

Housing and Residential Engagement Student Conduct Process

As members of Housing and Residential Engagement community, as well as the academic community at California State University, Fullerton, residents are expected to maintain a standard of conduct appropriate to their status as housing community members as well as University students. We expect students to know the standards of conduct expected in a community of scholars and to abide by these standards as outlined in Housing and Residential Engagement Policies as well as the CSU Student Conduct Code (Title 5, California Code of Regulations).

Living in a community requires cooperation on the part of all residents in respecting individual and group rights. Residents must abide by the rules and regulations which are designed to promote the spirit of cooperation to assure the safety and security of all community members.

Violations of Student Housing Policies will result in appropriate consequences including housing probation, workshops, community service, loss of privileges, community projects, and a wide range of other sanctions. Violations could also result in cancellation of the Student Housing License Agreement, referral to the University Police, or referral to the Dean of Students Office, Student Conduct.

If a resident is found responsible for violating the Student Housing Policies, a student conduct record will be maintained confidentially within Housing and Residential Engagement for 7 academic years.

Procedures

1. An incident report is completed by a Resident Advisor (RA) or other Housing and Residential Engagement Staff Member regarding an alleged violation of the Student Housing Policies.
2. The incident report is received by the Coordinator of Student Conduct, who assigns the incident report to a full-time or graduate assistant Staff Member.
3. The Staff Member reviews the incident report and consults with the reporting RA as needed.
4. The Staff Member schedules a meeting with the alleged resident through email.
5. The resident meets with the Staff Member to discuss the alleged violation.
6. The Staff Member determines whether or not the resident is responsible or not responsible for committing the violation by using the preponderance of the evidence standard: whether it is more likely than not that the resident committed the alleged violation.
 - a. If the Staff Member determines that the resident is *responsible* for committing the alleged violation, the Staff Member will assess sanctions for the resident to complete.
 - b. If the Staff Member determines that the student is *not responsible* for committing the alleged violation, then the case will be dismissed.
7. If the resident does not complete the sanctions within the allotted period of time (including extensions) the Staff Member will refer the resident to the Dean of Students Office, Student Conduct for further action.

For additional information on the university's Student Conduct process, including allegations of Academic Dishonesty, please refer to our website: www.fullerton.edu/integrity

Campus Resources for Student Concerns

- Dean of Students Office (Student Conduct and Students of/with Concern – (657) 278-3211
- Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS) – (657) 278-3040
- Title IX and Gender Equity – (657) 278-2121
- WoMen's and Adult Reentry Center – (657) 278-3928
- University Police – (657) 278-2515 and 911 in case of emergency