



Student Health & Safety

Parent Orientation
Summer 2011

What we will be talking about:

- Highlighted Issues & Polices
- CSUF's Crime Profile
- Emergency Preparedness
- University Resources
- Online Communities



Student Rights and Responsibilities

- Students have many rights and privileges
- Along with their rights come many 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



Review of Selected Policies

- Skateboards & Bicycles
- Civility
- Hazing
- Alcohol
- Prescription & Over the Counter Drugs
- Sexual Assault



Skateboards & Bicycles



Skateboards & Bicycles on Campus

- Skateboards may not be ridden on campus, including parking structures
- Bicycles may only be ridden on designated bike routes
- Violations may result in citations and fines



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*
- 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.



Drugs: Prescription & Over the Counter



Prescription & OTC Drugs

- Opioids, stimulants and pain killers
- Significant increase in misuse/abuse with young adults ages 18-24
 - Low perception of harm
 - Accessibility
 - Self treatment
 - Viewed as performance enhancing
 - Social acceptance



Dangers of Prescription & OTC Drugs

- Most of these drugs are highly addictive and habit forming
- More people die from abusing prescription and OTC drugs than cocaine, heroin, and ecstasy COMBINED



Drug Policy

- The misuse/abuse and sale of any illicit, prescription, and over the counter drugs is prohibited
- Prosecution under appropriate laws
- University sanctions (probation, suspension, or expulsion)



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">● Drinking is a good way to initiate having sex with someone at a party.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● If someone has been drinking, they are not of sound mind to make sexual decisions.
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Women are the only victims of sexual assault and rape.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Both men and women can be victims of sexual assault. Remember that coercion is not consent.
<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.



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 one of 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
 - Electronic notification system designed to notify you in the time of an emergency
 - Record up to 6 emergency contacts with the university (text, voicemail, e-mail)
 - Please ensure that your emergency information is updated on your Titan Online



Campus Resources

- University Police
- Student Health and Counseling Center
- WoMen's Center
- Dean of Students
- Judicial Affairs
- Assistant Deans
- Coach/Advisor



University Police

- 24 sworn state police officers
- Responsibilities & authority of University Police:



- Citations
- Pursuits
- Crime Prevention
- Blue Poles
- File Reports
- Traffic Violations
- Arrests
- Escorts



Contacting University Police

- Location: Corner of Gymnasium Dr. & State College Blvd.
- Jurisdiction: 1 mile
- 911: Cell phone & landline



Parking & Transportation

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To make parking easier on campus

- Arrive early (especially for the first few weeks)
- Anticipate construction on the 57
- Search in different lots
- Carpool

Alternatives to parking on campus

- OCTA Bus - FREE! Travels all over OC
- Metro Link - Student discount



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)

- Limited number of free counseling sessions for students
- Common issues related to the college transition:
 - Anxiety
 - Relationship Issues
 - Depression
 - Self-esteem/Identity
- All of these issues can impact learning and should be addressed
- Encouraged to continue with current counselor for long term or existing conditions





Online Communities

Online Communities

- More than half of employers use online search engines to learn more about candidates
- 2 out of 5 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 and employers to see
 - Protect themselves and their friends' privacy
 - Consider putting their profile on the private setting
 - Use common sense!



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Questions?

