

Student Health and Safety

Parent Orientation
Summer 2009

Student Rights and Responsibilities

- All California State University, Fullerton students are expected to be aware of and educated about campus policies.
- Students are encouraged to review their Student Handbook.
- Along with their rights come many responsibilities.



What we will be talking about:

- CSUF's Crime Profile
- Emergency Preparedness
- Highlighted Issues & Polices
 - Civility, Hazing, Alcohol, Sexual Assault
- University Resources
- Online Communities



CSUF's Crime Profile

- Burglary and theft are the most commonly reported crimes on campus.
 - More crimes against property than crimes against people.
- Statistics on University Police website
- For such a large campus, we are the safest in the CSU system.



Emergency Preparedness

- CSUF receives Federal money for emergency preparedness
- How CSUF is emergency prepared:
 - CSUF understands its responsibility.
 - We have trained staff.
 - CSUF is networked with local community emergency preparation programs.
- www.fullerton.edu



Emergency Preparedness (cont.)

- Fire/Life Safety System
 - State of the art emergency notification system
 - Fire alarm system includes strobe lights, horn, and internal voice system for customized communication.
 - Campus-wide Emergency Notification System (ENS)
 - Internal & External speakers allow for mass notification (automated or customized)



Emergency Preparedness (cont.)

- Connect ED
 - Telephone notification system designed to call up to 6 numbers you have listed with the university
 - Please ensure that your emergency information is updated on your Titan Online



Parking

- \$162 Fall 2009
- Currently undergoing construction of new parking structure estimated to be completed in Fall 2010.



Parking

To make parking easier on campus

- Arrive Early
- Carpool
- Stacked Parking (7am-10pm Lots A&G)

Alternatives to parking on campus

- OCTA Bus
 - FREE! Travels all over OC
- Metro Link
 - Discounted tickets



What not to do for parking...

- **DO NOT** park in the neighborhoods surrounding the campus
- Forgery of Documents
 - Can lead to up to \$1500 in fees
- Unassigned use of Disabled Parking Permit
 - Can lead to university fines, court fees, and a misdemeanor charge on record



Reviewing Policies & Resources

- Civility
- Hazing
- Alcohol
- Sexual Assault



Civility



A Commitment to Civility at CSUF

- Civility is the expression of dignity, respect, and care for others
- Includes a willingness to listen to other views, respecting diversity, and encouraging ideas
- Differences of opinion should stay within a framework of respectful discussion and lead to mutual understanding



Hazing



What is Hazing?

- Mandatory “new members only” activities that are *not educational in nature* are prohibited.
- Any action or situation that involves physically abusing or intentionally inflicting emotional distress upon another person.



University Policy on Hazing

- It is prohibited to deprive students of:
 - sleep
 - meals
 - sense awareness
 - access to maintaining bodily cleanliness
- It is prohibited to force students to:
 - eat or drink foreign or unusual substances.
 - dress in any unusual or awkward fashion.



Alcohol



Issues Involving Alcohol

- Poor decision making
- Affects education and personal life
- Fighting
- Date rape/Sexual assault
- Alcohol Poisoning



Alcohol Policy

- In a university workplace or residence facility, it is unlawful to:
 - sell
 - consume*
 - give alcohol to anyone under the age of 21
- *Alcoholic beverages may be consumed, possessed or stored by persons age 21 or over living in university residence halls and their guests who are of legal drinking age.
- Legal Limits:
 - Under Age 21- BAC of 0.00%
 - Over Age 21- BAC of 0.08%



Common Citations From Alcohol

- Minors in Possession (MIP)
- Drunk in Public
- DUI
 - Minimum \$15,179
 - Includes DUI classes, car insurance increase, court & attorney fees, 1st offense DUI fine, etc.



Sexual Assault



What is Sexual Assault?

- Any sexual act (not limited to intercourse) committed against someone without their consent.
 - use of physical force
 - threat
 - coercion
 - intimidation
- 90% of sexual assault cases involve alcohol



University Policy on Sexual Assault

- All people should explicitly agree to any sexual activity.
- Lack of consent may include:
 - Verbal resistance
 - Non-verbal resistance
 - Victim's use of alcohol or drugs
- CSUF does not tolerate sexual assault against anyone.



Sexual Assault Myths and Facts

Myth

Fact

<ul style="list-style-type: none">● A person who gets drunk at a party is asking to get raped.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● The person who committed the crime is responsible, not the victim.
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Rape results from an intoxicated person losing control of their sexual drive.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Everyone is in control of, and responsible for, their behavior. Alcohol is the #1 date rape drug.
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● A person is more likely to be assaulted in a dark alley by a stranger.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● 75% – 80% of sexual assaults are committed by an acquaintance within 5 miles of the victim's home. The rate is higher on college campuses.



Campus Resources

- University Police
- Student Health and Counseling Center
- Counseling and Psychological Services
- Women's Center
 - University Blues
- Dean of Students/Judicial Affairs
- Coach/Advisor



University Police

- 18-22 sworn state police officers
- Responsibilities & authority of University Police:
 - Citations
 - File Reports
 - Arrests
 - Pursuits
 - Traffic Violations
 - Crime Prevention
 - Escorts
 - Blue Poles
 - Much More!



Contacting University Police

- Location: Corner of Gymnasium Dr. & State College Blvd. New building – Coming Soon!
- 911: Cell Phone & Landline
- Non-Emergency Contact Number: (657) 278-2515



Student Health & Counseling Center

Student Health Center



Counseling &
Psychological
Services



Student Health Center

- Full service medical clinic
 - general medicine
 - radiology
 - optometry
 - lab
 - physical therapy
 - pharmacy
- Family PACT
 - STI information, contraception, physical exams
Services are low to no cost to students
- No insurance is required, but is recommended
- Students are encouraged to continue with their primary care physician for long term or existing conditions.



Counseling & Psychological Services (CAPS)

- Free short term counseling for students!
- Common issues related to the college transition:
 - Anxiety
 - Relationship Issues
 - Depression
 - Self-esteem
- All of these issues can impact learning and should be addressed.
- Encouraged to continue with current counselor for long term or existing conditions.



Questions?



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Online Communities

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Online Communities

- 77% of employers use online search engines to learn more about candidates.
- 56-63% of those employers have eliminated a candidate from consideration based on the information uncovered online.



Online Communities (cont.)

- Students are encouraged to:
 - Only include information/photos that they would want parents or employers to see.
 - Protect themselves and their friends' privacy
 - Consider putting their profile on the private setting.
 - Use common sense!



Questions?



POP QUIZ!

What is the most common crime
on campus?



Do students need health insurance to use the services at the Student Health & Counseling Center?



Name three ways students can stay safe on campus?



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