

Annual Security & Fire Safety Report 2024

McNichols Campus

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ANNUAL SECURITY REPORT COMPLIANCE

The University of Detroit Mercy Department of Public Safety 2024 Annual Security Report is provided to you in compliance with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Statistics Act. This report provides security information covering 2021, 2022 and 2023.

ANNUAL FIRE REPORT COMPLIANCE

The 2024 Annual Fire Safety Report is provided to you in compliance with the Higher Education Opportunity Act, Public Law 110-315 Act (HEOA)

The Annual Fire Safety Report regulations require minimum statistical disclosure for the previous year (for purposes of this report 2021, 2022, 2023) concerning emergency response procedures, fire safety regulations, statistics for campus fires, and other fire incidents that occurred on campus or on property owned or controlled by University of Detroit Mercy

GETTING A COPY OF THE FULL REPORT

You can obtain a copy of the full report by following the print options, contacting the Department of Public Safety at (313) 993-1235 Monday – Friday 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. or via the website: www.udmercy.edu/publicsafety.

ANNUAL SECURITY REPORT SECTION

ABOUT THE ANNUAL SECURITY REPORT

The University of Detroit Mercy Department of Public Safety 2024 Annual Security Report is provided to you in compliance with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act.

The Annual Security Report regulations require minimum statistical disclosure for the previous three
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A Message from the Chief

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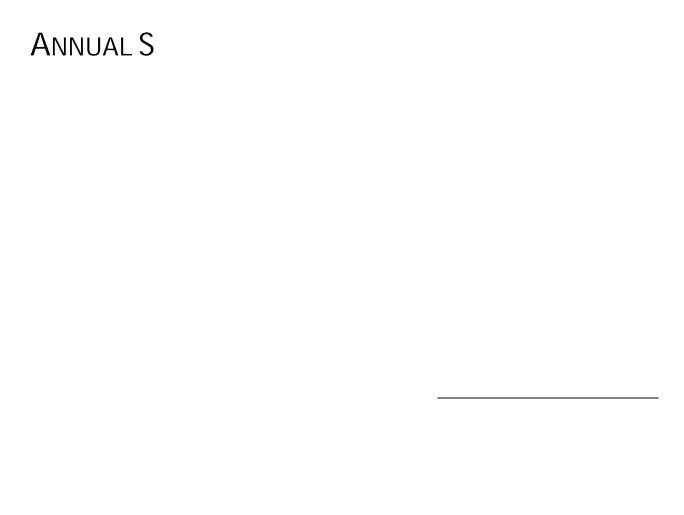
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> Contact us 24/7/365 -1234 Non-emergency: (313) 993-1234 publicsafety@udmercy.edu

Dear Students, Faculty, and Staff:

University of Detroit Mercy's Department of Public Safety works around the clock to ensure a safe campus environment. The 2024 Annual Security & Fire Safety Report is provided to inform you of safety information at Detroit Mercy. The Report covers our commitment to the University Community, disclosing statistical information for the previous three years (2021, 2022, 2023) and other safety information.

Build a Boundless Future



To report a campus crime or an emergency, <u>immediately</u> call the Detroit Mercy Department of Public Safety by calling the 24-hour communications center at (313) 993-1234 or in person at:

McNichols Campus Department of Public Safety 4001 W. McNichols Road, Detroit 48221 Student Union Building, southeast corner 24-hours/7-days

Corktown Campus (School of Dentistry)
Department of Public Safety
2700 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., Detroit 48208
Clinic Building, first floor
24-hours/7-days

Riverfront Campus (School of Law)
Department of Public Safety
651 E. Jefferson Ave., Detroit 48226
Monday – Thursday 7:00 a.m. – 10:50 p.m.
Friday 7:00 a.m. – 5:50 p.m.
Saturday & Sunday 10:00 a.m. – 5:50 p.m.
24-hours/7-days

Novi Campus
Department of Public Safety
41555 W. 12 Mile Rd., Novi 48377
Monday- Wednesday 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Dispatchers are available 24 hours a day to answer your call. In response to your call, the Detroit Mercy Department of Public Safety or Hospital Security will take the required action: dispatching an officer, providing the victim with information, or properly filing an incident report.

University incident reports of a serious nature are forwarded to the Dean of Students Office for review and potential action by the Dean of Students Office. The Department of Public Safety Investigators will action water with two their in the Dean of Students Office. The Department of Public Safety Investigators will action to the Dean of Students Office. The Department of Public Safety Investigators will be the Dean of Students Office. The Department of Public Safety Investigators will be the Dean of Students Office. The Department of Public Safety Investigators will be the Dean of Students Office. The Department of Public Safety Investigators will be the Dean of Students Office.

Campus pastoral counselors and campus professional counselors, when acting as such, are not required to report crimes for inclusion in the annual disclosure of crime statistics. As a matter of policy, they are encouraged; if and when they deem it appropriate to inform persons being counseled of the procedures to report crimes on a voluntary basis for inclusion in the annual crime statistics. While this exemption is to protect the counselor-client relationship, there could be situations where counselors are legally obligated to report a crime.

TIMELY WARNING DISCLOSURE

PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to inform the University of Detroit Mercy Community that timely safety warnings will be used to keep the University Community alerted of criminal activity that takes place on

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REPORTING CRIMINAL OFFENSES ON CAMPUS

PURPOSE

For purposes of this policy, the University of Detroit Mercy Department of Public Safety discloses to the University Community how to report criminal offenses that take place on or around the University's campuses, which may pose a threat to safety.

SCOPE

This policy applies to employees, contractors, consultants, temporary help, and other workers at Detroit Mercy, including all personnel affiliated with third parties.

POLICY

To report a criminal offense on Detroit Mercy campuses, immediately contact the Detroit Mercy Department of Public Safety 24-hour communications center at (313) 993-1234 for emergencies, or by using the exterior emergency telephones located throughout campus.

Any suspicious activity of a person seen in the parking lots or loitering around vehicles, inside a building, or around Residence Halls should be immediately reported to the Department of Public Safety. In addition, if you are a victim involved in a crime of a sensitive nature, you may report a crime to the following areas:

1.

2. Dr. Juliette C. Daniels, Ed.D.
Assistant Dean for Student Services & Enrollment Management (313) 494-6850 (Corktown Campus)

3. Monica Williams

Dean of Students
(313) 993-1028 (McNichols Campus)

 Sandra Alef Director, Residence Life (313) 993-1230 (McNichols Campus)

Detroit Mercy Department of Public Safety and the Detroit Police Department have a mutual agreement. Each department augments the other within its jurisdiction during mutual investigations, arrests, and prosecutions. Detroit Mercy officers attend regular meetings with local law enforcement agencies to exchange ideas and problems which may be of concern to the University Community.

REPORTING CRIMINAL OFFENSES OFF CAMPUS

PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to inform the University of Detroit Mercy Community that Detroit Mercy officers provide routine patrol services on University property.

SCOPE

This policy applies to employees, contractors, consultants, temporary help, and other workers at Detroit Mercy, including all personnel affiliated with third parties.

POLICY

When a University of Detroit Mercy student is involved in an off-campus offense, the Detroit Police Department will be the responding police authority to assist you. To report criminal offenses occurring

Missing Person Policy

The purpose of this policy is to establish procedures for the University's response to reports of missing

information is maintained confidentially and will be available only to the Department of Public Safety, the Dean of Students, and the Director of Residence Life. The administration of the University reserves the right to notify the parents or legal guardian of a student under the age of 21 if s/he has been determined to be missing.

For those students under the age of 17 and not an emancipated minor, the University shall notify the emergency contact as well as the custodial parent or guardian on file no more than 24 hours after the student is determined to be missing.

General Policy

People may be missing for a host of reasons. The Detroit Mercy Department of Public Safety will assist in determining if the reported person is missing. At the time of the concern, the Detroit Mercy Department of Public Safety shall process a report taking all foreseeable steps to locate the

Annual Disclosure of Crime Statistics

PURPOSE

In compliance with the U.S. Department of Education regulations, the University of Detroit Mercy maintains, enforces, and annually discloses to the University community crime statistics for incidents occurring on and around the University's campuses. The annual disclosure is meant to inform the University of Detroit Mercy Community of criminal activity regardless of the severity of the incident.

SCOPE This policy applies to employees, contractors, consultants, temporary help, and other workers at Detro

Possession of Alcoholic Beverages

PURPOSE

University of Detroit Mercy maintains, enforces, and discloses policies on alcoholic beverage consumption on University campuses.

SCOPE

This policy applies to employees, contractors, consultants, temporary help, and other workers at Detroit Mercy, including all personnel affiliated with third parties.

POLICY

The possession, sale, or furnishing of alcohol on the University campuses is governed by Detroit Mercy Alcohol Policy, the City of Detroit Ordinance, and Michigan State law. Laws regarding the possession, sale, consumption or furnishing of alcohol is controlled by the Michigan Liquor Control Commission (MLCC). However, the enforcement of alcohol laws on campus is the primary responsibility of the Detroit Mercy Department of Public Safety.

Detroit Mercy campuses have been designated "Drug-Free" and only under certain circumstances is the consumption of alcohol permitted. The possession, sale, manufacture or distribution of any controlled substance is illegal under both state and federal laws. Such laws are strictly enforced by the Detroit Mercy Department of Public Safety officers.

Violators are subject to University disciplinary action, criminal prosecution, fine and imprisonment. It is unlawful to sell, furnish or provide alcohol to a person under the age of 21. The possession of alcohol by anyone under 21 years of age in a public place or a place open to the public is illegal. It is also a violation of the Detroit Mercy Alcohol Policy for anyone to consume or possess alcohol in any public or private

The Family Education Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) govern the release of and access to student education records. Section 952 of the 1998 Amendments to the Higher Education Act of 1965 clarified that institutions of higher education are allowed (but not required) to notify parents if a student under the age of 21 at the time of notification commits a disciplinary violation involving alcohol or a controlled substance.

Because of the health and safety risk inherent in alcohol and other drug misuses, Detroit Mercy will notify parents/families of students under the age of 21:

- If a student has committed an AOD violation accompanied by other serious behavior such as needing medical attention, significant property damage, or driving under the influence.
- If a student has had an AOD incident that resulted in transport to the hospital or jail.
- If a student has had one AOD-related violation of the Student Code of Conduct- Alcohol and Other Drug Policy

Detroit Mercy campuses have been designated "Drug-Free" and only under certain circumstances is the consumption of alcohol permitted. The possession, sale, manufacture, or distribution of any controlled substance is illegal under state and federal laws. Such laws are strictly enforced by the University of Detroit Mercy public safety officers. Violators are subject to University disciplinary action, criminal prosecution, fine and imprisonment.

Detroit Mercy Department of Public Safety works to maintain a drug-free workplace in compliance with University policies, City Ordinances, state and federal laws. The University has disclosed to the community detailed information to uphold the "Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988". This information is available through the Detroit Mercy Human Resources Department and located in the UDM Polices & Procedures Handbook effective October 2003. In addition, the Detroit Mercy Department of Student Affairs communicates information on the consumption of alcohol and illicit drug use through the Student Handbook and Calendar. The Department of Residence Life reinforces these policies for the residential community by providing policies on the prohibition of alcohol consumption and illicit drug use in the Guide to Residence Living

SUBSTANCE ABUSE EDUCATION

PURPOSE

University of Detroit Mercy informs the University Community how they will be advised of Substance Abuse Educational opportunities that take place on and around the University's campuses.

SCOPE

This policy applies to employees, contractors, consultants, temporary help, and other workers at Detroit Mercy, including all personnel affiliated with third parties.

POLICY

The University has developed a program to prevent the illicit use of drugs and the abuse of alcohol by students and employees. The program provides services related to drug use and abuse including dissemination of informational material, educational programs, counseling services, referrals, and college

disciplinary actions. Students needing help dealing with substance abuse problems are encouraged to consult the Dean of Students for referral to the appropriate office and/or agency.

Wellness Center

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Local, State, and Federal Laws Governing Alcohol

The State of Michigan sets 21 as the minimum age to purchase or possess any alcoholic beverage. Specific ordinances regarding violations of alcohol laws, including driving while intoxicated, is available by contacting the Department of Public Safety at www.udmercy.edu/publicsafety or local city districts.

Additional Resources

The Detroit Mercy Department of Public Safety does not update or edit these sites but provides them as an additional resource. The following links to the Michigan State Police website and articles:

Michigan State Police Home Page http://www.michigan.gov/msp

Impaired Driving Law

https://www.michigan.gov/msp/divisions/ohsp/safety-programs/impaired-driving/impaired-

- Physical abuse
- Theft
- Vandalism
- Personal SafetyResidence Hall Security

Detroit Mercy Department of Public Safety has identified several agencies that offer educational programs to identify techniques to avoid sexual assault and date rape. Information on these agencies is located on the Department of Public Safety website
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will be offered throughout the Fall and Winter semesters to recommend safe practices to the University Community.				
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Prohibited Conduct

- b. Sodomy
 - o Oral or anal penetration
 - o Of the Complainant by the Respondent
 - o without the consent of the Complainant,
 - o including instances where the Complainant is incapable of giving consent
 - f because of their age or
 - f because of their temporary or permanent mental or physical incapacity
- c. Sexual Assault with an Object
 - o Respondent's use of an object or instrument
 - o to unlawfully penetrate, however slightly, the genital or anal opening
 - o of the body of the Complainant,
 - o without the consent of the Complainant,
 - o including instances where the Complainant is incapable of giving consent
 - f because of their age or
 - f because of their temporary or permanent mental or physical incapacity
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Failure of a Mandated Reporter, as described above in this section, to report an incident of discrimination, harassment, or retaliation of which they become aware is a violation of University of Detroit Mercy Policy and can be subject to disciplinary action for failure to comply/failure to report. This also includes situations when a harasser is a Mandated Reporter. Such individuals are obligated to report their own misconduct, and failure to do so is a chargeable offense under this Policy.

A Mandated Reporter who is themselves a target of harassment or other misconduct under this Policy is not required to report their own experience, though they are, of course, encouraged to do so.

In addition, Complainants may speak with individuals unaffiliated with University of Detroit Mercy without concern that Policy will require them to disclose information to the institution without permission:

- x Licensed professional counselors and other medical providers
- x Local rape crisis counselors
- x Domestic violence resources
- x Local or state assistance agencies
- x Clergy/Chaplains
- x Attorneys

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evidence, or deliberately mislead an official conducting an investigation or resolution process can be subject to discipline under appropriate University policies.				
Confidentiality/Privacy				
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Additionally, witnesses and Parties who knowingly provide false evidence, tamper with or destroy

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Appeal of Dismissal

The Complainant may appeal a dismissal of their Complaint. The Respondent may also appeal the dismissal of the Complaint if dismissal occurs after the Respondent has been made aware of the allegations. All dismissal appeal requests must be filed within three (3) business days of the notification of the dismissal.

The grounds for dismissal appeals are limited to:

- 1) Procedural irregularity that would change the outcome;
- 2) New evidence that would change the outcome and that was not reasonably available when the dismissal was decided;
- 3) The Director, Investigator, or Decision-maker had a conflict of interest or bias for or against complainants or respondents generally or the individual Complainant or Respondent that would change the outcome.
- 4) The dismissal was erroneously granted or denied

Emergency Removal or Interim Suspension of a Student

University of Detroit Mercy may emergency remove a student accused of Sex Discrimination or Sex-based Harassment upon receipt of Notice, Knowledge, a Complaint, or at any time during the resolution process. Prior to an emergency removal, University will conduct an individualized risk assessment and may remove the student if that assessment determines that an imminent and serious threat to the health or safety of a Complainant or any students, employees, or other persons arising from the allegations of sex discrimination justifies such action. Students accused of other forms of discrimination not on the basis of sex are subject to interim suspension, which can be imposed for safety reasons.

When an emergency removal or interim suspension is imposed, wholly or partially, the affected student will be notified of the action, which will include a written rationale, and the option to challenge the emergency removal or interim suspension within two (2) business days of the notification. Upon receipt of a challenge, the Director or a designee will meet with the student as soon as reasonably possible thereafter to allow them to show cause why the removal/action should not be implemented or should be modified.

Placing an Employee on Leave			

Resolution proceedings are confidential. All individuals present at any time during the Resolution Process are expected to maintain the confidentiality of the proceedings in accordance with University of Detroit Mercy Policy.

Alternative Resolution

To initiate Alternative Resolution, a Complainant or Respondent may make such a request to the Director at any time prior to a final determination, or the Director may offer the option to the Parties. University of Detroit Mercy will obtain voluntary, written confirmation that all Parties wish to resolve the matter through Alternative Resolution before proceeding. Any party participating in Alternative Resolution can withdraw from the Alternative Process at any time and may initiate or resume the Administrative Resolution Process.

Alternative Resolution may involve agreement to pursue individual or community remedies, including educational programming or training; direct conversation or interaction with the Respondent(s); indirect action by the Director or other appropriate University officials; and other forms of resolution that can be tailored to the needs of the Parties.

The Director has the authority to determine whether Alternative Resolution is available or successful, to facilitate a resolution that is acceptable to all Parties, and/or to accept the Parties' proposed resolution. The Director maintains records of any resolution that is reached and will provide notification to the Parties of what information is maintained. Failure to abide by the resolution agreement may result in appropriate responsive/disciplinary actions. The results of Complaints resolved by Alternative Resolution are not appealable.

Administrative Resolution (see below)

Notice of Investigation and Allegations

Prior to an investigation, the Director will provide the Parties with a detailed written Notice of

- x A statement that the Parties are entitled to an equal opportunity to access the relevant and not otherwise impermissible evidence
- x A statement that the University of Detroit Mercy presumes the Respondent is not responsible for the reported misconduct unless and until the evidence supports a different determination
- x A statement that retaliation is prohibited
- x A statement that the Parties may have an Advisor of their choice who may accompany them through all steps of the Resolution Process
- x Detail on how a party may request disability accommodations during the Resolution Process

Notification will be emailed to the Parties' University-issued email or designated accounts. Once sent, the notification will be presumptively delivered.

Resolution Timeline

University of Detroit Mercy will make a good faith effort to complete the Resolution Process within ninety to one hundred twenty (90-120) business days, including any appeals, which can be extended as necessary for appropriate cause by the Director. The Parties will receive regular updates on the progress of the Resolution Process, as well as notification and a rationale for any extensions or delays, and an estimate of how much additional time will be needed to complete the process.

If a party or witness chooses not to participate in the Resolution Process or becomes unresponsive, the University reserves the right to continue it without their participation to ensure a prompt resolution. Non-participatory or unresponsive Parties retain the rights outlined in this Policy and the opportunity to participate in the Resolution Process.

The University may undertake a short delay in its investigation (several days to a few weeks) if circumstances require. The University will promptly resume its Resolution Process as soon as feasible. The University will make a good faith effort to complete the Resolution Process as promptly as circumstances permit and will communicate regularly with the Parties to update them on the progress and timing of the process. Interim and/or supportive measures will remain in place for the duration of the Resolution Process, including any extensions or delays.

Ensuring Impartiality

Any individual materially involved in the administration of the Resolution Process, including the Director, Investigator(s), and Decision-maker(s), may neither have nor demonstrate a conflict of interest or bias for a party generally, or for a specific Complainant or Respondent.

The Director will vet the assigned Investigator(s), Decision-maker(s), and Appeals officers for impartiality

be assigned, and the impact of the bias or conflict, if any, will be remedied. If the source of the conflict of interest or bias is the Director, concerns should be raised with the Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs.

Interview Recording

For allegations of sex-based harassment involving a student Complainant or Respondent using the
Administrative Resolution Process, the Investigator(s) will record all interviews. The Parties may review
copies of their own interviews, upon request. No unauthorized audio or video recording of any kind is
permitted during investigation meetings. The recording and/or transcript of those meetings will be
provided to the Parties for their review, after which the Parties may pose additional questions to each
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meetings, with a Party or witness, subject to the procedures for evaluating and limiting questions discussed below: and

x Provide each Party with an audio or audiovisual recording or transcript with enough time for the Party to have a reasonable opportunity to propose follow-up questions.

The Decision-maker will determine whether a proposed question is relevant and not otherwise impermissible before the question is posed and will explain any decision to exclude a question as not relevant or otherwise impermissible. Questions that are unclear or harassing of the Party or witness being questioned will not be permitted.

The Decision-maker may choose to place less or no weight upon statements by a Party or witness who refuses to respond to questions deemed relevant and not impermissible. The Decision-maker will not draw an inference about whether sex-based harassment occurred based solely on a Party's or witness's refusal to respond to such questions.

At their discretion, the Decision-maker may also meet with any Party or witness to ask additional relevant questions that will aid the Decision-maker in making their determination.

The Decision-maker's determination process typically takes approximately ten (10) business days, but this timeframe can vary based on a number of factors.

Sanctions

Factors considered when determining sanctions and responsive actions may include, but are not limited to:

- x The nature, severity of, and circumstances surrounding the violation(s)
- x The Respondent's disciplinary history
- x The need for sanctions/responsive actions to bring an end to the discrimination, harassment, and/or retaliation
- x The need for sanctions/responsive actions to prevent the future recurrence of discrimination, harassment, and/or retaliation
- x The need to remedy the effects of the discrimination, harassment, and/or retaliation on the Complainant and the community
- x The impact on the Parties
- x Any other information deemed relevant by the Decision-maker(s)

The sanctions will be implemented as soon as it is feasible once a determination is final, either upon the outcome of any appeal or the expiration of the window to appeal, without an appeal being requested.

Notice of Outcome

Within thirty (30) business days of the conclusion of the Resolution Process, the Director provides the Parties with a written outcome notification. The outcome notification will specify the finding for each

Appeal of the Determination

The Director will designate a trained Appeal Decision-maker to hear the appeal. No Appeal Decision-maker(s) v	will

Long-Term Remedies/Other Actions

Following the conclusion of the Resolution Process, and in addition to any sanctions implemented or Informal Resolution terms, the Director may implement additional long-term remedies or actions with respect to the Parties and/or the University community that are intended to stop the discrimination, harassment, and/or retaliation, remedy the effects, and prevent recurrence.

These remedies/actions may include, but are not limited to:

- x Referral to counseling and health services
- x Referral to the Employee Assistance Program
- x Course and registration adjustments, such as retroactive withdrawals
- x Education to the individual and/or the community
- x Permanent alteration of housing assignments
- x Provision of campus safety escorts
- x Climate surveys
- x Policy modification and/or training
- x Implementation of long-term contact limitations between the Parties
- x Implementation of adjustments to academic deadlines, course schedules, etc.

At the discretion of the Director, certain long-term supportive measures may also be provided to the Parties even if no Policy violation is found.

When no Policy violation is found, the Director will address any remedies the University owes the Respondent to ensure no effective denial of educational access.

University of Detroit Mercy will maintain the confidentiality of any long-term remedies/actions/measures, provided confidentiality does not impair the University's ability to provide these services.

<u>Failure to Comply with Sanctions, Responsive Actions, and/or Informal Resolution</u> <u>Terms</u>

All Respondents are expected to comply with the assigned sanctions, responsive actions, corrective actions, and/or Alternative Resolution terms within the timeframe specified by the final Decision-maker(s), including the Appeal Decision-maker or the Alternative Resolution agreement.

Failure to abide by the sanction(s)/action(s) imposed by the date specified, whether by refusal, neglect, or

- 1) Each discrimination, harassment, and retaliation resolution process, including determination regarding responsibility or appeal, and any audio or audiovisual recording or transcript required under federal regulation
- 2) Any disciplinary sanctions imposed on the Respondent
- 3) Any supportive measures provided to the Parties and any remedies provided to the Complainant or the community designed to restore or preserve equal access to the University's education program or activity
- 4) Any appeal and the result therefrom
- 5) Any Alternative Resolution and the result therefrom
- 6) All materials used to train all employees consistent with the requirements in the Title IX Regulations.

University of Detroit Mercy will also maintain any and all records in accordance with state and federal laws.

<u>Accommodations and Support During the Resolution Process</u>

Disability Accommodations

University of Detroit Mercy is committed to providing reasonable accommodations and support to qualified students, employees, or others with disabilities to ensure equal access to the University's Resolution Process.

Anyone needing such accommodations or support should contact the Director, who will work with disability support colleagues as appropriate to review the request and, in consultation with the person requesting the accommodation, determine which accommodations are appropriate and necessary for fulpa (c)3

APPENDIX A: DEFINITIONS

The following definitions apply to the Nondiscrimination Policy and Procedures:

- x Advisor. Any person chosen by a party, or appointed by the institution, who may accompany the party to all meetings related to the Resolution Process and advise the party on that process.
- x Director. The person with primary responsibility for overseeing and enforcing the Nondiscrimination Policy and Procedures. As used in these policies and procedures, the "Director" also includes their designee(s).
- x Alternative Resolution. A resolution agreed to by the Parties and approved by the Director that occurs prior to a Final Determination in the Resolution Process.
- x Appeal Decision-maker. The person or panel who accepts or rejects a submitted appeal request, determines whether any of the grounds for appeal are met, and directs responsive action(s), accordingly.

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- x Employee. A person employed by University of Detroit Mercy either full- or part-time, including student employees when acting within the scope of their employment.
- x Final Determination. A conclusion by the standard of proof that the alleged conduct did or did not violate Policy.
- X Finding. A conclusion by the standard of proof that the conduct did or did not occur as alleged (as in a "finding of fact").
- x Investigation Report. The Investigator's summary of all relevant evidence gathered during the investigation.
- x Investigator. The person(s) authorized by

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Sex Offenders Registration Act 295 of 1994 http://www.legislature.mi.gov/mileg.asp?page=getObject&objName=mcl-Act-295-of-1994&queryid=6439389&highlight

Michigan State Police Sex Offender Registry http://www.michigan.gov/msp/0,1607,7-123-1589 1878 24961---,00.html

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WORKPLACE VIOLENCE

It is the policy of the University of Detroit Mercy to establish and maintain a safe and healthy climate conducive to a respectful workplace for its employees; therefore, no acts of verbal, physical, or emotional intimidation, harassment, or assault will be tolerated in any context or degree by University students, staff, faculty, and administrators. This policy extends to independent contractors, vendors, or others who conduct business with the University on the campuses.

No weapons of any kind will be allowed on any location owned, leased, or operated by the University of Detroit Mercy, except by law enforcement agencies including University police officers in compliance with the University of Detroit Mercy Weapon Free Campus Policy.

Employees and supervisors should understand how important it is to recognize early warning signs of potential violent conduct. Examples of such warning signs include:

- x A history of emotional or mental disturbance
- x A history of threatening or violent behavior
- x Paranoid or easily panicked behavior
- x Serious and unpredictable mood swings
- x Fascination or preoccupation with weapons
- x Extreme stress from personal problems or a life crisis
- x Extreme stress as a response to a workplace condition
- x Being a loner with little or no involvement with other employees
- x Engaging in frequent disputes with supervisors or fellow employees
- x Routine violation of University policy
- x No interests outside of work

Supervisors who become aware of behavior patterns similar to those listed above should contact Human Resources.

Threats of violence are serious and should be treated as such. Threatening behavior can include:

- x Throwing objects
- x Making verbal threats to harm another individual or destroy property
- x Making menacing gestures
- x Sending threatening faxes, e-mails or notes to other employees
- x Expressing significant grudges against other employees
- x Displaying an intense or obsessive personal interest with others that exceeds normal bounds
- x Attempting to intimidate or harass other individuals
- x Behavior indicating that the individual is significantly out of touch with reality to the extent that the person poses a danger or threat to himself or herself or others

All members of the University community are responsible for notifying their supervisor of any threats, actual or perceived, which have been witnessed, received, or if they have been told that another person has witnessed or received, whether or not those involved are members of the Detroit Mercy Community. The supervisor shall notify Human Resources (313) 993-1036 who will contact Public Safety. In cases where Human Resources is unavailable by telephone between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. or where there is an immediate threat or perceived danger, the employee, or supervisor should immediately notify Public Safety utilizing the campus emergency assistance number (313) 993-1234.

OCTOBER

- x Faculty Moderator Policy Refresh Sessions
- x Student Organization Leadership Conference
- x Greek Week Modules:-Hazing, Alcohol and Risk Management

University of Detroit Mercy Emergency Response and Evacuation Emergency Alert System

The Emergency Response Plan defines for the University of Detroit Mercy community the framework necessary to respond to emergencies. One measure of an organization's strength is its ability to respond well in an emergency. Since every scenario cannot be predicted, an emergency plan must be able to adapt quickly to events as they unfold. The University response needs to be quick, professional, supportive, person-centered, and meet the emerging demands of any emergency or crisis situation. This plan is designed to be flexible because an emergency may be sudden and without warning.

The President or designee (most senior Executive Officer when President is unavailable) shall declare a state of emergency when, upon recommendation of the Chief/Director of Public Safety, it is deemed necessary to activate emergency procedures and/or close all or part of the University.

The President or designee can convene the President's Council as the situation dictates.

The President or designee shall declare an end to the state of emergency when hazards no longer exist.

Following is the list of University designees who have decision-making responsibility in case of an emergency or crisis at the University of Detroit Mercy.

- x President
- x Provost, VPAA
- x Vice President of Business and Finance
- x Associate Vice President of Facilities Management & Campus Services
- x Chief/Director Public Safety

University of Detroit Mercy Emergency Alert is a mass, urgent notification system, comprised of a variety of methods by which the University, without undue delay, will notify students, faculty and staff of an active, major campus emergency or dangerous situation involving and immediate threat to the health or safety of student or employees occurring on campus:

- Text message (SMS) to cell phones
- Voice message to telephones
- Emails
- University Website posting
- University Twitter feed
- University Facebook
- Some campus digital signs

When the University of Detroit Mercy DPS Chief or Command Officers confirm there is a significant active emergency or dangerous situation impacting the public safety of the campus, an urgent notification will be sent without undue delay through the University of Detroit Mercy Mass Notification System. Initial confirmation by DPS may occur by observation of a police or security officer, multiple witness telephone calls, alarms activating in the DPS Communications Center or a confirmed report from another emergency responding agency (such as the National Weather Service, the fire department, ambulance, hazardous materials response team, FBI, County Public Health, etc.) Unless the notification, in the professional judgment of responsible authorities compromise efforts to assist victims or to contain, respond to, or otherwise mitigate the emergency.

Examples of activations may include:

- When a person actively shooting a weapon is threatening campus
- When a tornado warning is issued for the county
- When a major hazardous material spill is impacting a large portion of campus
- When University of Detroit Mercy administration declares an Emergency Reduction in operations
- Closure or Selective Campus Closure
- Delay start of classes

Localized incidents within a building (such as a small fire, hazardous material spill in a lab, water leak,) probably will not require mass notification. The emergency message content will contain pre-scripted brief messages content developed in consultation with the DPS Chief and University Rave Notification Team. The message will be sent by the University Marketing and Public Affairs Department. The University Rave Notification team consists of:

- Chief/Director Department of Public Safety
- Associate Vice President Facilities Management & Campus Services Division
- Associate Vice President University IT
- Associate Vice President Marketing and Public Affairs
- Director- Media Relations

This information will be shared to help the public take action for their safety, unless, in the professional judgment of DPS command, issuing a notification will compromise efforts to assist a victim or to contain, respond to, or otherwise mitigate the emergency.

Follow-up information, incl

	04	04
Arson	04	04
Dating Violence	14	04
Robbery	04 04	04
Sex Offenses- Forcible	14	14

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PUBLIC PROPERTY

Crimes	2021	2022	2023
Aggravated Assault	0	0	0
Arson	0	0	0
Burglary	0	0	0
Dating Violence	0	0	0
Domestic Violence	0	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0	0
Murder/Non-Negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0
Negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0
Robbery	0	0	0
Sex Offenses-Non Forcible ²	0	0	0
Sex Offenses-Forcible ²	0	0	0
Stalking	0	0	0

² Updated reporting definitions for sex offense for 2014 based on VAWA reauthorization *Denotes data not received at press time

HATE CRIMES

On Campus Totals

HATE CRIMES

On Campus Student Housing (Subset of On Campus Property Listed Above) (Includes all crimes of prejudice—actual or perceived—race, gender, sexual orientation, ethnicity, or disability)

Crimes	2021	2022	2023
Aggravated Assault	0	0	0
Arson	0	0	0
Burglary	0	0	0
Dating Violence	0	0	0
Domestic Violence	0	0	0
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- organization", "foster family home", and "foster family group home" mean those terms as defined in section 1 of 1973 PA 116, MCL 722.111.
- (c) Sexual penetration occurs under circumstances involving the commission of any other felony.
- (d) The actor is aided or abetted by 1 or more other persons and either of the following circumstances exists:
 - (i) The actor knows or has reason to know that the victim is mentally incapable, mentally incapacitated, or physically helpless.
 - (ii) The actor uses force or coercion to accomplish the sexual penetration. Force or coercion includes, but is not limited to, any of the circumstances listed in subdivision (f).
- (e) The actor is armed with a weapon, or any article used or fashioned in a manner to lead the victim to reasonably believe it to be a weapon.
- (f) The actor causes personal injury to the victim and force, or coercion is used to accomplish sexual penetration. Force or coercion includes, but is not limited to, any of the following circumstances:
 - (i) When the actor overcomes the victim through the actual application of physical force or physical violence.
 - (ii) When the actor coerces the victim to submit by threatening to use force or violence on the victim, and the victim believes that the actor has the present ability to execute these threats.
 - (iii) When the actor coerces the victim to submit by threatening to retaliate in the future against the victim, or any other person, and the victim believes that the actor has the ability to execute this threat. As used in this subdivision, "to retaliate" includes threats of physical punishment, kidnapping, or extortion.
 - (iv) When the actor engages in the medical treatment or examination of the victim in a manner or for purposes that are medically recognized as unethical or unacceptable.
 - (v) When the actor, through concealment or by the element of surprise, is able to overcome the victim.
- (g) The actor causes personal injury to the victim, and the actor knows or has reason to know that the victim is mentally incapable, mentally incapacitated, or physically helpless.
- (h) That other person is mentally incapable, mentally disabled, mentally incapacitated, or physically helpless, and any of the following:
 - (i) The actor is related to the victim by blood or affinity to the fourth degree.
 - (ii) The actor is in a position of authority over the victim and used this authority to coerce the victim to submit.
- 2) Criminal sexual conduct in the first degree is a felony punishable as follows:
 - a) Except as provided in subdivisions (b) and (c), by imprisonment for life or for any term of years.
 - b) For a violation that is committed by an individual 17 years of age or older against an individual less than 13 years of age by imprisonment for life or any term of years, but not less than 25 years.
 - c) For a violation that is committed by an individual 18 years of age or older against an individual less than 13 years of age, by imprisonment for life without the possibility of parole if the person was previously convicted of a violation of this section or section 520c, 520d, 520e, or 520g committed against an individual less than 13 years of age or a violation of law of the United States, another state or political subdivision substantially corresponding to a violation of this section or section 520c, 520d, 520e, or 520g committed against an individual less than 13 years of age.
 - d) In addition to any other penalty imposed under subdivision (a) or (b), the court shall sentence the defendant to lifetime electronic monitoring under section 520n.
- 3) The court may order a term of imprisonment imposed under this section to be served consecutively to any term of imprisonment imposed for any other criminal offense arising from the same transaction.

Michigan Criminal Law section 750.520c: Criminal sexual conduct in the second degree; felony.

- 1) A person is guilty of criminal sexual conduct in the second degree if the person engages in sexual contact with another person and if any of the following circumstances exists:
 - a) That other person is under 13 years of age.
 - b) That other person is at least 13 but less than 16 years of age and any of the following:
 - i) The actor is a member of the same household as the victim.
 - ii) The actor is related by blood or affinity to the fourth degree to the victim.
 - iii) The actor is in a position of authority over the victim and the actor used this authority to coerce the victim to submit.
 - iv) The actor is a teacher, substitute teacher, or administrator of the public school, nonpublic school, school district, or intermediate school district in which that other person is enrolled.
 - v) The actor is an employee or a contractual service provider of the public school, nonpublic school, school district, or intermediate school district in which that other person is enrolled, or is a volunteer who is not a student in any public school or nonpublic school, or is an employee of this state or of a local unit of government of this state or of the United States assigned to provide any service to that public school, nonpublic school, school district, or intermediate school district, and the actor uses his or her employee, contractual, or volunteer status to gain access to, or to establish a relationship with, that other person.
 - vi) The actor is an employee, contractual service provider, or volunteer of a childcare organization, or a person licensed to operate a foster family home or a foster family group home in which that other person is a resident, and the sexual contact occurs during the period of that other person's residency. As used in this subdivision, "childcare organization", "foster family home", and "foster family group home" mean those terms as defined in section 1 of 1973 PA 116, MCL 722.111.
 - c) Sexual contact occurs under circumstances involving the commission of any other felony.
 - d) The actor is aided or abetted by 1 or more other persons and either of the following circumstances exists:
 - i) The actor knows or has reason to know that the victim is mentally incapable, mentally incapacitated, or physically helpless.
 - ii) The actor uses force or coercion to accomplish the sexual contact. Force or coercion includes, but is not limited to, any of the circumstances listed in section 520b(1)(f).
 - e) The actor is armed with a weapon, or any article used or fashioned in a manner to lead a person to reasonably believe it to be a weapon.
 - f) The actor causes personal injury to the victim and force, or coercion is used to accomplish the sexual contact. Force or coercion includes, but is not limited to, any of the circumstances listed in section 520b(1)(f).
 - g) The actor causes personal injury to the victim and the actor knows or has reason to know that the victim is mentally incapable, mentally incapacitated, or physically helpless.
 - h) That other person is mentally incapable, mentally disabled, mentally incapacitated, or physically helpless, and any of the following:
 - i) The actor is related to the victim by blood or affinity to the fourth degree.
 - ii) The actor is in a position of authority over the victim and used this authority to coerce the victim to submit.
 - i) That other person is under the jurisdiction of the department of corrections and the actor is an employee or a contractual employee of, or a volunteer with, the department of corrections who knows that the other person is under the jurisdiction of the department of corrections.
 - j) That other person is under the jurisdiction of the department of corrections and the actor is an employee or a contractual employee of, or a volunteer with, a private vendor that operates a youth correctional facility under section 20g of the corrections code of 1953, 1953 PA 232, MCL

- 791.220g, who knows that the other person is under the jurisdiction of the department of corrections.
- k) That other person is a prisoner or probationer under the jurisdiction of a county for purposes of imprisonment or a work program or other probationary program and the actor is an employee or a contractual employee of or a volunteer with the county or the department of corrections who knows that the other person is under the county's jurisdiction.
- I) The actor knows or has reason to know that a court has detained the victim in a facility while the victim is awaiting a trial or hearing, or committed the victim to a facility as a result of the victim having been found responsible for committing an act that would be a crime if committed by an adult, and the actor is an employee or contractual employee of, or a volunteer with, the facility in which the victim is detained or to which the victim was committed.
- 2) Criminal sexual conduct in the second degree is a felony punishable as follows:
 - a) By imprisonment for not more than 15 years.
 - b) In addition to the penalty specified in subdivision (a), the court shall sentence the defendant to lifetime electronic monitoring under section 520n if the violation involved sexual contact committed by an individual 17 years of age or older against an individual less than 13 years of age

- from which that other person receives the special education services. This subparagraph does not apply if both persons are lawfully married to each other at the time of the alleged violation.
- ii) The actor is a volunteer who is not a student in any public school or nonpublic school, or is an employee of this state or of a local unit of government of this state or of the United States assigned to provide any service to that public school, nonpublic school, school district, or intermediate school district, and the actor uses his or her employee, contractual, or volunteer status to gain access to, or to establish a relationship with, that other person.

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- a) This section or an ordinance of a political subdivision of this state substantially corresponding to this section.
- b) Section 81a, 82, 83, 84, or 86.
- c) A law of another state or an ordinance of a political subdivision of another state substantially corresponding to this section or section 81a, 82, 83, 84, or 86.
- 4) An individual who commits an assault or an assault and battery in violation of subsection (2), and who has 2 or more previous convictions for assaulting or assaulting and battering his or her spouse or former spouse, an individual with whom he or she has or has had a dating relationship, an individual with whom he or she has had a child in common, or a resident or former resident of his or her household, under any of the following, is guilty of a felony punishable by imprisonment for not more than 5 years or a fine of not more than \$5,000.00, or both:
 - a) This section or an ordinance of a political subdivision of this state substantially corresponding to this section.
 - b) Section 81a, 82, 83, 84, or 86.
 - c) A law of another state or an ordinance of a political subdivision of another state substantially corresponding to this section or section 81a, 82, 83, 84, or 86.
- 5) This section does not apply to an individual using necessary reasonable physical force in compliance with section 1312 of the revised school code, 1976 PA 451, MCL 380.1312.
- 6) As used in this section, "dating relationship" means frequent, intimate associations primarily characterized by the expectation of affectional involvement. This term does not include a causal relationship or an ordinary fraternization between 2 individuals in a business or social context.

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

household, under any of the following, is guilty of a felony punishable by imprisonment for not more than 5 years or a fine of not more than \$5,000.00, or both:

- a) This section or an ordinance of a political subdivision of this state substantially corresponding to this section.
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Michigan Criminal Law section 750.411h: Stalking.

- 1) As used in this section:
 - a) "Course of conduct" means a pattern of conduct composed of a series of 2 or more separate non-continuous acts evidencing a continuity of purpose.
 - b) "Emotional distress" means significant mental suffering or distress that may, but does not necessarily, require medical or other professional treatment or counseling.
 - c) "Harassment" means conduct directed toward a victim that includes, but is not limited to, repeated or continuing unconsented contact that would cause a reasonable individual to suffer emotional distress and that actually causes the victim to suffer emotional distress. Harassment does not include constitutionally protected activity or conduct that serves a legitimate purpose.
 - d) "Stalking" means a willful course of conduct involving repeated or continuing harassment of another individual that would cause a reasonable person to feel terrorized, frightened, intimidated, threatened, harassed, or molested and that actually causes the victim to feel terrorized, frightened, intimidated, threatened, harassed, or molested.
 - e) "Unconsented contact" means any contact with another individual that is initiated or continued without that individual's consent or in disregard of that individual's expressed desire that the contact be avoided or discontinued. Unconsented contact includes, but is not limited to, any of the following:
 - i) Following or appearing within the sight of that individual.
 - ii) Approaching or confronting that individual in a public place or on private property.
 - iii) Appearing at that individual's workplace or residence.
 - iv) Entering onto or remaining on property owned, leased, or occupied by that individual.
 - v) Contacting that individual by telephone.
 - vi) Sending mail or electronic communications to that individual.
 - vii) Placing an object on, or delivering an object to, property owned, leased, or occupied by that individual.
 - f) "Victim" means an individual who is the target of a willful course of conduct involving repeated or continuing harassment.
- 2) An individual who engages in stalking is guilty of a crime as follows:
 - a) Except as provided in subdivision (b), a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for not more than 1 year or a fine of not more than \$1,000.00, or both.
 - b) If the victim was less than 18 years of age at any time during the individual's course of conduct and the individual is 5 or more years older than the victim, a felony punishable by imprisonment for not more than 5 years or a fine of not more than \$10,000.00, or both.



Burglary:

real or personal, without the consent of the owner or person having custody or control by cutting, tearing, breaking, marking, painting, drawing, covering with filth, or any other such means as may be specified by local law.

Weapon Law Violations: The violation of laws or ordinances dealing with weapon offenses, regulatory in nature, such as: manufacture, sale, or possession of deadly weapons; carrying deadly weapons, concealed or openly; furnishing deadly weapons to minors; aliens possessing deadly weapons; all attempts to commit any of the aforementioned.

GEOGRAPHICAL DEFINITIONS

On-Campus

- 1. Any building or property owned or controlled by an institution within the same reasonably contiguous geographic area and used by the institution in direct support of or in a manner related to the institution's educational purposes, including residence halls; and
- 2. Any building or property that is within or reasonably contiguous to the area identified in paragraph (1), that is owned by the institution but controlled by another person, is frequently used by students and supports institutional purposes (such as food or retail vendor).

Non-Campus Building or Property

- 1. Any building or property owned or controlled by a student organization that is officially recognized by the institution; or
- 2. Any building or property owned or controlled by an institution that is used in direct support of or in relation to the institution's educational purposes, is frequently used by students and is not within the same reasonably contiguous geographic area of the institution.

Public Property

All public property, including thoroughfares, streets, sidewalks, and parking facilities, that is within the campus or immediately adjacent to and accessible from the campus.

ANNUAL FIRE REPORT SECTION 2024

ABOUT THE ANNUAL FIRE SAFETY REPORT

The University of Detroit Mercy Department of Public Safety 2024 Annual Fire Safety Report is provided to you in compliance with the Higher Education Opportunity, Public Law 110 – 315 Act. (HEOA) The Annual Fire Safety Report is a HEOA regulation that requires minimum statistical disclosure for the three previous years for residential housing (for purposes of this report 2021, 2022, 2023), concerning reported fire related incidents on property owned or controlled by the University of Detroit Mercy. This report also includes institutional policies concerning campus fire evacuation, residential hall reporting and other fire safety matters. Detroit Mercy Corktown Campus – School of Dentistry does not maintain a student housing facility on this campus. Accordingly, the university does not have residential housing fire statistics to report for the 2021, 2022, and 2023 Annual Fire section of this report. The Detroit Mercy McNichols Campus maintains a student housing complex. Fire statistics for the McNichols Campus are disclosed in this Annual Security & Fire Safety Report 2024. You can obtain a copy of the campus reports by following the print options, contacting the Department of Public Safety at (313) 993-1234 M – F 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 pm., or by accessing the following website www.udmercy.edu/publicsafety

FIRE SAFETY TIPS

- x Plan Ahead!
- x Never tamper with fire alarm systems.
- x Know two fire escape routes from your residence.
- x Read the fire safety evacuation measures provided.
- x When an alarm sounds, leave the building immediately.
- x Cook only where it is permitted.
- x Learn student housing fire safety measures.

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FIRE SAFETY FACTS	
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Fire Statistics for Residential Facilities— McNichols Campus (2021)

All Residential Housing is located at 4001 W. McNichols Rd., Detroit, MI 48221

Residential Facility	Total Fires in Building	Fire Number	Cause of Fire	Number of Injuries that Required Treatment at a Medical Facility	Number of Deaths Related to a Fire	Value of Property Damaged Caused by Fire
Holden Hall	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shiple Hall	0	0	0	0	0	0
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CAMPUS FIRE SAFETY POLICY

PURPOSE

University of Detroit Mercy releases fire safety information to the University community as a first step in educating the community on fire safety procedures. Detroit Mercy has provided educational information that provides techniques to reduce the risk of a fire safety incident. The University will offer prevention programs essential to keep the University community safe from fire safety incidents. Fire safety laws are meant to educate our community and to encourage those with fire incident information to report the offense to the Detroit Mercy Department of Public Safety.

SCOPE

To create and maintain a fire safe environment for students residing in campus housing, non-residential students, employees, contractors, consultants, temporary help and other workers at Detroit Mercy, including all personnel affiliated with third parties.

POLICY

Residential Halls

When it comes to fire safety, certain personal property can compromise the safety of all within the community. The prohibited items can be found in the Guide to Residence Living. The Office of Residence Life conducts regular health and safety inspections of each residence hall. All areas and spaces of the room/suite, and all objects and containers within the space may be searched. Illegal or unauthorized property will be confiscated, and residents will be provided a list of items taken. Items violating local, state, or federal laws may be turned over to the Department of Public Safety.

General Fire Policy

Detroit Mercy has life safety procedures to keep our community free of fire safety hazards. Annually, fire systems are tested throughout University campuses. The Department of Public Safety (DPS) has leadership role to initiate, facilitate and account for fire safety test drills. As an ongoing process check other committees and departments have a responsibility to assist DPS during these tests and report their findings.

Fire safety tests are one measure that Detroit Mercy uses to account for the operations of mechanical equipment and emergency response of our community and emergency personnel. While other inspections occur to assess our emergency readiness, as a standing practice the Detroit Mercy community is encouraged to play a role in the prevention and evaluation process of campus fire safety systems and procedures.

Fire incidents on University property are the direct responsibility of the DPS who shall make the necessary notifications for additional outside resources when an incident requires. DPS officers are trained in emergency response to critical incident scene. The University community has been provided with specific fire safety protocol, evacuation and containment procedures to aid in making an educated choice if faced with a fire safety incident.

All DPS Officers have been trained on proper use of all types of Fire Extinguisher. DPS trains all Resident Advisor on proper us of Fire Extinguishers at RA Orientations. DPS has developed an online Fire

DETROIT MERCY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY 24

Quad Complex

- x Limited Fire suppression; trash rooms, custodial and mechanical.
- x Limited fire alarm pull stations report local and to Public Safety
- x Stand- alone, lithium battery-operated smoke detectors
- x Performed annual testing of fire alarm system.
- x Fire suppression testing.
- x Annual fire extinguisher inspections.
- x Fire suppression flow sensors were added to each Quad
- x All required fire alarm and fire suppression inspections and repairs have been completed.
- x All required fire extinguisher inspections and repairs/replacements have been completed.

West Quad

- x Stand-alone, lithium battery-operated smoke detectors in each room.
- x Limited fire alarm pull stations report local and to Public Safety.
- x Limited fire suppression in trash rooms, custodial and mechanical.
- x Performed annual testing of fire alarm system.
- x Fire suppression testing.
- x Annual fire extinguisher inspections.
- x Fire alarm upgraded in 2023
- X All required fire alarm and fire suppression inspections and repairs have been completed.

South Quad

- x Stand-alone, lithium battery-operated smoke detectors in each room.
- x Limited fire alarm pull stations report local and to Public Safety.
- x Limited fire suppression in the trash room, custodial and me Td[o)3 4i(d)-3 (m)3.9 (e JEMC /H5 ★ ned annual tesa0 1 T14ire ex265.6 (u)4 (is)2 (h)4 (er)6 (ins)2 (p)-2 (ec)3 (tio)3 5ody ★MCID 42 BDC /TT0 1 Tf0.002 T(

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