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About Wright State University

Named after Dayton's early aviation pioneers Orville and Wilbur Wright, Wright State University continues their tradition of innovation. A rich and dynamic community of nearly 120,000 alumni and more than 10,000 current students on two campuses, Wright State's mission is to empower all students to excel in their lives and chosen careers through integrated learning, research, innovation, and experience.

Located 8 miles northeast of downtown Dayton, Ohio, and adjacent to Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Wright State is an accredited state university with an impressive range of study. The university offers more than 300 undergraduate, graduate, doctoral, and professional degrees, including a Doctorate of Medicine (M.D.) through the Boonshoft School of Medicine. Most classes are small and taught by fully affiliated faculty members. A Carnegie classified research university, the faculty is dedicated to advancing the frontiers of knowledge, as well as applying it to real problems. Students gain hands-on experience through a variety of community-based programs, cooperative education, internships, service-learning, and research projects.

The university's state-of-the-art facilities are situated on a beautiful 634-acre wooded setting, and most academic buildings are connected by an internationally acclaimed underground tunnel system.

Wright State is a national leader in serving students with disabilities. The campus is one of the most accessible in the United States and provides accommodations to students with all types of physical, learning, and psychological needs. In addition to the accessible underground tunnel system, the campus features a first-of-its-kind service dog park, a personal assistance program, adapted campus recreation programs, and an adaptive technology center.

Wright State has been designated a top military-friendly school by multiple publications and has been named a Collegiate Purple Star campus. Its Veteran and Military Center delivers high-quality services and helps veterans connect with other students.

The University Libraries—including the Paul Laurence Dunbar Library, the Lake Campus Library and Technology Center, the Student Technology Assistance Center, the Charles and Renate Frydman Educational Resource Center, the Dayton Holocaust Resource Center, and Special Collections and Archives—are electronically linked through the Ohio LINK system to holdings of other major academic libraries in Ohio and to a wide range of databases for research. The Dunbar Library is home to one of the world's most complete collections of the Wright brothers' papers

and memorabilia, and features an ever-growing number of collections that can now be viewed digitally.

More than 160 student clubs and organizations give vibrancy to campus life, enhancing academic, cultural, leadership, service, and social opportunities. Wright State offers 14 NCAA Division I intercollegiate athletic programs, and many students participate in intramural sports and sport clubs. The Wright State University Nutter Center, an 11,200-seat entertainment and sports complex, and other recreational facilities are available to students on a daily basis, including fitness centers, outdoor fitness trails, disc golf, and the Rinzler Student Sports Complex.

The 103-acre regional campus, Wright State University—Lake Campus, is located on the shore of Grand Lake St. Mary's between Celina and St. Mary's, Ohio. The expanding campus serves more than 1,000 students, offering a number of undergraduate and graduate programs, many of which can be completed in their entirety at the Lake Campus. Students can enjoy the convenience and beauty of townhouse-style living on the lake in the spacious campus housing.

Whether preparing students to take their place in our ever-changing world, conducting research that can improve lives, or partnering with local communities and businesses, Wright State University is making an impact and transforming lives, locally and globally.



Wright State University Department of Public Safety

Here to Serve, Protect, and Inform You

The Wright State Department of Public Safety (DPS) is comprised of the Public Safety Service Center (PSSC), Emergency Preparedness, Parking Services, Lock Shop, and the Police Department. DPS is responsible for ensuring a safe environment for all people on the Wright State campus—students, faculty, staff, and visitors alike. The Police Department (WSUPD) is recognized as the official law enforcement agency on campus and responsible for the enforcement of university regulations and the law, notably the Ohio Revised Code (ORC) and the ordinances of the City of Fairborn. The WSUPD investigates crimes in a fair and impartial manner.

One of our most important tools for ensuring a safe environment is information. This report puts important information about the WSUPD and how it operates in your hands. In it, you will find policies on campus law enforcement, including how to report crimes or request a safety escort to walk you to your car. The brochure also explains how you will be notified in an emergency or a potentially threatening situation.

Also included in this report are statistics regarding criminal activity on campus over the past three years. It is our hope that you will use this information to make informed decisions about your personal safety and everyday habits, as well as securing your personal property.

Please keep this information close at hand; refer to it often, and help us keep this campus secure for yourself and others. If you have questions that are not covered in this brochure, feel free to contact us – DPS is here to serve you.

Who We Are

DPS employs the following staff:

- Director of Public Safety/Chief Executive Officer (chief of police);
- two police captains;
- one police lieutenant;
- twelve commissioned university police officers, who are certified by the state of Ohio (in accordance with ORC § 109.77 and ORC § 3345.04);
- two full-time administrative support staff;
- five PSSC operators; and
- one locksmith

Here to Serve You 24/7

Police officers and PSSC operators are on duty 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Patrols of all campus areas, including parking lots and residence halls, are conducted in marked police cruisers and by uniformed officers on foot or on bicycles. Officers respond to calls for assistance received at the PSSC. The PSSC operators also monitor alarms in over 100 areas.

Safety Escorts and Emergency Phones

The WSUPD offers a 24-hour police safety escort service that is designed to enhance safety, peace of mind, and a greater sense of security for anyone who feels unsafe while walking alone on campus. The goal of our safety escort service is to deter assaults, sexual harassment, verbal abuse, or harassment while walking from one location on campus to another. The safety escort service is a walking escort service provided by our police officers. Safety escorts may be requested by calling the PSSC at 937-775-2111.

Emergency phones that connect to the PSSC are marked with a blue light and are strategically located throughout campus buildings, parking lots, walkways, and

remote areas. Further, we have emergency call boxes located throughout campus buildings and in each elevator.

Officer Training

All police officers meet the requirements set by the Ohio Peace Officers Training Council by satisfactorily completing a basic training program for peace officers. Officers subsequently receive in-service training consisting of:

- community policing techniques;
- conflict resolution;
- terrorism awareness;
- crime prevention;
- firearms instruction;
- fire safety and CPR first aid;
- active shooter/direct to threat training;
- bias-free policing
- mental health/crisis intervention;
- officer wellness; and
- legal updates on procedures and changes in the law.

A criminal background investigation is performed on all employees considered for employment with the WSUPD.

Preventing Crime

Crime prevention is the responsibility of university police officers, students, faculty, staff, and visitors. DPS prides itself in that all members of the department are recognized as a community resource team. DPS attends events on-campus and virtually, is proactive in providing presentations and programming, which include a Campus Safety Series that consists of programs such as QPR, NARCAN, General Safety Tips, Driver Safety and Distracted Driving Laws, Drug and Alcohol Awareness, Human Trafficking Awareness, Sexual Assault Awareness, Identity and Scam Prevention, and Run, Hide, Fight. DPS also provides custom programming to the community upon request and takes pride in the Community Connection initiative. For 2024, DPS has had over 23,000 positive community connections and has hosted over 463 training opportunities for students, staff, faculty, and other community members on various topics such as Scams, Sexual Assault Awareness, Alcohol/Drug awareness, and Run, Hide, Fight.

To schedule a presentation or for more information about community safety programming, email the DPS at wsupolice@wright.edu.

Educational Programs

DPS encourages the community to be responsible for their safety and the safety of others. It offers a variety of educational programs to help individuals and groups learn more about such topics as:

- DPS overview;
- personal safety;
- sexual assault/power-based violence;
- active threat/Run, Hide, Fight;
- suicide prevention/QPR (Question, Persuade, Refer);
- Narcan;
- Stop the Bleed;
- drug and alcohol prevention;
- identity theft;
- scams; and
- traffic safety and education.

DPS personnel welcome the opportunity to meet with any campus organization or group about these or any other safety topics.

Informing the Community

All new university students and employees are provided with information about campus safety and security. Security policies also appear in the *Student Handbook* can be accessed at wright.edu/student-affairs/health-and-wellness/student-support-services/student-handbook. Information on campus crime and security policies is available upon request, in accordance with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act.

Information about security policies and procedures is updated annually; changes that may affect students or employees are reported through university news media and by way of handbooks, radio, newspapers, letter, or inperson.

Most policies, procedures, and programs that govern the Dayton Campus also govern Lake Campus and the other branch campuses. Any distinctions in policies are noted in the campus-specific sections found later in this report.

Timely Warning Policy

Timely Warnings are provided to heighten safety awareness by giving students, faculty, and staff notification of crimes that:

- Occur on campus property, non-campus property, or on public property that is immediately adjacent to and accessible from campus; and
- Are considered by Wright State to present a serious or continuing threat to students and employees.

The chief of police for DPS, or designee, is responsible for preparing a Timely Warning when a crime that represents a serious or continuing threat to the safety of the Wright State community is reported to or brought to the attention of DPS.

Information for Timely Warnings may also come from other law enforcement agencies or other offices on campus. While every attempt will be made to distribute the alert as soon as possible after an incident or series of incidents is reported, the release will only take place after it has been determined that the crime(s) represents a serious or continuing threat to students and employees based on the availability of accurate facts concerning the incident(s).

All facts and information obtained about criminal incident(s) are reviewed on a case-by-case basis to determine whether those incidents present a serious or continuing threat to the Wright State campus community. Incidents will be reviewed based on the nature of the crime(s) as well as the facts and information available to DPS.

The chief of police for DPS, or designee, may consult with the executive vice president and chief operating officer and/or the dean of students to determine whether a reported criminal incident(s) represents a serious or continuing threat to the Wright State campus community or to determine the appropriate content of a Timely Warning.

Criminal suspects are often unknown to the victims. However, in the instance of a violent crime occurring between two individuals who know each other, DPS will look at each instance to determine if the suspect poses a continuing threat to the Wright State campus community, and will issue a Timely Warning if necessary.

In addition to notifying the Wright State campus community of a crime(s), Timely Warnings also seek information that may lead to arrest and conviction of the offender when a violent crime(s) takes place against persons or serious crimes against property have been reported. Timely Warnings may also contain information on crime prevention tips or other safety information.

DPS makes every effort to properly classify a criminal incident when issuing a Timely Warning. However, after further investigation, it may be determined that the incident(s) for which the Timely Warning was issued may be reclassified and do not fall within the definitions of reportable crimes. If this occurs, the incident(s) in which the Timely Warning was issued may not be included in the crime statistics provided within this report.

Timely Warning Procedures

DPS will prepare a Timely Warning when a report is received of a violent crime against a person(s) or major property, or is a continuing threat to the Wright State campus community.

Timely Warnings may be issued for such crimes that occur on campus property, non-campus property, or on public property immediately adjacent to and accessible from campus. Timely Warnings will never include the name

of crime victim(s). Information that may be contained in a Timely Warning includes, but is not limited to, the following:

- A brief statement of the incident(s);
- Possible relationship to previous incident(s), if applicable;
- Physical description of the suspect(s), if available;
- Date, time, and location of the incident;
- Any important information about the crime(s); or
- Information on crime prevention, personal safety, or other community safety resources.

DPS may not include some known information in a Timely Warning if providing that information could present a risk of compromising law enforcement efforts. Timely Warnings may be updated if new or more accurate information becomes available to DPS.

Timely Warnings are distributed to the Wright State campus community via emails sent by the Wright State Office of Communications, which are accessible and available to all students, faculty, and staff.

Emergency Notification, Response, and Evacuation

Emergency Notification Procedures

DPS and the Office of Communications work in partnership to manage the emergency notification system, which is named Wright State Alert, and issues notifications when necessary. An emergency notification is immediately issued to the campus community upon the confirmation of a significant emergency or dangerous situation involving an immediate threat to the health or safety of students or employees occurring on campus.

Wright State, without delay and while the safety of the community is taken into account, will determine the content of the notification and initiate the notification system(s), unless issuing a notification will, in the professional judgement of responsible authorities, compromise the efforts to assist a victim or to contain, respond to, or otherwise mitigate an emergency.

Emergency notifications via Wright State Alert may be authorized by the chief of police, the director of communications, or the designee of any of these individuals. Additionally, the Simplex building emergency notification system may be activated by Casualty Prevention, PSSC operators, or any of the other aforementioned individuals.

The process of issuing an emergency notification begins by confirming that there is a significant emergency or dangerous situation involving an immediate threat to health and safety. This occurs by collecting and analyzing

information from a variety of sources, including, but not limited to, firsthand reports from the public, from university police officers, and through the use of alarm and surveillance systems. In some circumstances, other Wright State departments or local, state, or federal agencies may notify DPS of a possible emergency and may provide information or guidance to be used in verifying whether a significant emergency or dangerous situation exists.

Upon confirming that an emergency or dangerous situation exists, DPS, in conjunction with the Office of Communications, will begin the process of issuing an emergency notification.

DPS is primarily responsible for determining the content of an emergency notification based on the most pertinent information provided by university police and how the situation is impacting the campus. The content of the notification is designed to provide warning and basic instruction to promote the safety and well-being of those impacted. In some cases, in order to notify the community as quickly as possible of a dangerous situation, an initial notification may simply state that an emergency has occurred and will advise the community to be observant and take necessary precautions. In these circumstances, additional notifications will be issued once more information becomes available. In most cases, emergency notifications will be issued to the entire campus community, but they may include the specific location of the occurring emergency. If an emergency is confined to a specific building, a pre-recorded building emergency notification may be activated from the PSSC.

If there is a need to disseminate information to the larger community, the Office of Communications will contact the appropriate media outlets and provide them

with statements containing pertinent information about the emergency, including what, if any, emergency protective actions should be taken.

Signing Up for Text

At Wright State, the safety and security of our community is one of our highest priorities. We have added text messaging to our existing emergency alert system that is used to communicate with the entire community in case of an emergency. Text messaging adds a new dimension by which emergency messages can be delivered to you. In addition to unforeseen emergency situations, the service will alert you to school closings due to weather. Your participation will make this system as effective as it can be.

Opting In: Sign up to receive Text Message Alerts

- 1. Log in to your account at WINGS Express via WINGS.
- 2. Choose "Personal Information" from the menu.
- 3. Choose the "Opt-In Text Message" option.
- 4. Enter your cell phone's area code and phone number in the fields provided.
- 5. From the first drop-down list, select your cell phone provider.
- 6. From the second drop-down list, select "Emergencies."
- 7. Finish by pressing the "Submit" button. You may choose to receive alerts for the Dayton Campus, Lake Campus, or both. If you travel between campuses, it is recommended that you select both campuses. Please be advised that your service provider may apply a standard text message fee when you receive an emergency alert.

Opting Out: If you no longer wish to receive Text Message Alerts

- 1. Repeat Steps 1—3 from "Opting In".
- 2. Select "Delete" from the Opt-In Level drop-down list.
- 3. Finish by pressing the "Submit" button.

Emergency Notification Systems

Wright State Alert

Wright State Alert is a multi-modal, all-hazards emergency notification system. This is the primary method by which the campus community will be notified of an emergency. If there is a situation that poses an immediate threat to the campus community, the university will

provide warning using one or more of the following methods via Wright State Alert:

- wright.edu webpage;
- Text messages;
- Email;
- Facebook;
- Twitter;
- Voice messages to campus telephones;
- Voice messages to cell phones; or the
- Nutter Center marquee.

All student and employee emails are automatically enrolled in the Wright State Alert system. Students may choose additional methods of receiving alerts by accessing their account:

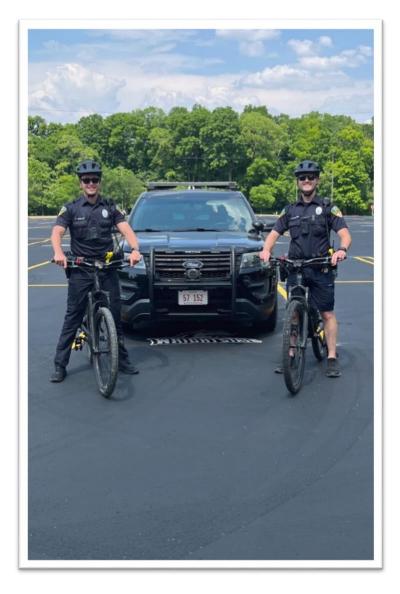
- 1. Sign into wingsexpress.wright.edu.
- 2. Click on the "Personal Information" tab.
- 3. Click on "Manage Wright State Alert Emergency Notifications".

Simplex Building Alert System

All buildings on campus are equipped with the capability to activate an internal building alert that provides occupants with a pre-recorded message to take specific action (e.g., evacuate, shelter-in-place, etc.). The PSSC is primarily responsible for activating the system at the direction of DPS. Individual buildings may be activated for emergencies confined to that space. If necessary, all building alert systems may also be activated at once.

Campus Housing Alert System

Residence Life and Housing maintains a distinct text messaging communications system that may sometimes be used to notify campus residences of emergencies occurring on campus or specific to campus housing. The Director of Residence Life & Housing, or designee, is responsible for issuing and developing the content of the notification. All students are automatically enrolled in the system.



Emergency Response and Evacuation

Wright State is committed to a continual process of preparing for, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the effects of criminal, natural, and technological hazards that may negatively affect students, faculty, staff, visitors, intellectual property, and facilities.

The university maintains an Emergency Operations Plan (EOP) that establishes several organizational structures that are responsible for coordinating all response and recover operations on campus. This plan is continually tested and evaluated in order to identify areas of improvement and gradually build the skillsets of administrative staff with assigned responsibilities under the EOP. In addition to the EOP, the university maintains a multi-year training and exercise plan to ensure a continual process of improvement.

If an evacuation of campus, in part or in whole, is required to ensure the safety of community members, the on-scene incident commander, chief of police, president, or designee of either, may execute the order. The EOP identifies a succession of authority should the president be unavailable to approve an evacuation order.

Testing and Exercises

As noted, the university maintains a multi-year training and exercise program that charts a series of trainings and exercises that increase in complexity over time in order to gradually identify areas of improvement, as well as to build knowledge and to implement skill sets.

On May 15, 2024 the university's Operations Group, consisting of a multidisciplinary team of administrators, participated in an unannounced tabletop exercise focusing on an active threat incident that effected operations. Each exercise was designed to test specific aspects of the EOP.

The university's emergency notification system was tested during the fall and spring semesters. A campus-wide announcement was made a few days prior to the test; this included important information about emergency response and evacuation procedures. Fall semester testing took place on September 25, 2024 and Spring semester testing took place on March 27, 2024.

Drug and Alcohol Prevention

The university is committed to maintaining a workplace free of illegal drugs and the unlawful use of alcohol. Students' ability to successfully function in an academic environment is seriously hampered by the misuse and abuse of alcohol or other mood-altering chemicals.

Alcohol and Drug Laws Enforced

The possession, use, and sale of alcoholic beverages is prohibited on campus, except for special events officially

sanctioned by the university, and students of legal age living in residence halls. The possession, use, and sale of illegal drugs is strictly prohibited on all property that is owned or leased by Wright State. DPS enforces all alcohol and drug laws of the State of Ohio, including:

- underage possession and consumption;
- open container; and
- illegal drug use, possession, and distribution.

Programming and Prevention Initiatives

The Office of Student Advocacy and Wellness, 937-775-4567, in collaboration with other offices, helps educate the university community about the responsible use of alcohol and the dangers of abusing drugs and other chemicals. Staff are available to make presentations on a wide variety of related topics to student clubs and organizations, as well as other university groups. Counseling and Wellness Services staff, 937-775-3407, are also available for consultation and presentations.

Campus-wide programming includes events during National Collegiate Alcohol Awareness Week, Sexual Assault Awareness Week, Mental Health Awareness Week, and Reading Across America.

Intervention Initiatives

Counseling and Wellness Services offers individual assessment and therapy. Resource information regarding health and safety concerns related to substance abuse and other issues, including the availability of and/or referral to community-based approved substance abuse counseling and rehabilitation services are available through a variety of university and community-based services. Please refer to any of these departments for additional information: Counseling and Wellness, Community Standards and Student Conduct (CSSC), Student Advocacy and Wellness, DPS, Residence Life and Housing, Human Resources, and Student Activities.

Further, DPS offers Question, Persuade, and Refer (QPR), a suicide intervention program, throughout the academic year and upon request. Multiple times a year, Wright State will also offer other intervention initiatives, such as Green Zone training, to support veteran/activeduty military wellness and mental health first aid.

Wright State students found in violation of the Code of Student Conduct are referred for participation in an online alcohol education workshop or for individual assessment through Counseling and Wellness Services (or both). The Code of Student Conduct can be accessed at wright.edu/student-affairs/student-life/community-standards-and-student-conduct. For more information, contact the director of Student Advocacy and Wellness, 051 Student Union, 937-775-3749.

Additional assistance is available in Counseling and Wellness Services, 053 Student Union, 937-775-3407. The *Student Handbook* can be accessed at wright.edu/student-affairs/health-and-wellness/student-support-services/student-handbook.

Criminal Incident Procedures

University students are expected to conduct themselves as law-abiding members of both the campus community and the larger community at all times. However, the university has a disciplinary process that addresses violations of university policy.

Should a violation of local, state, or federal laws occur within our jurisdiction, DPS will investigate and initiate the appropriate legal action through the criminal justice system. If assistance is needed, the Fairborn Police Department, Greene County Sheriff's Office, Ohio State Highway Patrol, and/or the Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation (BCII) may be contacted. Incidents of domestic violence will be handled in accordance with ORC § 2919.25. DPS prepares monthly crime statistics for the FBI as required by the National Incident-Based Reporting System (NIBRS).

Disciplinary proceedings may be conducted by an institution against a student who is the alleged perpetrator of a crime of violence (as that term is defined in section 16 of title 18, United States Code) or a non-forcible sex offense. Wright State, upon written request, will disclose these results to the alleged victim of the crime. If the alleged victim is deceased as a result of such crime or offense, the next of kin of such victim shall be treated as the alleged victim for purposes of this paragraph.

Crime Reporting Procedures

Students, visitors, faculty, and staff are encouraged to immediately report criminal activity to DPS by calling 937-775-2111, or 911 from any campus phone, in an emergency. Reports can be made in person at the PSSC at 060 Allyn Hall or at DPS at 108 Allyn Hall. DPS personnel will then initiate any necessary actions or investigations and issue any required reports.

Criminal and non-criminal incident reports may be obtained from DPS Administrative Division at 937-775-4167.

Campus community members may also file criminal and non-criminal incident reports on a voluntary and confidential basis using:

■ Silent Witness: https://www.wright.edu/police/silent-witness

■ EthicsPoint: secure.ethicspoint.com/domain/media/en/gui/43847 /index.html

Mutual Aid Agreements with Area Law Enforcement

DPS has multiple written and verbal agreements with area police agencies. DPS has a written mutual aid agreement with the Fairborn Police Department for the College Park residence community, which allows DPS to conduct patrols and handle all calls to this area in Fairborn, Ohio. DPS has a written mutual aid agreement with the Greene County Sheriff's Office for The Woods, Honors, University Park, and [parts of the] College Park residence communities, which are located in Bath Township and Greene County, which allows DPS to conduct patrols, handle all calls, and conduct investigations at these locations. Additionally, DPS is part of a county-wide mutual aid agreement with all police agencies in Greene County that requires if another agency in Greene County calls for assistance, any or all agencies can assist.

Registered Sex Offenders

The Greene County Sheriff's Office maintains a list of currently registered sex offenders residing in Greene County, which can be accessed at https://www.greenecountyohio.gov/486/Sheriff by clicking on "Greene County Sexual Offender Registry". Sex offender information for all areas of Ohio can be accessed at <a href="https://icrea.org/

Security for Campus Housing

The security of residential students is a primary concern to the university; the university uses a variety of security measures to ensure that residents have an environment that is safe for both academic pursuits and everyday activities.

Only residents and authorized university personnel have keys to individual units in residence halls or apartment buildings. The responsibility for securing individual residential units rests with the resident. It is the resident's responsibility to promptly report lost or stolen keys.

Personal Responsibility

The cooperation and involvement of students, faculty, and staff in any campus safety program is absolutely essential. All members of the university community must assume responsibility for their own safety and the security of their property by taking simple, common-sense precautions. For example:

- Walk with a companion or in groups at night or use the university's safety escort service.
- The doors of resident rooms should remain locked even when the resident is inside the room.
- Valuables should be marked with a personal identification number in case of loss or theft.
- Automobiles should be locked, and bicycles should be properly secured when not in use. Do not leave valuables in plain view; lock them in the trunk for safekeeping.
- Never leave books or other personal items unattended in campus buildings.
- Your cellular phone is a safety tool. Make sure that you know where it will work properly for your safety.
- Never provide personal information, including address, phone number, date of birth, and credit card, bank account, or social security numbers, via email, phone, or unsecure website.
- Do not open emails or click on links in emails or online posts from unknown people or sources.
- Exercise extreme caution when sharing pictures, videos, and personal information online.
- Only purchase items online from reputable sources.
 Use only one credit card for all your online shopping.
 Do not shop online with a debit card.

The campus community is informed about campus security procedures and practices, and encouraged to take responsibility for personal and community safety, in various ways. For example, police officers regularly provide presentations to students throughout the academic year, group forums, new student orientation, and Residence Life and Housing staff training.

The residence halls that comprise The Woods provide security measures to limit access by non-residents. The buildings are locked 24 hours a day, and a resident must escort non-residents in the building at all times. University policy permits 24-hour visitation in campus housing, provided that all affected roommates agree with the conditions regarding visitation.

A community director and resident assistant staff each traditional residential community. Resident assistants make routine security rounds of the communities. Apartment

communities are staffed by a community director and resident assistants who report any unusual activity to the appropriate authorities.

Casualty Prevention is responsible for the maintenance of all fire alarm systems located in residential halls; these alarms are regularly tested. Most residential halls on campus are owned by a third-party who works in partnership with Residence Life and Housing to address any maintenance concerns that may impact the security of residential facilities, such as egress lighting and parking lot lighting.

Residence Life and Housing campus policies are found at https://www.wright.edu/residence-life-and-housing/policies. Violations of any university or residential policy are reported and adjudicated according to university policy. Possible violations of local, state, or federal law are reported to DPS and may lead to criminal prosecution and university disciplinary action.

Campus Buildings

Most academic facilities are open from 6 a.m. until the latest evening classes are concluded. Administrative buildings are generally locked by 11 p.m. When the university is closed, all buildings are locked and may be opened only by authorized personnel. DPS is responsible for issuing and accounting for all building keys. Dayton Campus buildings are maintained by Facility Operations staff. Crawford and Hoying, in conjunction with Residence Life and Housing, maintains the residential communities located on the Dayton Campus.

Health and Safety

Environmental Health and Safety and Facility
Operations staff work together as a team to assess,
investigate, and correct any and all environmental, fire
safety, life safety, elevator, and maintenance issues
reported or discovered during routine inspections of our
facilities. It is our goal to provide a safe, comfortable, and
educational environment for all students, faculty, staff, and
visitors at Wright State. Please visit

http://www.wright.edu/environmental-health-and-safety for further information.

Missing Persons Response Protocol

It shall be the policy of DPS to thoroughly investigate reports or complaints of all persons missing from the Wright State community.

Wright State community members are encouraged to report any student who has been missing to DPS. Per the Clery Act, the university provides for each student living in an on-campus housing facility the option to identify a

contact person(s) who the institution will notify if the student is determined to be missing by DPS.

Students' contact information will be registered confidentially, and this information will be accessible only



to authorized campus officials and DPS. This information may not be disclosed outside of a missing person's investigation. For students under 18 years of age and not emancipated, the institution will notify a custodial parent or guardian within 24 hours when the student is determined to be missing, in addition to any additional contact person designated by the student.

To this end, it is our mission, upon receipt of a report or complaint, to obtain the basic facts as to who, what, when, where, and how regarding the circumstances of the missing person, a brief description of the victim, suspect, and any vehicles that were involved. The complaint would then be assigned to an officer or investigator for immediate follow-up. The investigating officer or investigator will conduct a search of police records regarding the complainant, victim, and suspect(s).

A BOLO (Be On The Lookout) will be produced by the PSSC operator regarding the victim's and suspect's description so that other police agencies will be alerted. DPS will (dependent upon the circumstances) prepare a Campus Alert Bulletin regarding the incident to alert the community.

During an investigation of a missing person, the investigating officer or investigator is responsible for verifying the accuracy of the report or complaint information, which includes the description of the victim and the circumstances at the time of disappearance. The officer or investigator is also responsible for coordinating a search of the surrounding campus area, locating and interviewing witnesses, including the last person who may have had contact with the victim. The officer or investigator must also determine the exact location where the victim

was last seen and secure that area until it can be thoroughly searched by police personnel. The investigator or command staff will assign a police officer to document all personnel on the site and their assignments. This person

may also be posted at the crime scene to document the designation (officer) and time of entry and exit at the crime scene. Whenever additional resources (i.e., supervisory personnel, command personnel, police agencies, fire departments, search and rescue personnel) are needed, the investigator will coordinate such requests for assistance.

Command personnel may establish a command center, which is separate and distinct from the crime scene and search area. Also, command personnel may establish a media center where local media personnel will remain stationed for the purpose of interviews with command personnel or the Office of Communications

staff members.

The command leader may determine that other response mechanisms are necessary. Those may include but are not limited to:

- Establishing a search team
- Establishing a team to secure and process the crime scene
- Establishing a team member to be a liaison with the victim's family
- Establishing a team to conduct the neighborhood canvass
- Ensuring that all information is accurately entered and updated into NCIC (National Crime Information Center) Missing Person File
- Conducting timely briefings regarding the status of the investigation with agency personnel, additional resource personnel, and the media

"Suzanne's Law" was signed into law by President George W. Bush in the spring of 2003 as a part of the national "Amber Alert" bill. It requires local police to notify the NCIC and begin investigation immediately when someone between the ages of 18 and 21 is reported missing. This federal law is named after Suzanne Lyall – a State University of New York at Albany student who has been missing since 1998.

Reporting a Missing Person

If you need to report a person missing from the Wright State campus, please contact DPS at 937-775-2111 or 911 from any campus phone.

Sex/Gender-Based Harassment, Discrimination, and Sexual Misconduct Policy

Policy Number: 1270

Date Created/Revised: 06/20/2023

Policy Manager: Audit, Risk Management and Compliance

Wright State University is committed to maintaining a safe and healthy educational and work environment in which no member of the university community is, on the basis of actual or perceived sex, gender, gender identity, gender expression and or sexual orientation, excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or subjected to discrimination in any university program or activity. Wright State does not discriminate on the basis of sex or gender in its education programs and activities. Gender-based harassment and violence, including sexual violence, are forms of sex discrimination in that they deny or limit an individual's ability to participate in or benefit from university programs or activities.

1270.1 Introduction

Wright State University is committed to maintaining a safe and healthy educational and work environment in which no member of the university community is, on the basis of actual or perceived sex, gender, gender identity, gender expression and or sexual orientation, excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or subjected to discrimination in any university program or activity, including but not limited to admission to and employment at the University.

Nothing in this policy shall be construed to abridge academic freedom and inquiry, principles of free speech, the right to redress to the Ohio Civil Rights Commission or the Office for Civil Rights, or the university's educational mission.

The respondent is presumed to be not responsible until such time that the respondent is found responsible and issued sanctions at the conclusion of the formal resolution process. The standard used in determining responsibility is the "preponderance of the evidence" standard.

The term "harassment" may mean different things, depending on the context and conduct at issue. For this reason, different types of harassment are subject to different policies and procedures. This Policy applies to "Title IX Sexual Harassment" in an education program or activity of Wright State University against a person in the United States. "Education program or activity" includes locations, events, or circumstances over which the University exercised substantial control over both the respondent and the context in which the sexual

harassment occurs, and also includes any building owned or controlled by a student organization that is officially recognized by a postsecondary institution.

Individuals who believe they may have witnessed or been subjected to discrimination on the basis of sex are encouraged to make a report with the Title IX Coordinator. Any person my report sex discrimination, including sexual harassment, whether or not the person reporting this is the person who has been subject to the conduct that constitutes sex discrimination or sexual harassment. This could be done in person, by mail, by telephone, or by electronic mail using the contact information listed below. Such a report can be made at any time (including during non-business hours) by using the telephone number, email address, or by sending mail to the office address listed below.

Kate Page Compliance Specialist and Title IX Coordinator 234 University Hall 3640 Colonel Glenn Highway Dayton, Ohio 45435 Phone Number: 937-775-3512

Email: kate.page@wright.edu

Questions or concerns about the application of Title IX in this Policy be referred to the Title IX Coordinator or to the Assistant Secretary for the Department of Civil Rights. For further information on Title IX or other non-discrimination laws, contact the U.S. Department of Education - Office of Civil Rights for the address and phone number of the office that serves your area, or call 1-800-421-3481.



part of the University, reports under this section are not confidential (but will be handled with discretion). To learn about confidential resources, see Appendix A and Appendix C. of the Sex/Gender-Based Harassment, Discrimination, and Sexual Misconduct Policy.

1270.2 Scope

This policy applies to all members of the University community, including but not limited to, faculty, staff, registered students and student organizations, vendors, volunteers, and visitors and covers behavior both on and off campus.

However, behaviors described in section 1270.4 are specifically prohibited by Title IX of the Civil Rights Act, which only applies to behaviors that occur as a part of a University education program and activity within the United States. For purposes of this Policy, the University's "education programs or activities" includes all of the following: (1) the operations of the University, (2) locations, events, or circumstances over which the University exercises substantial control over both the respondent party and the context in which the Prohibited Behaviors occurred, and (3) buildings that are owned or controlled by student organizations officially recognized by the University.

For reported behavior to qualify as "Title IX Sexual Harassment" under this Policy, in addition to meeting the elements of the specific type of "Title IX Sexual Harassment" defined in this Policy, the reported behavior must meet all of the following threshold requirements, as determined by the Title IX Coordinator and as mandated by the federal regulations:

■ The conduct must have occurred against a person in the United States.

University's education program or activity. For purposes of this provision, this means that the conduct must have occurred either (a) in a location, event, or circumstances over which the University exercised substantial control over both the respondent and the context in which the sexual harassment occurs or (b) in relation to a building owned by a student organization that is officially recognized by the University.

The complainant must be participating in or attempting to participate in the education program or activity of the University at the time the formal complaint is filed.

1270.3 Jurisdiction

Certain violations of this policy may also constitute crimes. In those circumstances, the University reserves discretion to pursue disciplinary action against the individual while the criminal investigation or charges are pending or wait until those processes are finished. The University reserves the right to pursue disciplinary action against the individual even if criminal charges are ultimately reduced or dismissed, or the individual is acquitted.

1270.4 Prohibited Behaviors under Title IX of the Civil Rights Act (See Scope 1270.2)

There are six types of Prohibited Behaviors under Title IX of the Civil rights Act which qualify as "Title IX Sexual Harassment." Each of these behaviors is defined more specifically below: Sexual Assault, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Sex-Based Stalking, Quid Pro Quo Sexual Harassment, Unwelcome Conduct Sexual Harassment, and Retaliation. The definitions used here are mandated by federal regulations.

Title IX Sexual Assault

Sexual Assault is conduct on the basis of sex that is defined as a forcible or non-forcible sex offense, or attempted forcible or non-forcible sex offense, as classified under the Uniform Crime Reporting system of the FBI. This includes six separate categories, each of which is considered a form of sexual assault:

- Rape is defined as the carnal knowledge of a person, without the consent of the complainant, including instances where the complainant is incapable of giving consent because of their age or because of their temporary or permanent mental or physical incapacity. Carnal knowledge is defined as the slightest penetration of the sexual organ of the female (vagina) by the sexual organ of the male (penis).
- Sodomy is defined as oral or anal sexual intercourse with another person, without the consent of the complainant, including instances where the complainant is incapable of giving consent because of their age or because of their temporary or permanent mental or physical incapacity.
- Sexual Assault With An Object is defined as the use
 of an object or instrument to unlawfully penetrate,
 however slightly, the genital or anal opening of the
 body of another person, without the consent of the
 complainant.
- 4. Fondling is defined as the touching of the private body parts of another person for the purpose of sexual gratification, without the consent of the complainant, including instances where the complainant is incapable of giving consent because of their age or because of their temporary or permanent mental or physical incapacity.
- Incest is defined as sexual intercourse between persons who are related to each other within the degrees wherein marriage is prohibited by law. In Ohio, Revised Code Section 3101.01(A) provides that individuals nearer of kin than second cousins may not marry.
- 6. Statutory rape is defined as sexual intercourse with a person who is under the statutory age of consent. In Ohio, Revised Code section 2907.02(A)(1)(b) provides that no person may have sex with a child under the age of thirteen. Ohio Revised Code Section 2907.04(A) provides that no person over the age of eighteen may have sex with a child under the age of sixteen.

Title IX Dating Violence

Dating Violence is conduct on the basis of sex that consists of violence committed by a person who is or has been in a romantic or intimate relationship with the complainant. The existence of such a romantic or intimate relationship is determined by the length of the relationship, the type of relationship, and the frequency of interactions between the individuals involved in the relationship.

Title IX Domestic Violence

Domestic Violence is conduct on the basis of sex that consists of a felony or misdemeanor crime of violence committed by:

- A current or former spouse or intimate partner of the victim,
- 2. A person with whom the victim shares a child in common,
- A person who is cohabitating with, or has cohabitated with, the victim as a spouse or intimate partner,
- 4. A person similarly situated to a spouse of the victim under the domestic/family violence laws of the jurisdiction
- 5. Any other person against an adult or youth victim who is protected from that person's acts under the domestic/family violence laws of the jurisdiction.

Title IX Sex-Based Stalking

Stalking is conduct on the basis of sex that consists of engaging in a course of conduct directed at a specific person that would cause a reasonable person to: (A) fear for the person's safety or the safety of others; or (B) suffer substantial emotional distress.

For purposes of the definition of Stalking under this Policy:

- A "course of conduct" means two or more acts, including, but not limited to, acts in which the stalker directly, indirectly, or through third parties, by any action, method, device, or means, follows, monitors, observes, surveils, threatens, or communicates to or about a person, or interferes with a person's property. The conduct must have occurred against a person in the United States.
- A "reasonable person" means a reasonable person under similar circumstances and with similar identities to the victim.
- "Substantial emotional distress" means significant mental suffering or anguish that may, but does not necessarily, require medical or other professional treatment or counseling.

Stalking that is not based on sex, but otherwise meets the definition above, is addressed in other University

policies, including the Student Handbook can be accessed at wright.edu/student-affairs/health-and-wellness/student-support-services/student-handbook..

Title IX Quid Pro Quo Sexual Harassment

Quid Pro Quo Sexual Harassment is conduct on the basis of sex that occurs when a university employee, vendor, or volunteer conditions the provision of an aid, benefit, or service of the University on an individual's participation in unwelcome sexual conduct. This includes but is not limited to unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature, by a person having power or authority over the other person involved. Examples of aid or benefits include actual benefits and/or promises of positive ratings, grades, or other forms of evaluation.

Title IX Unwelcome Conduct Sexual Harassment

Unwelcome Conduct Sexual Harassment is conduct on the basis of sex that is unwelcome and determined by a reasonable person to be so severe, pervasive, and objectively offensive that it effectively denies a person equal access to the recipient's education program or activity.

Title IX Retaliation

Neither the University nor any other person may intimidate, threaten, coerce, or discriminate against any individual for the purpose of interfering with any right or privilege secured by Title IX or this Policy, or because the individual has made a report or complaint, testified, assisted, or participated or refused to participate in any manner in an investigation, proceeding or hearing. Intimidation, threats, coercion, or discrimination, including charges against an individual for code of conduct violations that do not involve sex discrimination or sexual harassment, but arise out of the same facts or circumstances as a report or complaint of sex discrimination, or a report of formal complaint of sexual harassment, for the purpose of interfering with any right or privilege secured by Title IX, constitutes retaliation.

An individual who brings a complaint under this Policy in good faith, even if it may be erroneous, will not be subject to discipline under this section. However, the use of this Policy for false, malicious, or frivolous purposes is strictly prohibited. The University's decision to charge an individual with a code of conduct violation for making a materially false statement in bad faith in the course of a grievance proceeding under this Policy does not constitute retaliation, provided that the outcome of a particular case,

alone, is not sufficient to conclude that any party made a materially false statement in bad faith.

Reports of retaliation will be addressed in accordance with the University's policies regarding retaliation.

1270.5 Sexual Misconduct

The following behaviors are prohibited regardless of the behaviors described falling within or outside of the scope of Title IX. Behaviors that meet the definitions for Title IX misconduct (sexual assault, dating violence, domestic violence, stalking, quid pro quo sexual harassment, and unwelcome conduct sexual harassment), but fall outside the scope of Title IX, can result in disciplinary action under the policies, rules, procedures and professional standards for faculty/staff and students. This means that sexual assault, dating violence, domestic violence, stalking, guid pro quo sexual harassment, and unwelcome conduct sexual harassment reports that do not meet the threshold Title IX criteria, may still be adjudicated under this section of the policy through the appropriate responding office (Student Conduct, Human Resources, and the Provost Office.)

In all cases where the reported behavior meets the definitions and threshold requirements of Policy 1270.4, the case will be managed under 1270.4 guidelines.

Policy for Consensual Romantic and/or Sexual Relationships

Romantic and/or sexual relationships (those between students and employees, and those between certain employees) are prohibited, as outlined in Appendix F. Any such relationship that develops must be reported in writing to the employee's supervisor by the end of the next business day. The University's Chief Human Resources Officer (or designee) shall process written requests for exceptions from this policy, in consultation with the provost (for academic employees), COO (for administrative/staff employees), and Dean of Students (for students).

Between Students and Employees: A sexual or romantic relationship between an employee (faculty or staff) and a student is prohibited regardless of department, school, or college affiliation.

Between Certain Employees: A sexual or romantic relationship between certain employees is prohibited in certain circumstances where the relationship has a potential to disrupt or impair University operations. See Appendix F for details.

Dismissal

If the conduct reported in a Formal Complaint does not constitute Title IX Sexual Harassment (as defined in this Policy), did not occur in a University education program or activity, or did not occur against a person in the United States, the University must dismiss the Formal Complaint with regard to that particular conduct for the purposes of Title IX Sexual Harassment and the procedure required for reports that fall within the scope of Section 1270.4. The fact that a Formal Complaint has been dismissed under this section does not necessarily mean that the matter is concluded. Instead, the reported conduct may be referred to the appropriate responding office (Student Conduct, Human Resources, the Provost's Office, or the Compliance Department) and adjudicated by that office.

The Title IX Coordinator is responsible for determining whether a Formal Complaint should be dismissed from the Title IX Sexual Harassment grievance process. The University may also dismiss a Formal Complaint or allegations therein if:

- The complainant notifies the Title IX Coordinator in writing that the complainant would like to withdraw the Formal Complaint or any allegations therein;
- The respondent is no longer enrolled in (for students) or employed by (for employees) the University; or
- Specific circumstances prevent the University from gathering evidence sufficient to reach a determination as to the Formal Complaint or allegations therein.

Dismissal under this section does not preclude the University from proceeding under another University conduct process or re-initiating the Title IX process if circumstances change.

The University will send written notice of the dismissal and the reasons for dismissal simultaneously to all parties. Parties may appeal the University's decision to dismiss a Formal Complaint, or any allegations therein, within 10 business days from the date of the written notice of dismissal, using the process outlined here.

Upon receipt of a dismissal appeal, the University will notify the other party in writing that an appeal has been filed. The non-appealing party will then have 5 business days from the date of the written notice of the appeal to submit a written statement in response to the appeal. The Appeals Officer for the appeal of a dismissal decision will not be the same person as the Title IX Coordinator, investigator, or decision-maker(s) for the hearing (if one has already been assigned). The Appeals Officer will issue a written decision describing the result of the appeal and the rationale for the result and provide the written decision

simultaneously to both parties within 5 days of the date the non-appealing party's written response to the appeal is received. All grounds for appeal are available to all parties. The grounds for an appeal include:

- Procedural irregularity that affects the outcome of the dismissal decision;
- New evidence that was not reasonably available at the time the dismissal decision was made, that could affect the outcome of the matter, and;
- The Title IX Coordinator, investigator(s), or decisionmaker(s) had a conflict of interest or bias for or against complainants or respondents generally or the individual complainant or respondent that affected the outcome of the matter.

Title IX and Gender Based Violence

Policy Information

Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972, 20 U.S.C. § 1681 et seq., is enforced by the U.S. Department of Education. This federal law prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex in education programs or activities operated by recipients of federal financial assistance.

Title IX applies to all participants of such programs, including students, parents, and faculty/staff members.

A variety of activities are covered under Title IX, including athletic programs, recruitment, admissions, financial aid, and participation in extracurricular programs and activities. For example, Title IX addresses discrimination situations such as unequal treatment of pregnant and parenting students or unequal pay based on gender. Further, sex discrimination includes sexual harassment (which encompasses sexual assault and other forms of sexual misconduct).

Wright State's <u>Sex/Gender-Based Harassment</u>, <u>Discrimination</u>, and <u>Sexual Misconduct Policy</u> applies to all forms of sex and/or gender-based harassment, discrimination, and violence, including sexual violence, stalking, and intimate partner violence.

The university's policies concerning harassment and discrimination including its policy on sexual misconduct, relationship violence, and gender-based discrimination and harassment can be found in <u>University Policy 1270</u> and the



Student Code of Conduct. The policies outline the definitions of prohibited conduct, reporting procedures, and procedures for resolution, provisions for students, staff, and faculty who have been subjected to prohibited conduct.

Title IX-related Policy Links

- Notice of Non-Discrimination, Policy 1235
- <u>Sex/Gender-Based Harassment, Discrimination, and Sexual Misconduct Policy, Policy 1270</u>

The Clery Act and Campus SaVE

The Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act, 20 U.S.C. § 1092(f), as amended by the Campus SaVE Act, part of the Violence

Against Women Reauthorization Act of 2013, S. 47, 113th Cong. (2013), requires, among other things, annual reporting of statistics for various criminal offenses, including sex offenses, timely warnings and emergency notifications to the University community, prevention education, and the adoption of sexual assault policies with certain procedural requirements.

Wright State University's **Annual Security Report**

It is the goal of Wright State University to provide students, faculty, staff, and guests with an environment free from sex discrimination, which includes sexual harassment, sexual violence, relationship violence, and stalking. The university's Title IX Policy outlines the definition of sex discrimination, sexual harassment, sexual offenses, relationship violence, stalking, reporting procedures, procedures for the resolution, provisions for students who have been subjected to sex offenses, sexual assault prevention and education programs, and resources to victims and survivors of sexual assault.

In order to take prompt and equitable corrective action, the University must be aware of sex discrimination in any form or related retaliation. Therefore, members of the Wright State community who believe that they have been victim of such incidents or know someone who may be a victim by a student, faculty, staff, or vendor/supplier are advised to bring the matter to the attention of the Title IX Coordinator.

Title IX Contacts

For university Title IX assistance, please visit the Title IX Contacts page.



For complaints in Intercollegiate Athletics:

Maigan Glass
Associate Athletic Director, Compliance/Interim Senior
Woman Administrator
Department of Athletics
356 Ervin J. Nutter Center
937-775-2830
maigan.larsen@wright.edu

For complaints against members of the Wright State Lake community:

Gretchen Rentz
Director of Student Affairs (interim)
108B Dwyer Hall
7600 Lake Campus Dr.
Celina, OH 45822
gretchen.rentz@wright.edu

Reporting

To file a university complaint regarding sexual misconduct, relationship violence, or gender-based harassment and discrimination (either an incident in which you are a victim or a witness or, if not directly involved, you have reason to believe such has occurred), please contact the Title IX Coordinator or a resource listed above.

To file a criminal complaint regarding sexual misconduct or relationship violence, contact the WSUPD at 937-775-2111.

Anonymous Reporting:

Should you wish to remain anonymous in your report, you can report using the following two methods. Please be advised that anonymity may limit the response of the University. Once you file a report, please check back

frequently as we may need additional information from you.

- 1-888-The respondent is no longer enrolled in (for students) or employed by (for employees) the University; or
- http://www.wright.ethicspoint.com

Office of Civil Rights

Individuals who wish to file a federal complaint are directed to the Office of Civil Rights at:

Office for Civil Rights (OCR) U.S. Department of Education 400 Maryland Avenue, SW Washington, DC 20202-1100

Customer Service Hotline #: 800-421-3481

Facsimile: 202-453-6012 TDD#: 877-521-2172 Email: mailto:OCR@ed.gov Web: http://www.ed.gov/ocr

Confidentiality and Assistance with the Policy and/or Procedure

The Title IX Coordinator will seek to protect the privacy and confidentiality of the individuals involved in any report of alleged sexual misconduct, relationship violence, and gender-based harassment and discrimination to the extent possible and allowed by law. The Title IX Coordinator cannot guarantee confidentiality, however, and must evaluate any request for confidentiality in the context of the University's responsibility to provide a safe and non-discriminatory environment.

The university offers advocacy and case management as a private resource for students who have experienced sex/gender-based violence, know someone who has experienced sex/gender-based violence, or want more

information about the resources available. (Privacy means that even though information shared with the advocate is not privileged or protected under any legal confidentiality, the advocate will not share information without prior notice to the student, or in cases where disclosure is legally required.) As part of this role, the advocate can assist with understanding the policies and procedures around sex/gender-based violence in order to help survivors make the best decisions they can for themselves with all the information. Additional services include safety planning, information about reporting options, hospital accompaniment, legal referral and accompaniment, student conduct accompaniment, temporary housing accommodations, victim assistance compensation fund application, community and other on-campus referrals, and more. As a grant-funded position by the Ohio Attorney General's office, services provided by the advocate can only be accessed to support those who are primary or secondary victims of crime.

Lake Campus Advocate

Similar advocacy services for survivors are provided at Lake Campus through Van Wert's YWCA.

Jodi Brummette
YWCA of Van Wert County
187 Andrews Hall
jwallenhorst@ywcavanwertcounty.org
419-203-5312
419-586-1133 *24-hour helpline
Lake Campus Advocate

Other confidential resources may be available through:

- Wright State Counseling and Wellness Services
- Student Legal Services
- Student Health Services
- Campus Ministry

Amnesty

CSSC will not pursue disciplinary violations against a student for the students' prohibited use of alcohol or drugs if a good faith report of an act of gender-based harassment and violence is made.

Retaliation

Wright State prohibits retaliation against an individual for filing a report, serving as a witness, or otherwise being involved in a student conduct case. Acts of retaliation are, by themselves, cause for disciplinary action and potentially criminal and civil action.

Educational Programs and Campaigns

Wright State is committed to education and increasing awareness of students, faculty, and staff about preventing incidents of sexual misconduct/assault. Wright State prohibits the crimes of dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking. Definitions of dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking, and consent are defined in Policy 1270, as shown above. Education and prevention training programs are provided to new students and employees and is reinforced through a variety of ongoing programing on campus throughout the year. These programs provide information on safe and positive options for bystander intervention, risk reduction, and healthy behavior that promotes mutually respectful relationships and sexuality.

There are campus and community resources and services available to students even if university or criminal reports are not made. The university strongly encourages students to seek assistance to care for themselves emotionally and physically through confidential crisis intervention, health care, and counseling. As students tend to their health, they should keep in mind that medical examinations are time-sensitive, and are critical in preserving evidence of sexual misconduct, including sexual assault, so that options can be considered at a later time. Questions about services and resources should be made to the Office of Student Advocacy and Wellness.

Wright State University Policies

Code of Student Conduct—
Student Grievance Policies—

wright.edu/student-affairs/resources-and-support/student-grievances

Emergency Phone Numbers

Call 911 on campus phones for police, fire, medical, or hazardous materials emergencies. These emergency lines are monitored 24 hours a day in the PSSC. Special emergency call boxes that ring directly into the PSSC are marked with a blue light and located strategically throughout the campus (see locations below). From regular on-campus phones, call 937-775-2111 for non-emergency police calls. Pre-program 937-775-2111 into your cellular phone to eliminate the possibility of misdialing the number in an emergency.

Wright State also maintains numerous emergency phones strategically located across campus. For immediate assistance, each one of these phones has a button that can be pushed to alert DPS. To view a map of emergency phones, please follow this link: wright.edu/maps#!ct/18425

Crime Statistics

DPS prepares monthly crime statistics for the FBI as required by NIBRS. The serial numbers of property stolen on campus are reported nationwide through NCIC. A Law Enforcement Automated Data System (LEADS) computer terminal in the PSSC makes information available to law enforcement agencies across the United States.

Crime statistics for the Dayton Campus reflect the crimes reported to DPS and local law enforcement agencies. These crimes occurred on campus, in or on noncampus buildings or property, and on public property. Offense categories and statistical information are specified by the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act.

DPS works with several local law enforcement agencies to provide accurate statistics for Wright State's properties that are located off campus and for the public property surrounding the campus. Those agencies include: the Beavercreek Police Department, Centerville Police Department, Dayton Police Department, Fairborn Police Department, Greenville Police Department, Greene County Sheriff's Department, Kettering Police Department, Mercer County Sheriff's Department, Ohio State Highway Patrol, Sinclair Community College Campus Police Department, Upper Arlington Police Department, and Van Wert Police Department. University employees who learn that a crime has been committed are asked to report all crimes, even those reported anonymously, to DPS so they can be included in the Clery Act statistics.

Notifications are sent to law enforcement agencies and university personnel, requesting they send all reportable crime statistics to DPS. These statistics are evaluated, totaled, and included in the appropriate category based on crime, year, and the location of the incident.

The university does not have any officially recognized student organizations that are located off campus. Therefore, monitoring and recording through local police departments of such criminal activity is not conducted.

The crime statistics reported in this brochure are available online at wright.edu/police. A daily log of criminal activity is available in DPS at 108 Allyn Hall. Upon request, a printed copy of the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act brochure from DPS is available at DPS, Wright State University, 3640 Colonel Glenn Hwy., Dayton, OH 45435-0001.

Clery Geography

The Clery Act requires all higher education institutions that receive federal funds to collect, classify, and disclose annual crime statistics that occur on and around campus. Below is an explanation of four geographical areas on

which institutions are required to collect crime statistics. The annual crime statistics chart follows on the next page.

"On-campus" means any building or property owned or controlled by an institution of higher education within the same reasonably contiguous geographic area of the institution and used by the institution in direct support of, or in a manner related to, the institution's educational purposes, including residence halls; and property within the same reasonably contiguous geographic area of the institution that is owned by the institution but controlled by another person, is used by students, and supports institutional purposes (such as a food or other retail vendor). The On-Campus Total column below includes a total count of crimes that occur on-campus and within the on-campus residential facilities.

"On-Campus (Residential Community Only)" is a subset of the on-campus category and includes counts of crime statistics that only occur inside an on-campus residential facility.

"Non-campus building or property" means any building or property owned or controlled by a student organization recognized by the institution; and any building or property (other than a branch campus) owned or controlled by an institution of higher education that is used in direct support of, or in relation to, the institution's educational purposes, is used by students, and is not within the same reasonably contiguous geographic area of the institution.

"Public property" means all public property that is within the same reasonably contiguous geographic area of the institution, such as a sidewalk, a street, other thoroughfare, or parking facility, and is adjacent to a facility owned or controlled by the institution if the facility is used by the institution in direct support of, or in a manner related to, the institution's educational purposes.

Crime Statistics for Dayton Campus 2022-2024

Crime Reported	Year	On-Campus Total	On-Campus Subset (Residential Community Only)	Non-Campus	Public Property	Total Count
Criminal Homicide:	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Murder and Non-	2023	0	0	0	0	0
Negligent Manslaughter	2022	0	0	0	0	0
Criminal Homicide:	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Manslaughter by	2023	0	0	0	0	0
Negligence	2022	0	0	0	0	0
Say Offenses	2024	7	7	0	0	7
Sex Offenses:	2023	2	2	1	0	3
Rape	2022	5	5	0	0	5
C Off	2024	1	1	0	0	1
Sex Offenses:	2023	3	2	0	0	3
Fondling	2022	2	1	0	0	2
	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses:	2023	0	0	0	0	0
Statutory Rape	2022	0	0	0	0	0
S 011	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses:	2023	0	0	0	0	0
Incest	2022	0	0	0	0	0
	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	2023	0	0	0	0	0
	2022	0	0	0	0	0
	2024	1	1	0	0	1
Aggravated Assault	2023	0	0	1	0	1
	2022	1	0	0	0	1
	2024	7	7	0	0	7
Burglary	2023	4	2	2	0	6
	2022	12	9	0	0	12
	2024	0	0	1	0	1
Motor Vehicle Theft	2023	4	0	8	0	12
	2022	1	0	0	0	1
	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Arson	2023	0	0	0	0	0
	2022	0	0	2	0	2

Crime Reported	Year	On-Campus Total	On-Campus Subset (Residential Community Only)	Non-Campus	Public Property	Total Count
VANA Offenser	2024	0	0	2	0	2
VAWA Offense: Domestic Violence	2023	0	0	1	0	1
Domestic violence	2022	0	0	0	1	1
VANA Officers	2024	8	7	0	0	8
VAWA Offense:	2023	2	2	0	0	2
Dating Violence	2022	2	2	0	0	2
VANA Officers	2024	1	0	0	0	1
VAWA Offense:	2023	1	0	0	0	1
Stalking Incidences	2022	2	2	0	0	2

Hate Crimes Reported 2022-2024

No Hate Crimes were reported in 2022, 2023 and 2024

Unfounded Crimes

1 Unfounded Dating Violence in 2024. 1 Unfounded Burglary in 2023: 1 Unfounded Stalking Incident in 2023; 2 Unfounded Sexual Assaults in 2022;

Arrests and Disciplinary Referrals – Dayton Campus 2022-2024

Crime Reported	Year	On-Campus Total	On-Campus Subset (Residential Community Only)	Non-Campus	Public Property	Total Count
ARRESTS						
Alaaballa	2024	5	2	0	1	6
Alcohol Law	2023	1	0	0	0	1
Violations	2022	1	1	0 1	2	
	2024	0	0	0	8	8
Drug Law	2023	0	0	5	0	5
Violations	2022	1	0	0	2	3
\\\\\\	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Weapon Law	2023	0	0	0	0	0
Violations	2022	0	0	0	1	1
DISCIPLINARY REFERRAL	LS					
Alaskalısı	2024	19	19	0	0	19
Alcohol Law	2023	11	9	0	0	11
Violations	2022	13	13	0	0	13

Crime Reported	Year	On-Campus Total	On-Campus Subset (Residential Community Only)	Non-Campus	Public Property	Total Count
DISCIPLINARY REFERRALS						
David	2024	11	11	0	0	11
Drug Law Violations	2023	16	6	0	0	16
VIOIALIONS	2022	7	Community Only) 11 0 0 11	7		
Magazan Laur	2024	1	1	0	0	1
Weapon Law	2023	0	0	0	0	0
Violations	2022	0	0	0	0	0

Fire Safety Report – Dayton and Lake Campuses

Important Definitions

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

Fire drill: A supervised practice of a mandatory evacuation of a building for a fire.

Cause of fire: The factor or factors that give rise to a fire. The causal factor may be, but is not limited to, the result of an intentional or unintentional action, mechanical failure, or act of nature.

Fire-related injury: Any instance in which a person is injured as a result of a fire, including an injury sustained from a natural or accidental cause while involved in fire control, attempting rescue, or escape from the dangers of the fire. The term person may include students, faculty, staff, visitors, firefighters, or any other individuals.

Fire-related death: Any instance in which a person (1) is killed as a result of a fire, including death resulting from a natural or accidental cause while involved in fire control, attempting rescue, or escape from the dangers of the fire; or (2) dies within one year of injuries sustained as a result of the fire.

Fire safety system: Any mechanism or system related to the detection of a fire, the warning resulting from a fire, or the control of a fire. This system includes sprinkler systems or other fire extinguishing systems; fire detection devices; stand-alone smoke alarms; devices that alert one to the presence of a fire, such alarms, bells, or strobe lights; smoke-control and reduction mechanisms; and fire doors and walls to reduce the spread of fire.

Value of property damage: The estimated value of the loss of the structure and contents, in terms of the cost of replacement in like kind and quantity. This estimate should include contents damaged by fire, and related damages caused by smoke, water, and overhaul; however, it does not include indirect loss, such as business interruption.

Fire Safety Equipment

Smoke detectors and sprinkler systems: All residence halls have smoke detectors and sprinkler systems installed. Each leased building (College Park, The Woods, The Village, University Park, and the Honors Community) is monitored by a UL-Listed monitoring company (Emergency 24) who dispatches the Fairborn Fire Department and calls the PSSC. Buildings owned by Wright State (i.e., Hamilton Hall and Forest Lane) are monitored by the PSSC.

At the Lake Campus, all apartments have smoke detectors and sprinkler systems installed. The building

alarm system is monitored by Simplex, which dispatches the Celina Fire Department.

Policies and Procedures

Emergency procedures for evacuation are posted in resident rooms. For safety reasons, all residents and guests must vacate the building during all fire alarms. All residential units are equipped with a sprinkler system. Each hallway is equipped with a dry chemical fire extinguisher. Residents are responsible for making certain that fire extinguishers are not discharged unnecessarily.

Community staff conducts periodic inspections of all fire safety equipment to ensure proper working order. Any situation necessitating the use of a fire extinguisher should be reported to staff immediately. Any extinguisher determined to have been discharged or damaged unnecessarily will be billed to the person(s) responsible.

If individual unit doors are propped open, an occupant of the room must be inside the unit. In conjunction with Fairborn Fire Code (for the Dayton Campus) and Celina Fire Codes (for the Lake Campus), unit doors may not be propped open by unlatching the automatic closure mechanism on each door. In compliance with Fairborn Fire Code (for the Dayton Campus) and Celina Fire Codes (for the Lake Campus), unlatching automatic door closure mechanisms, or propping individual unit doors open and having no one inside, may result in a fine or disciplinary action. The strict exceptions to this policy include Office of Residence Services staff member or Office of Student Services staff at the Lake Campus.

Care of University Property

While exercising reasonable care for the facilities and its furnishings, students who wish to enhance the appearance of their rooms/apartments with personal decorative items are encouraged to do so; however, only fire-resistant materials should be used. A condition inventory for each living unit will be maintained by community staff. Community members are responsible to take care of their living units and the common areas in the residential buildings. Any damage to the facility or its furnishings will be billed to the responsible student(s); further disciplinary action may result.

Fire Safety Regulations

For fire safety reasons, toasters, toaster ovens, hot plates, any appliance with an exposed heating element, incense, and candles are not permitted in campus housing. Smoking is also not permitted in any of the Wright State residence halls.

Open-Flame Devices/Combustibles: For fire safety reasons, gasoline, charcoal, charcoal fluid, and other combustible items are not permitted in the residential communities. Also, fuel-driven engines are not allowed to be stored in student housing. This includes storage of motorcycles, mopeds, etc. Open-flame devices are not allowed for safety reasons. This includes: candles, kerosene lamps, incense, gas-powered lanterns, and/or camping stoves, personal gas or charcoal grills, propane torches, etc. Fire safety concerns also prohibit live or cut evergreen trees and/or boughs in student rooms/apartments.

Weapons, Firearms, Ammunition, or Fireworks: Prohibited items include, but are not limited to, pistols, rifles, shotguns, BB guns, pellet guns, bows and arrows, spears, machetes, hunter knives, paint guns, etc. For fire and general safety reasons, the possession of firearms, ammunition, firecrackers, explosive or combustible materials, and/or injury-threatening weapons are strictly prohibited. Individuals found to be in possession of a firearm will be subject to immediate cancellation of their Residence Agreement and will face further university disciplinary and/or criminal action.

Fire Drills/Safety Education

Periodically, fire, health, and safety inspections of each residential unit are conducted by residential community staff. The dates and times of these inspections will generally be posted by the community staff prior to inspections taking place, although the right to not post notices about the inspections has been reserved. To comply with state and local fire regulations and for fire safety education, unannounced fire drills are conducted each semester. All persons inside the residence hall during emergency drills are required to evacuate the building. Failure to evacuate the residence hall for any reason, including sleeping through an alarm, may result in disciplinary action. At the Dayton Campus, Wright State Physical Plant, in partnership with the Office of Residence Services, conducts the fire drills; at the Lake Campus, the Office of Student Services' community director coordinates the drills. Resident assistants may recruit evacuation assistants and discuss expectations during floor/area meetings. Resident assistants also inspect rooms to ensure emergency evacuation stickers are present, enforce policies, and coordinate fire safety programs.

Fire Evacuation Procedures

In the event of a fire, the affected residential units will be evacuated to protect the health and safety of the residents, guests, and visitors. When an alarm is sounded, you must assume there is an emergency and you must follow the following steps. Students who encounter a fire in a building should sound the alarm and leave the building by the nearest exit. Emergency procedures are posted on the back of every residence hall door. Failure to evacuate a building upon hearing a fire alarm is a violation of university policy as well as a violation of state law.

General Evacuation Rules

- 1. Remain calm.
- 2. If you encounter a fire, activate the nearest fire alarm pull station and leave the building by the nearest exit.
- 3. Call DPS by dialing 937-775-2111 or 911; at Lake Campus, contact Mercer County dispatch at 419-586-7724 or 911. Give as much information as you can to the Communications Center/PSSC operators. Do not hang up until the operator tells you that he/she has all the information that they need.
- 4. Do not attempt to put out fires or rescue others unless you can do so safely.
- 5. When evacuating the building during an emergency, please utilize the closest stairwell and exit to your room.
- 6. Do not attempt to use elevators during a fire alarm.
- 7. Do not re-enter the building until authorized by emergency personnel.
- 8. You will be expected to adhere to any requests made to you by the resident assistants (RAs), Residence Services staff members, or other university/emergency personnel.
- 9. Upon exiting the building, please move at least 100 feet away from the building and out of the roadways. By adhering to this request, you will enhance our evacuation efforts, as well as ensure that emergency personnel can get vehicles and equipment to the buildings.

Where to Go When Alerted to the Possibility of Fire

If there is smoke in the room, drop to the floor and stay low. Smoke inhalation is often fatal. Feel the door knob before opening the door. If hot, do not open the door. If cool, brace against door and open slowly. If heat or heavy smoke is present, close door and remain in room.

Evacuation Assistance

Residents with physical disabilities who have requested assistance during an emergency evacuation will be assisted

by trained student volunteers, resident assistants, student employees, and attendants. Questions should be directed to the community staff.

If You Cannot Leave Your Room or Exit Safely

- Remain calm. Seal up the cracks around the door using sheets, towels, or clothing to prevent smoke from entering your room. These items should be wet if possible.
- 2. Hang an object out the window (sheet, jacket, shirt) to attract attention of the Fire Department. Call the DPS at 937-775-2111 or 911 to report that you are trapped and give your location; at Lake Campus, contact Mercer County dispatch at 419-586-7724 or 911.
- 3. Stay near a window and low to the ground. A wet cloth will aid in breathing if smoke is in the room.

If You Can Leave Your Room

- 1. Take a wet cloth for your face to aid in breathing if you run into smoke.
- 2. Close door behind you and take your keys.
- 3. Proceed to nearest exit. Do not use an elevator; you could become trapped. If exit is blocked with smoke or fire, proceed to another exit. Keep low to the ground if smoke is present. Cover face with wet cloth and take short breaths of air.
- Stand clear of building after evacuating and follow the directions of fire, police, and residence hall personnel. Never re-enter a burning building.

Reporting a Fire

To report a fire, students and residence life staff should contact DPS at 937-775-2111 or 911 from any campus phone. At Lake Campus, contact Mercer County dispatch at 419-586-7724 or 911.

Fire Log

DPS maintains a Fire Log that records all fire/smoke investigations and fire alarms reported in Wright State University residential communities, organized by date. The Fire Log is available for public inspection at the department's headquarters in 120 Allyn Hall. The Fire Log includes the nature, date, time, and general location of each fire or fire alarm reported to the department. The department posts fire incidents in the Fire Log within two business days of receiving a report of a fire and reserves the right to exclude reports from the log in certain circumstances. All policies related to residence life at Wright State are available in the Residence Services Sourcebook at wright.edu/housing/sourcebook.

Visit <u>lake.wright.edu/campus-life/housing</u> for specific policies related to residence life at the Lake Campus.

Fire Statistics for Dayton Campus Residential Communities 2024

Building	Number of Fires	Date, Time, Cause	Number of Fire-Related Injuries	Number of Fire-related Deaths	Value of Property Damage
Hamilton Hall	0		,,		
Forest Lane - Aspen	1	1/4/24 @ 5:53pm/Cooking	0	0	\$0.00
Forest Lane - Palms	0				
Forest Lane - Sequoia	0				
Forest Lane - Sycamore	0				
College Park - Yellowstone	0				
College Park - Teton	0				
College Park - Redwood	0				
College Park - Acadia	0				
College Park - Shenandoah	0				
College Park - Biscayne	0				
College Park - Cascades	0				
College Park - Olympic	0				
College Park - Honors	0				
2030 Village	1	1/4/24 @ 6:15pm/Cooking	0	0	\$0.00
2040 Village	1	4/22/24 @ 5:50pm/Cooking	0	0	\$650.00
2050 Village	0				
Woods - Boston	0				
Woods - Cedar	0				
Woods - Hawthorn	0				
Woods - Hickory	0				
Woods - Jacob	0				
Woods - Laurel	0				
Woods - Maple	0				
Woods - Oak	0				
Woods - Pine	0				
2060 University Park	0				
2070 University Park	0				
2080 University Park	0				
2090 University Park	0				

Residential Facilities Fire Safety Systems for Dayton Campus 2024

Building	Fire Alarm Monitoring Done On Site (by UPD)	Fire Alarm Monitoring Done Off-Site	Sprinkler System	Sprinkler Detection	Fire Extinguisher Devices	Evacuation Plans/ Placards	Number of evacuation (fire) drills each calendar year
Hamilton Hall	Х		Х	Х	Х	Х	2
Forest Lane - Aspen	Х		Х	Х	Х	Х	2
Forest Lane - Palms	Х		Х	Х	Х	Х	2
Forest Lane - Sequoia	Х		Х	Х	Х	Х	2
Forest Lane - Sycamore	Х		Х	Х	Х	Х	2
College Park - Yellowstone		Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	2
College Park - Teton		Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	2
College Park - Redwood		Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	2
College Park - Acadia		Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	2
College Park - Shenandoah		Х	Х	Х	х	х	2
College Park - Biscayne		Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	2
College Park - Cascades		Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	2
College Park - Olympic		Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	2
College Park - Honors		X	Х	Х	Х	Х	2
2030 Village		Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	2
2040 Village		X	Х	X	Х	X	2
2050 Village		X	X	X	Х	X	2
Woods - Boston		X	Х	X	Х	X	2
Woods - Cedar		X	X	Х	X	X	2
Woods - Hawthorn		X	X	Х	X	X	2
Woods - Hickory		X	X	Х	X	X	2
Woods - Jacob		X	X	X	X	X	2
Woods - Laurel		X	Χ	X	X	X	2
Woods - Maple		X	X	X	X	X	2
Woods - Oak		X	X	Х	X	X	2
Woods - Pine		X	Χ	X	X	X	2
2060 University Park		X	Χ	Х	X	X	2
2070 University Park		X	Χ	X	X	X	2
2080 University Park		X	Χ	X	Х	X	2
2090 University Park		X	Χ	X	X	X	2

Wright State University– Lake Campus

The Wright State University—Lake Campus, located on 211 scenic acres on the north shore of beautiful Grand Lake St. Mary's between Celina and St. Mary's, is an excellent option. Easily accessible to the residents of Auglaize, Mercer, Van Wert, Shelby, Allen, and Darke counties, the Lake Campus enables students to maintain ties to local communities and families. With an enrollment of approximately 1,400 students and small class sizes, the Lake Campus is a good option for students who prefer a smaller school.

The Lake Campus offers numerous associate, bachelor's, and master's degrees, plus a variety of general education courses. The Lake Campus also participates in the Ohio Transfer Module, which simplifies transferring credits to other universities.

The Lake Campus was created in 1962 and became a regional branch campus of Wright State in June 1969. In 1972, the college moved to its present location on Grand Lake St. Mary's.

The construction project added a new, centralized entrance, where all Student Services are now located, including: Enrollment Services representatives, academic advising, testing and College Credit Plus coordination. A receptionist is available during business hours to answer questions, set up appointments, and give students descriptive material. In addition, residential housing was added in 2011, when Knapke Villa opened. A second villa opened in Fall 2014, and the third in Fall 2017, bringing the residential capacity at Lake Campus to 96 students. The townhouse-style villas include five to six apartment units, each of which can accommodate five to six students who wish to live and learn at the Lake Campus. A full-time, livein community director provides supervision of the resident students at the Lake Campus, and the community director works with the Lake Campus police officer to offer prevention programming as well.

Please go to <u>lake.wright.edu</u> for more information about the Lake Campus.

Safety at the Lake Campus

Emergency Service – How to Report a Crime

A full-time police officer with DPS is assigned to the Lake Campus. This police officer provides law enforcement and crime prevention services to the Lake Campus.

To contact the Lake Campus police officer during operational hours for non-emergencies, dial 937-775-8449 or 419-586-0249. For emergencies during normal operational hours, dial 911 or the Mercer County dispatch

at 419-586-7724. The Lake Campus and Mercer County Sheriff's Office maintain a mutual aid agreement that establishes a working partnership to preserve peace and order on campus.

During non-operational hours (weekends, holidays, and after hours), emergency services are provided to the Lake Campus by the Wapakoneta Branch of the Ohio State Highway Patrol and the Mercer County Sheriff's Office. Emergency calls to 911 from the Lake Campus will reach the Mercer County Central Dispatch, who will dispatch the appropriate, nearest officer as needed.

The Mercer County Sheriff's Office, located at 4835 State Route 29, Celina, OH 45822, can be reached by calling 419-586-7724.

The Wapakoneta Ohio State Highway Patrol (OSP) Post, located at 15472 Wapak-Fisher Road, Wapakoneta, OH 45895, can be reached by calling 419-738-8010. If you are a visitor, faculty, staff member, or student of the Lake Campus, criminal incidents must be reported to the officer on duty or the Wapakoneta OSP Post. Additionally, daily patrols of the Lake Campus are made by the officer on duty, the Wapakoneta OSP Post, and by the Mercer County Sheriff's Office.

Timely Warning Policy

Lake Campus follows the same timely warning policy as the Dayton Campus. If an incident warrants a timely warning the campus police officer and/or Director of Student Affairs would contact the DPS to activate the timely warning process.

Security of and Access to Lake Campus Buildings

Academic buildings at the Lake Campus, including Andrews, Dicke, Dwyer, and Trenary Halls, are open from 6 a.m. to 11 p.m. Monday through Friday, and from 7 a.m. through 5 p.m. on Saturday. The Lake Campus is closed on Sundays. When the university is closed, all buildings are locked and may be opened only by authorized personnel. The Buildings & Grounds Department at the Lake Campus is responsible for issuing and accounting for all building keys, as well as all maintenance of the Lake Campus facilities, grounds, and residential properties.



The policies and procedures of the Dayton Campus of Wright State also govern the Lake Campus. All policies and procedures concerning drug and alcohol use and sexual assault are covered in the Wright State Student Handbook can be accessed at wright.edu/student-affairs/health-and-wellness/student-support-services/student-handbook and university policies can be accessed at https://policy.wright.edu/. Programs offered at the Lake Campus as part of DPS Campus Safety Series and programming which consists of Active Threat and many other educational programs in which policy information is shared with the Lake Campus community.

Environmental Hazards

All policies and procedures of the Wright State Dayton Campus involving environmental health and safety also govern the Lake Campus. When required, staff at the Lake Campus contact the Dayton Campus in the event of chemical spills or other environmental safety hazards. The Lake Campus maintenance personnel respond to more routine safety hazards.

Coordinating Safety at the Lake Campus

The Wright State police officer assigned to the Lake Campus works with the Lake Campus administration to coordinate all aspects of safety as applied to the faculty, staff, and students of the Lake Campus. The Wright State police officer monitors buildings and parking lots, as well as reports suspicious activity. In addition, the Mercer County Sheriff's Office works closely with the Lake Campus to assist with patrols and security support.



Emergency Notification, Response, and Evacuation

Emergency Notification Procedures

The Lake Campus will, without delay and while taking into account the safety of the community, determine the content of the notification and initiate the notification system(s), unless issuing a notification will, in the professional judgement of responsible authorities, compromise the efforts to assist a victim or to contain, respond to, or otherwise mitigate an emergency.

The process of issuing an emergency notification begins by confirming there is a significant emergency or dangerous situation involving an immediate threat to health and safety. This occurs by collecting and analyzing information from a variety of sources, including, but not limited to, firsthand reports from the public or university police officers, and through the use of alarm and surveillance systems. In some circumstances, other Wright State departments or local, state, or federal agencies may notify DPS of a possible emergency and may provide information or guidance to be used in verifying whether a significant emergency or dangerous situation exists.

Upon confirming that an emergency or dangerous situation exists, Lake Campus administration, in conjunction with DPS, will begin the process of issuing an emergency notification.

DPS dispatchers are responsible for determining the content of an emergency notification based on the most pertinent information provided by DPS and/or Lake Campus administration and how the situation is impacting the campus. The content of the notification is designed to provide warning and basic instruction to promote the

safety and well-being of those impacted. In some cases, in order to notify the community as quickly as possible of a dangerous situation, an initial notification may simply state that an emergency has occurred and advise the community to be observant and take necessary precautions. In these circumstances, additional notifications will be issued once more information becomes available. In most cases, emergency notifications will be issued to the entire campus community, but may include the specific location the emergency is occurring. If an emergency is confined to a specific building a pre-recorded building emergency notification may be activated from the Dayton Campus PSSC.

If there is a need to disseminate information to the larger community, the Lake Campus administration in conjunction with Dayton Campus administration will contact appropriate media outlets and provide media holding statements containing pertinent information about the emergency including what, if any, emergency protective actions should be taken. Dayton Campus personnel are capable of providing assistance throughout any point of the process at the request of the Lake Campus administration.

Emergency Notification Systems

The Lake Campus operates on the same emergency notification systems as the Dayton Campus with the exception of the campus housing text messaging system.

Emergency Response and Evacuation

The Lake Campus has developed an EOP to guide the institution's response to critical incidents that may affect the health and safety of the campus community.

If an evacuation of campus, in part or in whole, is required to ensure the safety of community members the on-scene incident commander, Lake Campus dean, Director of Student Affairs, or designee of either, may order such an evacuation. The EOP identifies a succession of authority should the president be unavailable to approve an evacuation order.

Testing and Exercises

In conjunction with the Dayton Campus, Lake Campus tests its emergency notification system during the Spring and Fall Semesters. This test is announced via a campuswide email a few days prior and include important information about emergency response and evacuation procedures. The emergency notification test occurred in both the fall and spring semesters. Fall semester testing took place on September 25, 2024 and Spring semester testing took place on March 27, 2024.

Sex Offenders

Information concerning registered sex offenders living in the area of the Lake Campus can be obtained through the Mercer County Sheriff's Office. The Mercer County Sheriff's Office website can be accessed at https://www.mercercountysheriffohio.gov/. The State of Ohio also provides information at icrimewatch.net/ohio.php online.

Contacting the Lake Campus

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Counseling Services

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Title IX Resources

wright.edu/equity-and-inclusion/title-ix-gender-based-violence/lake-campus-resources



Crime Statistics for Lake Campus 2022-2024

Crime Reported	Year	On-Campus Total	On-Campus Subset (Residential Community Only)	Non-Campus	Public Property	Total Count
Criminal Homicide:	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Murder and Non-	2023	0	0	0	0	0
Negligent Manslaughter	2022	0	0	0	0	0
Criminal Homicide:	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Manslaughter by	2023	0	0	0	0	0
Negligence	2022	0	0	0	0	0
	2024	2	2	0	0	2
Sex Offenses:	2023	0	0	0	0	0
Rape	2022	0	0	0	0	0
	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses:	2023	0	0	0	0	0
Fondling	2022	0	0	0	0	0
2 255	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses:	2023	0	0	0	0	0
Statutory Rape	2022	0	0	0	0	0
2 25	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses:	2023	0	0	0	0	0
Incest	2022	0	0	0	0	0
	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	2023	0	0	0	0	0
,	2022	0	0	0	0	0
	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	2023	0	0	0	0	0
	2022	0	0	0	0	0
	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Burglary	2023	0	0	0	0	0
	2022	0	0	0	0	0
	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	2023	0	0	0	0	0
	2022	0	0	0	0	0
	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Arson	2023	0	0	0	0	0
	2022	0	0	0	0	0

Crime Reported	Year	On-Campus Total	On-Campus Subset (Residential Community Only)	Non-Campus	Public Property	Total Count
MANALA Officiaci	2024	0	0	0	0	0
VAWA Offense: Domestic Violence	2023	0	0	0	0	0
Domestic violence	2022	0		0		
VAWA Offense:	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Dating Violence	2023	0	0	0	0	0
Dating violence	2022	0	0	0	0	0
MANALA Officiaci	2024	0	0	0	0	0
VAWA Offense: Stalking Incidences	2023	0	0	0	0	0
Staiking incluences	2022	0	0	0	0	0

Hate Crimes Reported 2022-2024

No Hate Crimes were reported in 2022-2024

Unfounded Crimes

No Unfounded Crimes for 2022-2024

Arrests and Disciplinary Referrals – Lake Campus 2022-2024

Crime Reported	Year	On-Campus Total	On-Campus Subset (Residential Community Only)	Non-Campus	Public Property	Total Count
ARRESTS						
	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Alcohol Law Violations	2023	0	0	0	0	0
	2022	0	0	0	0	0
	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Drug Law Violations	2023	0	0	0	0	0
	2022	0	0	0	0	0
	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Weapon Law Violations	2023	0	0	0	0	0
	2022	0	0	0		0
DISCIPLINARY REFERRALS						
	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Alcohol Law Violations	2023	0	0	0	0	0
	2022	12	12	0	0	12
	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Drug Law Violations	2023	0	0	0	0	0
	2022	0	0	0		0
	2024	0	0	0	0	0
Weapon Law Violations DISCIPLINARY REFERRALS Alcohol Law Violations	2023	0	0	0	0	0
	2022	0	0	0	0	0

Fire Statistics for Lake Campus Residential Communities 2024

Building	Number of Fires	Date, Time, Cause	Number of Fire-Related Injuries	Number of Fire-related Deaths	Value of Property Damage
Knapke Villa	0				
West Villa	0				
East Villa	0				

Residential Facilities Fire Safety Systems for Lake Campus 2024

Building	Fire Alarm Monitoring Done On Site (by UPD)	Fire Alarm Monitoring Done Off-Site	Sprinkler System	Sprinkler Detection	Fire Extinguisher Devices	Evacuation Plans/ Placards	Number of evacuation (fire) drills each calendar year
Knapke Villa		X	X	X	X	Χ	2
West Villa		Х	X	X	X	X	2
East Villa		X	X	X	Х	Χ	2

PREVIOUS CLASSIFIED NON-CAMPUS PROPERTIES

The University no longer owns or controls these properties located at:

- 1. **Cox Institute** 3252 Southern Blvd., Kettering, OH 45429
- 2. **Research Park** 3123 Research Blvd., Suite 200, Kettering, OH 45420

The University does still own the following property; however, it is not used in direct support of, or in relation to, the institution's educational mission and it is not frequently used by students.

1. **Duke Ellis** – 9 North Edwin C. Moses Boulevard, Dayton, OH 45402

As a result, these locations are no longer classified as non-campus properties under the Clery Act.

In prior years, these properties were included in the University's Annual Security and Fire Safety Reports as non-campus locations. Because the University no longer owns or controls them or, in the case of Duke Ellis, because the property is not used in direct support of the educational mission, these properties are no longer subject to Clery Act reporting requirements and are not included in the statistics or fire safety disclosures in this report.