to the WSU Spokane Conduct Officer, which may result in disciplinary action in addition to any judicially imposed consequences.
Policies and Procedures

Timely Warnings

Clery requires timely warnings only for Clery crimes that (1) are reported to campus security authorities, (2) are determined to pose a threat to students and employees, and (3) occurred on campus, in or on non-campus buildings or property owned by the university, or on public property that is within the campus or immediately adjacent to campus.

In the event that a situation arises and that is a Clery specific crime, that constitutes an ongoing or continuing threat to the campus community or property in the judgment of the supervisor of the Office of Security and Public Safety, a “timely warning” will be issued. The warning will be issued through the intra-campus email system to students, faculty and staff, as well as through the campus alert webpage at http://www.spokane.wsu.edu/campusalert/. Depending on the nature of the crime or threat, especially all situations that pose an immediate threat to the campus community and individuals, the Office of Security and Public Safety may also post timely warning notices on all entrance doors of all campus buildings. These notices will be printed on hot pink letter sized paper in bold black print. Anyone with information that may warrant a timely warning is urged to report the circumstances to the Office of Security and Public Safety by phone at 358-7995, or in person at the security office, located in South Campus Facility building, room 269. Additionally, reports can be taken by the offices of Student Affairs for WSU and EWU, located on the first floor of the Academic Center and the first floor of the Phase 1 buildings, respectively. Those offices will then forward the warning information to the Office of Security and Public Safety, or request an officer to respond. A timely warning may be issued for any other crime or incident as deemed necessary or appropriate.

Emergency Notifications

Upon confirmation of a significant emergency or dangerous situation involving an immediate threat to the health and safety of students or employees occurring on the campus, Washington State University Spokane will determine and employ communication methods appropriate to the situation to notify the campus community immediately, and without delay. Confirmation of significant emergencies will require direct investigation by appropriate University personnel. Taking into account the safety of the community, Washington State University Spokane will determine the content of the notification and initiate the appropriate elements of the emergency notification system, unless the notification will, in the professional judgment of responsible authorities, compromise efforts to assist victims or to contain, respond to, or otherwise mitigate the emergency.

For all campus law enforcement issues, the Office of Security and Public Safety will be primarily responsible for confirming a significant emergency or dangerous public safety situation on campus through victim, witness or officer observations. Upon confirmation, the Office of Security and Public Safety at the officer-in-charge or above level have the primary responsibility to prepare and issue campus law enforcement emergency notifications.

For other emergencies, (non-law enforcement) including, but not limited to, hazardous materials releases, utility failures, computer systems/telecommunications failures, hazardous weather, etc. affecting the WSU Riverpoint campus, other departments at WSU Riverpoint, including, but not limited to, Environmental Health and Safety, Facilities Operations, or Information Technology, may also confirm a significant emergency. All confirmed non-law enforcement emergency notifications will be the responsibility of the Office of Security and Public Safety, Facility Operations or Communications departments, dictated by the nature of the non-emergency. Confirming departments will report the non-law enforcement emergency to the Office of Security and Public Safety, Facility Operations or Communications, who will have the primary responsibility to prepare and issue non-law enforcement emergency notifications.

Whether the emergency is a law enforcement or non-law enforcement issue, those authorized to issue emergency notifications will be responsible for determining the appropriate segment or segments of the campus community to notify. Incident circumstances may require only a floor, building, facility, area etc. which need to be notified as compared to the entire campus.
Examples of situations that would require immediate emergency notifications could include:

- A dangerous suspect at-large for aggravated assault, robbery, arson, rape, murder (even if the suspect is in custody), etc.
- An occurring or impending natural disaster, or
- An occurring or impending man-made disaster.

An emergency notification will include information that would enable members of the university community to take actions to protect themselves. Information to promote safety will include specific information about the type of incident, time, location and instructions on what actions to take and other safety tips.

WSU Riverpoint has three primary tools plus a number of secondary methods of communication. The primary tools include the Crisis Communications System (CCS), which allows for direct contact via telephone voice and text messaging as well as email to those registered for the system; the Campus Outdoor Warning System (COWS), using loudspeakers to provide immediate warning and direction to personnel who are outside on the main body of the campus; and the Spokane WSU CAMPUS ALERT website where more detailed information, guidance and resource information can be posted.

Examples of communication mediums that can be used by the Riverpoint Campus:

- Everbridge Mass Notification System
- Campus Emergency Loudspeaker system (7) on top of Emergency Blue Poles
- Campus Alert webpage at [http://www.spokane.wsu.edu/campusalert](http://www.spokane.wsu.edu/campusalert)
- Recorded Alert Message Line (509) 323-2474
- Campus Email System - separate email list serves for WSU, EWU and Innovate Washington
- Local Media
- Twitter Accounts: @WSUSpokane, @RiverpointCampus
- Facebook at [http://www.facebook.com/WSUSpokane](http://www.facebook.com/WSUSpokane)
- ZZUSIS Portal at [http://zzusis.wsu.edu](http://zzusis.wsu.edu) accessible by WSU students/staff/faculty with a WSU ID#

The Office of Security and Public Safety, Facility Operations and Communications personnel who are identified as having responsibility for issuing emergency notifications are trained and practice on confirming significant emergency or dangerous situations, preparation of notification content and use of the CCS.

All notifications posted on the Spokane WSU CAMPUS ALERT page are the responsibility of the Office of Communications at Riverpoint. The message will be the same Safety Alert text for either law enforcement or non-law enforcement notifications that are released via the CCS, and will be posted on the Spokane WSU CAMPUS ALERT web page. The message will be posted after the CCS alert, and will also include standard text advising recommended actions to take for people to protect themselves as appropriate to the emergency. As the situation progresses, the WSU CAMPUS ALERT web page will be updated or expanded as necessary. The expanded Spokane WSU CAMPUS ALERT message will contain more details and recommendations for actions to be taken for people to protect themselves. WSU Riverpoint Department of Communications will consult with Incident Command and with any appropriate resources, such as the Director of Student Affairs or the Director of Human Resources in crafting these messages. The messages will be vetted by appropriate administrators, if necessary, prior to posting if they are available.

Closure of the incident will be provided with a final posting of an appropriate message detailing the end of the incident and to make it clear that any threat is over.

**Testing Emergency Response and Evacuation Procedures**

WSU Riverpoint will hold an emergency communications systems test at least once a semester. The test will include activation of the Crisis Communication System, Campus Outdoor Warning System, and WSU ALERT web page. Other methods of emergency communication may also be activated during these tests. These tests may be announced or unannounced.
WSU Spokane Campus will hold drills or exercises for campus emergency responders and emergency management personnel at least once each year and conduct follow-through activities designed for assessment and evaluation of existing emergency response plans, procedures, and capabilities. Whenever possible, emergency responders from local agencies will participate in these exercises or drills with WSU Riverpoint emergency responders. WSU Riverpoint Facility Operations will publish a summary of its emergency response and evacuation procedures in conjunction with at least one drill or exercise each calendar year. The summary will include a description of the exercise, the date, time and whether the drill was announced or unannounced. The Department of Facility Operations, in conjunction with the Office of Security and Public Safety, will be responsible for maintaining records of all drills and exercises established for campus emergency responders as well as for emergency communications systems tests. The Department of Facility Operations will keep these records for seven years as required by the Clery Act.

**Missing Student Notification Policy and Procedure**

WSU Riverpoint does not have on-campus student housing; because of this fact, the campus does not have a formal policy regarding missing students. Should a student be reported missing to any campus security authority, best practices will dictate the security department’s response on a situational basis. This response includes, but is not limited to, forwarding the report to the appropriate law enforcement jurisdiction.

**Fire Log and Fire Safety Report Policy**

WSU Riverpoint does not have on-campus student housing; because of this fact, the campus does not have a formal student housing fire safety policy or procedure. Additionally, a Fire Log and an Annual Fire Safety Report are not published.

**Jurisdiction and Conduct Code Policies**

**WAC 504-26-200 Jurisdiction of the university standards of conduct for students.**

The university standards of conduct for students shall apply to conduct that occurs on university premises, at university sponsored activities, and to off-campus conduct that adversely affects the university community and/or the pursuit of its objectives. Each student is responsible for his/her conduct from the time of application for admission through the actual awarding of a degree, even though conduct may occur before classes begin or after classes end, as well as during the academic year and during periods between terms of actual enrollment. These standards shall apply to a student’s conduct even if the student withdraws from school while a disciplinary matter is pending. The university has sole discretion to determine what conduct occurring off campus adversely impacts the university community and/or the pursuit of university objectives.

**Alcohol Policy**

WSU Riverpoint Campus Security seeks to encourage and sustain an academic environment that both respects individual freedom and promotes the health, safety, and welfare of all members of the community. In keeping with these objectives, the University has established a policy and guidelines governing the distribution and consumption of alcoholic beverages on the Riverpoint campus, consistent with laws of the state of Washington. Possession and/or consumption of alcoholic beverages is not permitted on property owned or controlled by the University. Intentionally or knowingly selling, or intentionally or knowingly “furnishing” alcoholic beverages to persons under the age of 21, or to persons obviously inebriated, is not permitted on property owned or controlled by the University.

Alcohol can be served at public events only to those over the age of 21 and only if in conformity with those requirements of the Washington Liquor Control Board and the University regarding the serving of alcohol. Arrangements for serving alcohol at public events must be made through the Events coordinator for the Riverpoint campus. WSU Riverpoint Security, along with Spokane Police Department have primary responsibility in enforcing alcohol and drug laws on the Riverpoint Campus. Any individual known to be in
violation of the University alcohol policy is subject to disciplinary action and possible arrest, imprisonment, or fine according to Washington state or federal law.

WAC 504-26-212 Alcohol
Use, possession, manufacture, or distribution of alcoholic beverages (except as expressly permitted by university regulations), or public intoxication are prohibited. Alcoholic beverages may not, in any circumstance, be used by, possessed by, or distributed to any person under twenty-one years of age.

Illegal Drugs
WSU Spokane Campus Security does not condone possession, use, or distribution of any and all illegal drugs by anyone on campus property. Any individual known to be possessing, using, or distributing such drugs is subject to disciplinary action and possible arrest, imprisonment, or fine according to Washington state or federal law.

WAC 504-26-211 Drugs and drug paraphernalia
Use, possession, manufacture, or distribution of marijuana, narcotics, or other controlled substances, and drug paraphernalia except as permitted by federal, state, and local law.

Weapons
For the safety of everyone, all types of weapons are prohibited on campus. This includes but is not restricted to firearms, ammunition, explosives, air guns, BB guns, crossbows, bows and arrows, spring-type guns, slingshots, firecrackers, and fireworks. Anyone possessing or using any of these weapons can and will be subject to disciplinary action and possible arrest, imprisonment, or fine according to Washington state or federal law.

WAC 504-26-213 Firearms and dangerous weapons
No student may carry, possess, or use any firearm, explosive (including fireworks), dangerous chemical, or any dangerous weapon on university property or in university-approved housing. Airsoft guns and other items that shoot projectiles are not permitted in university-approved housing. Students wishing to maintain a firearm for hunting or sporting activities must store the firearm with the Washington State University Department of Public Safety.

Discrimination Prohibited
The kinds of discrimination prohibited by WSU policy are those which occur on the basis of race, sex, religion, age, color, creed, national or ethnic origin, physical, mental, or sensory disability, marital status, sexual orientation, and status as a Vietnam-era or disabled veteran. Decisions affecting an individual cannot be made on the basis of one of these factors. For example, certain actions cannot be taken on account of a person’s sex, or because of a person’s age, or because of a person’s national origin. Decisions should be made on the basis of neutral and objective criteria by which an individual may be evaluated in terms of his or her accomplishments without regard to irrelevant factors such as sex or race.

WAC 504-26-220 Discrimination
Discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, ancestry, national or ethnic origin, age, gender, marital status, veteran status, sexual orientation, gender identity, or mental, physical, or sensory disability is prohibited in conformity with federal and state laws.

Prevention of Sexual Assault
Sexual assault in any form violates WSU’s standards of conduct and will not be tolerated. WSU has instituted procedures to respond to violations of these standards, programs aimed at the prevention of such conduct, and interventions on behalf of the victims. WSU has also adopted measures to educate the campus community and protocols to assist victims. Special emphasis is placed on the needs, rights, and privacy of the victim and due process for offenders. The University is dedicated to maintaining a quality learning environment which
encourages personal integrity, good decision-making, cooperative rather than coercive interpersonal behavior, and respect for the rights of others. WSU maintains a Sexual Misconduct Prevention and Response Taskforce web site at http://www.sexualassault.wsu.edu. Students are encouraged to use, and are referred to, this web site to educate themselves and others in their community about sexual misconduct. WSU Spokane also sponsored a four day Green Dot training during which advocates were trained to raise awareness and empower them to intercede to prevent sexual assault as well as other acts of violence.

WAC 504-26-221 Sexual misconduct
(1) Sexual misconduct is any sexual activity with another that is unwanted and nonconsensual. Sexual misconduct includes physical contact as well as voyeurism.
(2) Consent to sexual activity requires that, at the time of the act, there are actual words or conduct demonstrating freely given agreement to sexual activity-silence or passivity is not consent. Even if words or conduct alone seem to imply consent, sexual activity is nonconsensual when:
(a) Force or blackmail is threatened or used to procure compliance with the sexual activity; or
(b) The person is unconscious or physically unable to communicate his or her unwillingness to engage in sexual activity; or
(c) The person lacks the mental capacity at the time of the sexual activity to be able to understand the nature or consequences of the act, whether that incapacity is produced by illness, defect, the influence of alcohol or another substance, or some other cause.
(3) A person commits voyeurism if, for the purpose of arousing or gratifying the sexual desire of any person, he or she knowingly views, photographs, or films another person, without that person’s knowledge and consent, while the person being viewed, photographed, or filmed is in a place where he or she has a reasonable expectation of privacy.

If you are a victim of sexual assault
• Take control of what happens to you as a victim by making decisions.
• If injured, seek a medical exam as soon as possible to protect your health.
• Report the assault to police as soon as possible.
• Seek a support person who can guide you in obtaining help.
• Seek out resource people such as counsel.
• Get involved in the healing process by doing things that you know are comfortable for you.
• Encourage others so that they can also join the healing process.

Reporting
Sexual assault victims, on their own or with the help of WSU personnel, are urged to seek immediate attention from the Spokane Police Department, as well as from medical and counseling services. Upon request, WSU personnel will assist students in notifying local law enforcement authorities. Please report any sexually related misconduct to Spokane Police Department and Riverpoint Security as soon as possible. Victims should preserve any evidence that may be necessary to the proof of criminal sexual offense. Preservation includes refraining from showering or bathing and saving articles of clothing worn.
The Director of Student Affairs can assist victims with adjustments in living and academic situations at 358-7526. Confidential Counseling Services are available at 358-7740. Victims are encouraged to contact SAFeT Sexual Assault Response in Spokane at 509-624-7273.

Disciplinary Process
Victims may also report a sexual assault to the Director of Student Affairs. With consent of the victim, reports accusing a WSU student of sexual assault will be handled through WSU’s disciplinary procedures outlined in this Student Handbook. Victims and accused students have the right to be present during a conduct hearing and to have an advisor present at that hearing.
In disciplinary proceedings alleging sexual misconduct, both the complainant and the accused student are
informed of the outcome. On request, WSU will disclose to the alleged victim of a crime of violence, or a non-forcible sex offense, the results of any disciplinary hearing conducted by the college against the student who is the alleged perpetrator of the 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 notification purposes. Students may be sanctioned following a final determination of an institutional disciplinary proceeding regarding rape, acquaintance rape, or other forcible or non-forcible sex offenses. Sanctions range from reflection papers, community service hours, and restitution to suspension and expulsion for serious or repetitive violations. Such disciplinary action will normally proceed without regard to any civil or criminal proceeding.

Registered Sex Offender Information


The Washington State Registered Sex Offender Law began in 1990. The law was later amended to include kidnapping offenders in the registration program (1997). In accordance with the law, the Spokane County Sheriff’s Office is required to maintain the registration information for the convicted offenders living in the entire Spokane County area. Local law enforcement agencies in the incorporated areas of Spokane County are responsible for making sure the offenders living in those jurisdictions are residing at the addresses they reported on their registration forms.

The Sex/Kidnapping Offender Registration Law allows the Spokane County Sheriff’s Office to register and track convicted offenders. However, the sheriff’s office has no legal authority to direct where a sex offender may or may not live. The State Department of Corrections does have limited authority to restrict living choices for offenders who are still on probation or parole for their crime(s). Unless court-ordered restrictions exist, these offenders are constitutionally free to live wherever they choose. Sex offenders have always lived in our communities; but it wasn’t until passage of the Community Protection Act of 1990 (which mandates sex offender registration) that law enforcement even knew where they were living. In many cases, law enforcement is now able to share that information with you. Citizen abuse of this information to threaten, intimidate, or harass registered sex offenders will not be tolerated. Further, such abuse could potentially end law enforcement’s ability to do community information dissemination. We believe the only person who wins if community notification ends is the sex offender, since sex offenders derive their power through secrecy. This site is not meant to violate anyone’s privacy or livelihood. It is a tool to inform the public and provide information as allowed by state law. Please do not misuse or abuse the information we have provided on this Internet site.

**Your Search**

When you enter the search area, you are given the option of two different methods of searching. One will return a report based on the address that you enter. If you enter an address within the city limits of Spokane, only level 3 sex/kidnapping offenders will be displayed. In all other areas of Spokane County this report provides a list of Level 2 and 3 registered sex/kidnapping offenders that have a reportable address in Spokane County, within an approximate half-mile radius of the address information you entered. Also listed is the number of level 1 offenders living in that same area. No additional information is being provided for level 1 offenders because they are least likely to re-offend and most have successfully participated in a treatment program. Information in these reports for level 2 and 3 offenders will contain the offender’s name, age, race, classification level and crime of conviction and or the crime that originally required the subject to become a registered offender. The second search function is related only to “Level Three” offenders, meaning those that pose the greatest potential harm to our communities. All level 3 offenders that registered an address within the Spokane County area are included. This search will provide an approximate address of the offender, a photograph of the offender, and a brief narrative section (when available) describing the past crimes and other information that led authorities to classify the offender as a “Level Three” sex offender.

Regardless of your search method, your report will only contain information about offenders who have properly registered with the Spokane Sheriff’s Office and have a current address in the county.
University and Community Alcohol and Substances Abuse Resources
University and community resources are available to assist students with any problems associated with alcohol and substance abuse. These services include information, assessment, treatment, and referral.

University Resources:
WSU Spokane Counseling Services, Academic Center Bldg., 509-358-7740 room 145C - For WSU students
http://www.spokane.wsu.edu/counseling

Hours:
Tuesday 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Wednesday 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Thursday 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Friday 8 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Weekends, Evenings and Holidays please use the Spokane Crisis Line at 509-838-4428.

Private Practitioners and Private Agencies:
Several private practitioners and agencies are available in the area and are listed in the local telephone directory.

Resource Numbers
Crisis Services and Suicide Prevention
WSUS Counseling 509-358-7740 (weekdays 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.)
WSU Counseling (Pullman) 509-335-4511 (off-hours/Holidays)
Spokane Crisis Line 509-838-4428 (including suicide prevention)
SAFeT Sexual Assault Response 509-624-7273
Ogden Hall Shelter for Women & Children 509-327-7737
YWCA Domestic Violence Hotline 509-326-2255
YWCA Women’s Resource Center 509-326-2255
Spokane Area Hospitals/Health Care
Deaconess Hospital 509-458-5800
Rockwood Clinic 509-838-2531 Main Clinic
Holy Family Hospital 509-482-0111
Providence Sacred Heart Medical Center 509-474-3131
Telephone Nurse 509-335-3575 (24-hr. free consultation-WSU)
Pullman HWS Pharmacy 509-335-5742

Definitions of Sexual Harassment
WSU’s discrimination policy explicitly incorporates and prohibits sexual harassment as a form of unlawful sex discrimination. Sexual harassment is defined as: Unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature constitutes sexual harassment when:
1) submission to such conduct is made either explicitly or implicitly a term or condition of an individual’s employment or education,
2) submission to or rejection of such conduct by an individual is used as the basis for employment or educational decisions affecting such individual, or
3) such conduct has the purpose or effect of unreasonably interfering with an individual’s work or educational performance or creating an intimidating, hostile, or offensive environment. When the University becomes aware of incidents of sexual harassment, it is bound by state and federal law to take corrective steps to terminate the harassment.

WAC 504-26-222 Harassment
Conduct by any means that is severe, pervasive, or persistent, and is of such a nature that it would cause a reasonable person in the victim’s position substantial emotional distress and undermine his or her ability to
work, study, or participate in his or her regular life activities or participate in the activities of the university, and actually does cause the victim substantial emotional distress and undermines the victim’s ability to work, study, or participate in the victim’s regular life activities or participate in the activities of the university.

**Some Examples of Sexual Harassment**

Sexual harassment encompasses any sexual attention that is unwanted. It includes both verbal and physical conduct. Examples of sexual harassment prohibited by this policy include, but are not limited to:

A. Physical assault;
B. Direct or implied threats that submission to sexual advances will be a condition of employment, work status, promotion, grades, or letters of recommendation;
C. Direct propositions of a sexual nature;
D. Subtle pressure for sexual activity;
E. A pattern of conduct that discomfits or humiliates the person at whom the conduct is directed which includes one or more of the following:
   1) comments of a sexual nature;
   2) sexually explicit statements, questions, jokes, or anecdotes;
   3) unnecessary touching, patting, hugging, kissing, or brushing against a person’s body;
   4) remarks of a sexual nature about a person’s clothing or body; or
   5) remarks about sexual activity or speculations about previous sexual experience;
F. Persistent, unwanted attempts to change a professional relationship to an amorous one.

**Enforcement of Prohibitions**

The University vigorously enforces its prohibitions against unlawful discrimination, including sexual harassment, and encourages those who feel aggrieved to seek assistance to rectify problems. Its internal grievance procedures are utilized to investigate and remedy violations. While observing the principles of due process, determinations of policy violations will lead to the application of disciplinary sanctions, including warning, censure, suspension, dismissal, or in some situations, summary suspension. In support of this discrimination policy, the University promotes preventive educational measures to create greater awareness of unlawful discriminatory practices, including sexual harassment among faculty, staff, and students. Administrative officers, deans, directors, department chairs, and supervisors are responsible for making certain that all employees are informed fully of the types of conduct that may be classified as discriminatory, including sexual harassment, and that such conduct is prohibited. Training is available from the Center for Human Rights.

Any employee or student of WSU who believes that he or she has been subjected to unlawful discrimination, including sexual harassment, or who believes he or she has been charged wrongfully with a complaint, may utilize the procedures described in the Discrimination and Sexual Harassment Complaint Procedures.
Eastern Washington University Clery Compliance Information

The following section is provided for the EWU campus community members to reference. Many of the policies regarding criminal acts and student conduct issues may seem similar to the WSU section; however, there are slight differences that could lead to misunderstandings in jurisdiction. It is important to note that WSU has jurisdiction over the entire Riverpoint Campus. As a result, if a person from EWU commits a crime or otherwise breaks a conduct policy, the report of the occurrence will primarily be written as a WSU violation and then be submitted to EWU in the form of a referral, which may have other consequences outside the scope of WSU. Criminal acts will be investigated by WSU Riverpoint Campus Safety officers, and may also involve Spokane Police Department rather than EWU Police. As a matter of policy, Riverpoint Campus Safety reports all criminal acts and conduct code violations involving EWU community members to the EWU Police Department and EWU Student Affairs at the Riverpoint Campus.

Alcohol
Revised Code of Washington (RCW) 66.44.270 Possession or consumption of alcohol by persons under the age of 21 is not permitted on campus. Selling or furnishing alcoholic beverages to persons under the age of 21 is also not permitted on campus. University alcohol policies and guidelines must be met before any alcohol-related event may be permitted. No kegs or “keg-quantities” of alcohol are allowed in the residence halls. Minor in possession of alcohol is a misdemeanor offense; if convicted, it may have a negative effect on certain job requirements or opportunities.

State of Washington Drug Laws
The use or sale of any illegal or controlled substance is prohibited. EWU has a zero tolerance policy in regard to any drug-related issue. The following is a partial list of illicit drugs considered to be controlled substances by the State of Washington (RCW 69.50): Narcotics (opium and cocaine, and all drugs extracted, derived, or synthesized from opium and cocaine, including crack cocaine and heroin); marijuana; methamphetamine; barbiturates; and hallucinogenic substances (LSD, peyote, mescaline, psilocybin, PCP, THC, MDA, STP).
A. State Penalties for Illegal Sale of Controlled Substances: The illegal sale of any controlled substance is punishable by up to 10 years in prison, $500,000 fine, or both.
B. State Penalties for Illegal Manufacture or Delivery of Controlled Substances Narcotics: Up to 10 years in prison, $25,000 fine, or both. Non-narcotics: up to five years in prison, $10,000 fine, or both.
C. State Penalties for Possession of Controlled Substances: Possession of any controlled substance is punishable by up to five years in prison, a $10,000 fine, or both. Possession of less than 40 grams of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia are misdemeanors in the State of Washington. More severe penalties are provided for persons convicted of providing controlled substances to minors and for repeat offenses. Special sentencing provisions for possession of crack cocaine impose a mandatory prison term of not less than five years but not more than 20 years and a fine up to $250,000, or both if:
a) it is a first conviction and the amount of crack possessed exceeds 5 grams;
b) it is a second conviction and the amount of crack possessed exceeds 3 grams; or
c) it is a third or subsequent crack conviction and the amount exceeds 1 gram. Civil penalties of up to $10,000 may also be imposed for possession of small amounts of controlled substances, whether or not criminal prosecution is pursued.

Weapons on Campus
Weapons are not allowed on campus per WAC 172-122-120. Weapons as defined within RCW Chapter 9.41 that are legal to possess are required to be registered and stored with the University Police. Weapons will be checked against the appropriate authority’s databases for the weapons and owner’s status. (Sections RCW 9.41.010, 9.41.040, 9.41.300, 9.41.250 and 9.41.280.)
EWU residents may store two weapons at the Red Barn. Weapons brought into the Red Barn are to be unloaded; the weapon will be checked prior to acceptance. Storage of ammunition at the Red Barn will be in the original
container, clearly tagged or marked with the owner’s name and telephone number. You may transport your weapon(s) in your vehicle to and from the Red Barn and your destination. Weapons must be secured in the trunk of your vehicle, unloaded with the ammunition stored in a separate location.

Concealed weapons are not to be carried on University property. Concealed weapons permit holders will notify University Police for instructions and information about the temporary weapons storage. For further information on the possession and storage of dangerous weapons, contact EWU Police at the Red Barn or call (509) 359-6300, option 3 on the automated menu.

Classifications/Definitions of Sexual Misconduct
Sexual misconduct includes but is not limited to the following: Rape, which includes any act of sexual intercourse that takes place against a person’s will or that is accompanied by physical coercion or the threat of bodily injury. Unwillingness may be expressed verbally or physically. Rape may also include intercourse with a person who is incapable of expressing unwillingness or is prevented from resisting, as a result of conditions including, but not limited to, those caused by the intake of alcohol or drugs. Rape includes not only unwilling or forced vaginal intercourse, but may also include the sexual penetration of any bodily orifice with a body part or other object. Sexual assault includes any unwanted touching or fondling of a sexual nature. Note on consent: Because sexual misconduct between persons often occurs in the context of the use of alcohol or other controlled substances, it is important to stress the critical significance of clear communication and levels of responsibility for behavior while under the influence. Individuals are responsible for their behavior when they are drinking, and drinking is never an excuse for unacceptable behavior. However, lack of consent can exist if a person is too intoxicated to freely agree to sexual intercourse or sexual contact.

Sexual Assault Policy
The purpose of this policy is to implement part 668.47, Department of Education, 34 CFR Part 668, Student Assistance General Provisions, Campus Safety; Final Rule of Federal Policy. This policy is printed in the Federal Register of April 29, 1994. The University is a community whose existence depends on strict adherence to standards of conduct set by its members. Sexual misconduct is a serious violation of these standards and will not be tolerated. The University encourages all members of the University community to be aware of both the consequences of sexual misconduct and the options available to victims. The University urges victims to seek assistance using any appropriate resource.

If a Student is Raped or Sexually Assaulted, the Following Recommendations are Made:
1. Get to a safe place as soon as you can.
2. Try to preserve all physical evidence. Do not disturb anything in the area where the assault occurred. Do not bathe, douche, use the toilet, or change clothing.
3. If the assault occurred on campus, contact University Police at (509) 535-9233 or (509) 359-6300, option 1.
4. If the sexual assault occurred in the City of Cheney, call Cheney Police at (509) 535-9233.
5. If the rape occurred in Spokane County or Spokane City, call Spokane Crime Reporting Center (509) 532-9266, during business hours or email (www.spokanecrimereportingcenter.org).
6. Contact a close friend or advocate, (509) 359-7273 for a 24-hour Rape Crisis advocate, who can be with you until you feel safe again. This person can also accompany you to the medical exam and/or police department.
7. Get medical attention as soon as possible.
8. Additional support is available through Counseling and Psychological Services at (509) 359-2366 or 225 Martin Hall. For off-campus counseling, contact the Spokane Sexual Assault Center, (509) 624-7273. For information to proceed with campus disciplinary procedures, inquire at the Office of Dean of Students.

Sexual Harassment Policy
Sexual harassment is a violation of basic tenets of human dignity. It violates Eastern Washington University’s policies, federal and state laws, civil rights and professional ethics. Sexual harassment will not be tolerated. The University believes education is the best way to prevent sexual harassment. Because of differences in
employees’ values and backgrounds, some individuals may find it difficult to recognize their own behavior as sexual harassment. Eastern Washington University will take all practical steps to educate the campus community about policies, grievance procedures and possible disciplinary actions. Sexual harassment is defined as unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors and other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature when:· Submission to such conduct is made either explicitly or implicitly a term or condition of an individual’s employment or education, or· Submission to or rejection of such conduct by an individual is used as the basis of employment or education decisions, or· Such conduct has the purpose or effect of unreasonably interfering with an individual’s education or work performance or creating an intimidating, hostile or offensive educational or work environment. Sexual harassment may include, but is not limited to, unwelcome actions such as the following:· Use of position or authority to coerce a student or employee to provide sexual favors;· Sexually suggestive comments, demands or insults, or pressure for sexual activity. The University will consider the circumstances and the context in which an incident occurred when determining if such action constitutes sexual harassment. All members of the campus community are required to comply with this policy. The University will take appropriate action against any employee or student of Eastern Washington University who violates the policy. Persons with supervisor’s responsibilities for employees or students are expected to report or take appropriate action when they know of sexual harassment. In determining supervisory responsibility, the extent of control over the circumstances and corrective action, if any, taken by the supervisor, will be considered. Violation of this policy will lead to disciplinary action which is appropriate to the circumstances and which addresses the goal of prompt and effective action to stop sexual harassment. Such disciplinary action shall follow the principles of progressive discipline. Depending on the circumstances, the punishment may include, but is not limited to, verbal and written reprimands, suspension with pay, suspension without pay, demotion, expulsion, or dismissal. This policy is consistent with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission’s regulations on sexual harassment.

**Disciplinary Procedure**

A campus judicial hearing is an administrative hearing, not a criminal one, and therefore it need not use criminal court procedures as a model. The primary consideration in any campus disciplinary hearing is fundamental fairness. To meet this standard of fairness, a hearing must, at a minimum, involve the following three components: Notice, opportunity to be heard, and a decision made on the record. Victims of sexual misconduct are strongly encouraged to report the incident to the Dean of Students and to Campus Police as soon as possible. Also, any member of the University community can, with permission of the victim, file a third-party report to Campus Police detailing an incident involving sexual misconduct. The University cannot initiate University judicial action against the alleged perpetrator based on a third-party report. The report is encouraged, nonetheless, as it can provide useful information for protecting the community at large and connecting similar reports while protecting the victim’s anonymity. It should be clearly understood that a victim of sexual misconduct always has legal recourse outside the University. Victims have the option to be assisted by campus authorities in notifying proper law enforcement authorities, including University police and local police. It is the victim’s right, at all times, to decide whether or not to pursue a complaint, whether in or out of the University system. Any student committing sexual assault can be prosecuted under Washington criminal codes and disciplined under the University’s student conduct code. Even if the criminal justice authorities choose not to prosecute, the University may pursue disciplinary action. Sexual assault can greatly affect the social and academic environment of a college or university, even if it occurs outside the physical boundaries of the campus. The University reserves the right to pursue disciplinary action in the case of an off-campus incident, if that incident occurs between members of the University community and occurs at any building or property owned or controlled by a student organization recognized by the institution or if that incident occurs in any building or property controlled by the institution, but owned by a third party.

**Rights of the Victim**

1. The right to an explanation of the options available to the victim.
2. The right to an explanation of the campus judiciary hearing process.
3. The student may request a change in housing if such change is reasonably available.
4. The right to request a restraining order from district or superior court.
5. The right to a hearing within a reasonable time.
6. The right to challenge any member of the hearing panel on conflicts of interest.
7. The right to have someone accompany them through the disciplinary proceeding as long as participants comply with rules of procedure.
8. The right to know ahead of time the names of witnesses to be called in the hearing.
9. The right to inquire about and be informed of the status of the case at any point during the judicial process.
10. The right not to have irrelevant past sexual history discussed during the hearing.
11. The right to remain present for the entire proceeding.
12. The right to be informed in a timely manner about the outcome of the hearing.
13. The right to make a victim impact statement if the accused has been found to violate the student conduct code and to state what sanctions the victim would like to see imposed.
14. The right to appeal the decision of the judicial hearing board based on procedure and evidence, not outcome.

Rights of the Accused
1. The right to an explanation of the charges.
2. The right to an explanation of the campus judiciary hearing process.
3. The right to a hearing within a reasonable time.
4. The right to challenge the hearing panel on conflicts of interest.
5. The right to have someone accompany them through the disciplinary proceeding as long as participants comply with rules of procedure.
6. The right to know ahead of time the names of witnesses to be called in the hearing.
7. The right to know the status of the case at any point during the judicial process.
8. The right to remain present for the entire proceeding.
9. The right to remain silent. This does not mean that other evidence will not be used.
10. The right to testify on their own behalf.
11. The right to be informed in a timely manner of the outcome of the hearing.
12. The right to appeal the decision of the judicial hearing board based on procedure and evidence, not outcome.

The disciplinary proceeding outcome may include one or more of the following: Dismissal, suspension, probation, fines, restitution, community service, evaluation, censure, warning or admonition. Compliance with the rights to know of the outcome of the proceeding does not violate the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act.

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Definitions

Daily Crime Log
Campus Security and Public Safety maintains a daily crime log that lists all reported crimes. The log outlines the logistics of the crime (date, time, location), the nature of the crime, and how the crime was handled.

Crime Statistics
The Office of Campus Security and Public Safety gathers and compiles Riverpoint Campus Security’s crime statistics. In addition to the crimes reported to Campus Security, the supervisor also solicits information from the Office of Student Affairs. Crime statistics in this report from off-campus venues and adjacent streets were compiled in collaboration with the Spokane Police Department.
These crime statistics are substantiated by the Office of Campus Security and Campus Safety in collaboration with the Office of Student Affairs WSU, Office of Student Affairs EWU, and the Spokane Police Department. Double counting of these crimes is avoided by an oversight process conducted by the supervisor of campus security.

It should be noted that the Campus Security Act was amended in 1998. Any marked increase across years or in the revised statistics from previous years can be accounted for by the fact that the geographic boundaries for reporting were greatly expanded in 1998, and reporting of drug, alcohol, and weapons violations was also broadened to include not only arrests but also disciplinary referrals.

Crime Definitions

Murder
The willful (non-negligent) killing of a human being by another.

Manslaughter
The killing of another person through gross negligence.

Sex Offenses (Force)
Any sexual act against another person without the other person’s consent. (Includes attempts)
a. Sexual intercourse with another person without the other person’s consent.
b. Sodomy with another person without the other person’s consent.
c. Oral copulation (vaginal, anal) with another person without the other person’s consent.
d. Rape with a foreign object (vaginal, anal) of another person without the other person’s consent.
e. Sexual battery is the touching of the intimate parts of another person for the purpose of sexual gratification, without the other person’s consent.

Sex Offenses (No force)
Any unlawful, but consensual sex act with another person. (Includes attempts)
a. Incest--consensual sexual intercourse between persons who are related to one another within the degrees wherein marriage is prohibited.
b. Unlawful sexual intercourse, (statutory rape), consensual intercourse with a person who is under the age of consent.

Robbery
The taking of personal property in the possession of another, from his/her immediate presence, and against his/her will, accomplished by means of force or fear.
Aggravated Assault
An unlawful assault upon the person of another with a firearm, deadly weapon, object, instrument or by any means or use of force likely to produce great bodily harm. (Includes attempts, whether or not an injury occurred.)

Simple Assault
An unlawful assault upon the person of another where no weapon was used and which did not result in a serious or aggravated injury to the victim. (Includes attempts, whether or not an injury occurred.)

Burglary
The unlawful entry into a defined structure with the intent to commit a theft or any felony.

Vehicle Theft
The taking of a vehicle (as defined) without the consent of the owner with the intent to either permanently or temporarily deprive the owner of title or possession of the vehicle.

Arson
The willful and malicious setting of a fire to burn or who burns or causes to be burned or who aids, counsels, or procures the burning of any structure, forest land or property.

Narcotics/Drug Offenses
The unlawful possession, sale, use, transportation, cultivation, manufacturing or maintaining an unlawful place. (Does not include driving while under the influence, and/or being under the influence of narcotic/illegal drugs.)

Alcohol Offenses
The unlawful possession, sale, transportation, manufacturing, furnishing alcohol to a minor (under 21 years), and maintaining an unlawful drinking place. (Does not include public drunkenness or driving while under the influence.)

Weapon Offenses
With certain exceptions, the possession or control of any firearm, deadly weapon, illegal knife or explosive device while on this property. Our residential policy prohibits the possession or control of any fireworks, Pellet or BB guns, switch blade knives, nunchakus, billy clubs or any other deadly weapon.

Hate Crimes
A criminal act motivated by bias against any person or group of persons, or the property of any person or group of persons because of the ethnicity, race, national origin, religion, gender, sexual orientation, or disability of the person or group, or bias based upon the perception that the person or group has one or more of those characteristics.
What you Need To Know About FACEBOOK

Some of the DANGERS…

• Students can be stalked by strangers (or acquaintances) because of the detailed and specific information students post on Facebook (i.e. phone numbers, addresses, class schedules, social plans, etc.)
• Students can get in trouble with University administrators for incriminating and inappropriate information or pictures on their Facebook profiles that are violations of school policy or the code of conduct. (Note: administrators are not monitoring Facebook; however, if information or pictures on a student’s account that violate policy are brought to their attention or are reported to them, they will investigate further.)
• Students are being turned down by employers for jobs, internships, and interviews because of the information employers are finding out about students on their Facebook accounts.
• Compromising and inappropriate pictures, statements, or other information on Facebook accounts can hurt students’ chances to gain employment. Employers take the images that students are portraying on Facebook very seriously as a reflection of personal character.

Some of the BENEFITS…

• Facebook is considered a social networking site and, if used as such, can be a good way to make connections with people with similar interests and goals. Facebooking can be a way to connect with or meet people that a student may not have had the opportunity to before—including other students, staff, faculty, and alumni.
• Thanks to Facebook, meeting someone in person has become a thing of the past. “Poking” has become the new handshake. Making friends is as easy as “Facebooking”—it can create new friendships and renew old ones. Thus, meeting people and staying connected with classmates and friends is a major benefit of Facebook.
• Facebook offers advertising to its subscribers. Whether a student creates a party for an upcoming event or pays the $5 for 10,000 “hits” for an ad, Facebook is a GREAT way to advertise as a student organization, club, Greek chapter, team, etc.
• Most importantly, Facebook offers students the opportunity to create a positive self-image. Facebook profiles give students a chance to create the image of themselves that they want people to see by showing their best qualities. This shows that students care about their reputations and (to a certain extent) what people think about them—whether it is their peers, University faculty and administrators, or future employers.

Helpful Hints to STAY SAFE and BE PREPARED…

• Evaluate your Facebook account and postings—how do you feel about your employers seeing what you have posted? How about your parents or grandparents?
• Do not post private information, such as cell phone number, address, class schedule, social plans, etc., UNLESS you are prepared for anyone to find you, any time of the day or night.
• Utilize the privacy settings on your Facebook account—you can adjust your privacy settings to control who has access to your personal information.
• Search for yourself on the internet to see how your name or identity is being used.
• Subscribe to pubsub.com to keep track of your name and identity on the web.
• Be prepared to answer questions about your Facebook account in job interviews. It has become common for interviewers to ask applicants “Are you on Facebook,” and “What is on your Facebook profile?” BE PREPARED to either decline the question or answer honestly because employers will most likely look at your Facebook account themselves…or already have.
• Once text or photos are added to a Facebook page, they are permanent and forever held in the archives of the internet. You may think that your Facebook account/record is cleared when you delete something, but that is not true. THINK first before posting anything to Facebook. Are you willing to live with the repercussions years down the road?
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Conclusion

The Riverpoint Office of Security and Public Safety is committed to working with the community to resolve all emergency situations and criminal matters in a timely fashion. All members of Campus Security know that for this to happen they must cooperate and work hand-in-hand with faculty, staff, and students of the Riverpoint Campus. We encourage everyone in the campus community and the campus neighbors to become involved. Be aware of your surroundings, look out for one another while on campus, and report anything different or suspicious. By working together, Riverpoint Campus Security, the campus community and its neighbors can create a safe and secure environment.