

<b>Title</b> :	<b>Plan for Crime Awareness and Campus Security</b>	
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A. Procedures and facilities for reporting criminal actions or other emergencies occurring on campus and the College’s response to such reports.

Employees, students, and all other persons are to report criminal actions or other emergencies occurring by dialing 911.

Eastern Arizona College (EAC or the College) shall be responsible for the investigation of any and all crimes that occur on any campus; any non-campus building or property that is owned or controlled by a student organization officially recognized by the College, or any building or property owned or controlled by the College that is used in direct support of, or in relation to, the College’s educational purposes, is frequently used by students, and is not within the same reasonably contiguous geographic area of the College; and certain public property. The regulatory definition of “public property” in 34 CFR 668.46(a) includes “all public property, including thoroughfares, streets, sidewalks, and parking facilities, that is within the campus, or immediately adjacent to and accessible from the campus.” The College shall work closely with local law enforcement agencies to ensure that proper investigations are conducted and reported to the College for all additional locations owned or controlled by the College under their respective jurisdictions. The College will encourage and seek the prosecution of all criminals.

B. Security and access to campus facilities, campus residences, and security considerations used in maintenance of campus facilities.

College personnel shall ensure that all classroom facilities remain locked when not in use, and only those persons authorized to attend classes or to utilize EAC facilities, i.e., students, faculty, staff, and those authorized through an approved facility request form to utilize specific facilities, shall have access to EAC facilities.

The security of residences and residence halls on the campus shall be the responsibility of the Director of Residence Life, Campus Police and Security Officers, and residence hall Resident Directors. Residence hall students are encouraged to keep their individual rooms locked at all times and not to keep items of excessive value in their rooms. In addition, all residence hall students are to receive a copy of the college publication *Residence Life Handbook* that deals specifically with safety and security considerations while living in campus housing. All residence halls shall have full-time staff that is to assist in the safety and security of the students living on campus. Additionally, the EAC Campus Police Department personnel shall patrol the campus housing on a regular basis.

C. Campus law enforcement authority, including their working relationship with State and local police agencies and encouraging accurate and prompt reporting of all crimes to campus police and appropriate police agencies.

EAC Campus Police Officers shall be certified by the Arizona Peace Officer Standards and Training Board (AzPost).

EAC Campus Police Department personnel shall maintain an ongoing working relationship with state and local police agencies.

EAC students, staff and faculty are encouraged to report to the Campus Police Department, any and all crimes. If the crime occurs on Thatcher Campus, it should be reported to the EAC Campus Police Department. If the crime occurs at one of the additional locations owned or controlled by the College, it should be reported to the appropriate local law enforcement agency, and to the EAC Campus Police Department.

Any student, staff or faculty member who becomes aware of a crime, or who is the victim of a crime should make an accurate and prompt report of that crime, in order to ensure successful police action.

D. Type and frequency of programs designed to inform students and employees about campus security procedures and practices and to encourage students and employees to be responsible for their own security and the security of others.



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All students and employees and all prospective students and employees shall be informed on how to contact appropriate police and security officers, the practices and procedures which are used by police and security personnel in the reporting of crimes and encouraged to be responsible for their own safety and the security of others by receiving a copy of the yearly publication of *Annual Security and Fire Safety Report*. This publication shall also contain the appropriate information for additional locations owned or controlled by the College. Employees and students will receive safety information and a link to this publication through their college-issued email address. Prospective students and employees will receive or find links to this publication through their career or admission searches, and on the College’s Website at the following pages: Future Students, Student Life, Employment Opportunities, Consumer Information, and Security and Safety.

Residence hall and Campus Police Department personnel shall hold regular meetings to inform students of the continued need for security practices, including the protection of their personal property.

E. Programs designed to inform students and employees about the prevention of crimes.

The College shall maintain and encourage an ongoing crime prevention program through the use of the yearly publication *Annual Security and Fire Safety Report* and other appropriate means. This program shall be coordinated through the Dean of Students.

F. Statistics concerning the occurrence on campus and on public property within and immediately adjacent to College-owned buildings and property, during the most recent calendar year, and the two preceding years of the following criminal offenses reported to campus security authorities or local law enforcement agencies--murder, manslaughter, rape, fondling, incest, statutory rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, motor vehicle theft, and arson.

The College’s Police Department will gather, maintain, and report statistics concerning the occurrence on the Thatcher campus and at all additional locations owned or under its control of the following criminal offenses reported to either the campus Police Department or local law enforcement agencies--murder, manslaughter, rape, fondling, incest, statutory rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, motor vehicle theft and arson.

G. Statistics concerning the number of occurrences on the Thatcher campus and at all additional locations owned or under its control of the following criminal offenses reported to either the campus Police Department or local law enforcement agencies relating to Hate Crimes - - murder, manslaughter, rape, fondling, incest, statutory rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, motor vehicle theft, arson, simple assault, larceny, intimidation, and destruction, damage, vandalism of property.

The College’s Police Department will gather, maintain, and report statistics concerning the occurrence on the Thatcher campus and at all additional locations under its control of the following Hate Crime offenses reported to either the campus Police Department or local law enforcement agencies -- murder, manslaughter, rape, fondling, incest, statutory rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, motor vehicle theft, arson, simple assault, larceny, intimidation, and destruction, damage, vandalism of property. Additional categories that will be reported will be noting if the crimes were related to race, religion, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, disability, ethnicity, or national origin.

H. Statistics concerning the number of occurrences on the Thatcher campus and at all additional locations owned or under its control of the following Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) offenses reported to either the campus Police Department or local law enforcement agencies - - domestic violence, dating violence and stalking.

The College’s Police Department will gather, maintain, and report statistics concerning the occurrence on the Thatcher campus and at all additional locations owned or under its control of the following VAWA offenses – domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking. There is significant overlap between the Clery Act, Title IX requirements, and VAWA.



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- I. Statistics concerning the number of arrests for the following crimes occurring on campus--liquor law violations, drug abuse violations, and weapons possessing or carrying.

The EAC Campus Police Department will gather and maintain statistics concerning the number of arrests on the Thatcher Campus and at all additional locations owned or under its control for the following crimes occurring on campus--liquor law violations, drug abuse violations, and weapons possessing or carrying.

- J. Possession, use, and sale of alcoholic beverages and enforcement of State underage drinking laws and a statement of policy regarding the possession, use, and sale of illegal drugs and enforcement of Federal and State drug laws and a description of any drug or alcohol abuse education programs as required under section 1213 of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended, contains the drug free campuses requirements added by section 22 of the Drug Free Schools and Communities Amendments of 1989 (Public Law 101-226).

See Eastern Arizona College Policies 4710.00 and 5800.00 and Regulations 4710.01 and 5800.01.

- K. Statistics concerning the number of fires for all on-campus student housing facilities.

The EAC Residence Life Office will maintain a fire log containing all reported fires that occurred at any of student housing facilities that are maintained on-site at the Thatcher Campus, or any other campus or additional location owned or controlled by the College that have on-campus student housing facilities. The EAC Campus Police Department will gather and report those statistics in the yearly publication of *Annual Security and Fire Safety Report*.

