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# Public Safety Mission Statement

The Department of Public Safety protects persons and property by providing essential and professional law enforcement and public safety services, while promoting community involvement and assistance. The overall goal of the agency is to provide the safest possible environment for the students, faculty, staff, and visitors at the University.

#### **Message from the Director of Public Safety**



n behalf of the men and women of the Department of Public Safety, welcome to California State University, Los Angeles. At Cal State L.A., the safety and well being of the students, faculty, staff and visitors is our foremost concern.

The Department of Public Safety strives to promote and maintain a campus environment conducive to academic achievement. A truly safe campus can only be achieved through the cooperation of the entire campus community. With your help

and participation and our commitment, I am confident that the time you spend with us will be safe and productive.

It is our hope that this brochure offers you the information necessary to assist you in making intelligent, informed decisions. Please read it carefully and use the information to become partners with us in preventing crime on our campus. This brochure along with the new Campus response to Homeland Security Advisory System are also available electronically from our Public Safety web site at www.calstatela.edu/univ/police/docs/clery.pdf.

The Policy and Statistical Information is made available to you in compliance with The Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act, formerly The Student Right to Know Act of 1990. If you have any questions, please contact our office.

Sincerely,

Gregory D. King Director of Public Safety

#### **University Mission Statement**

he University strives to promote understanding of, and respect for, racial, ethnic, cultural, and gender diversity and to serve the changing needs of a global society. Recognizing that true equity transcends equal access, the University provides support services, which help a diverse student population to succeed in University study.

The University is committed to providing students with a balanced educational experience including co-curricular activities, which contribute to personal enrichment such as student organizations, campus residence life, artistic events, multicultural events, intercollegiate athletics, and intramural activities.

California State University, Los Angeles is committed to fostering ethical behavior among administrators, faculty, staff and students. The campus collegial governance structure, therefore, adheres to the principles of academic freedom and professional ethics consistent with the responsibilities of an academic community.

#### **Policy on Campus Violence**

The University prohibits and will take decisive action to eliminate verbal harassment, violent acts, threats of violence, or any other behavior which by intent, action or outcome harms another person. Such conduct is subject to disciplinary action up to and including dismissal from employment, expulsion from the University, or civil or criminal prosecutions as appropriate.

#### Policy on the Prohibition of Sexual Harassment

The University will take action to prevent and eliminate sexual harassment, as mandated by the Chancellor's Executive Order No. 345. Sexual harassment is conduct subject to disciplinary action, including termination. State and Federal statutes and Court decisions legally define the parameters of "sexual harassment." CSU employees and students are required to conduct themselves in a manner that avoids sexual harassment as defined by State and Federal Law. For more information, contact: Division of Human Resources Management, Office for Affirmative Action; Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs; University Counseling Center; and Women's Resource Center.



#### **Interim Policy on Sexual Assault**

Cal State L.A. is committed to creating and maintaining a learning, working, and social environment for all members of the University community that is free from sexual assault. The University prohibits sexual assault. Any person who is believed to have committed sexual assault on campus, on offcampus grounds or facilities maintained by the University, at facilities maintained by affiliated student organizations, or at off-campus Universityrelated activities is subject to University sanctions and criminal and civil prosecution. Any person who has committed sexual assault in violation of this policy is subject to arrest and prosecution. University-affiliated organizations and contractors who fail to take appropriate disciplinary action against their own employees who have committed sexual assault in violation of this policy may have their affiliation and/or contracts revoked.

Any student or employee who is believed to have committed sexual assault in violation of this policy shall also be subject to disciplinary action, up to and including expulsion for students, and up to and including termination for employees. In any disciplinary proceeding taken against a student or employee based on alleged sexual assault, the accuser and accused shall enjoy the same opportunities to have others present during the proceedings (at their own expense), and shall be informed of the outcome of the proceeding, including any penalty to be imposed. Sexual Assault and rape are described and defined in full by the California Penal Code.

The University is committed to providing victims of sexual assault and attempted sexual assault with survivor services and resources.

## Victims may make reports and/or receive information on services and resources at the following campus locations:

University Police Department	323-343-3700	
(Bungalow C)		
Student Health Center	323-343-3300	
Office for Equity and Diversity	323-343-3040	
Women's Resource Center	323-343-3370	
(King Hall D140)		

#### Crisis Centers/Hotlines

East Los Angeles Women's Center	800-585-6231
Center for Pacific Asian Families	800-339-3940
Los Angeles Commission on	310-392-8381
Assaults Against Women (LACAAW)	213-626-3393

#### **Hate Crimes and Hate Incidents**

A part of the mission of the Department of Public Safety is to ensure all persons are protected regardless of their ethnicity, race, national origin, religion, sex, sexual orientation, or disability. In furtherance of this mission all "hate" crimes and incidents will be thoroughly investigated, reported and prosecuted.

#### **Policy on Alcohol and Illegal Drugs**

In accord with the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990 and Section 120a of the Higher Education Act, California State University, Los Angeles provides the following notification to all its students, faculty members, staff members and administrators:

#### Standards of Conduct

University standards prohibit the unlawful possession, manufacture, cultivation, use, or distribution of illegal drugs (as those terms are defined by State and Federal Laws) on campus property. The University also prohibits the illegal possession, distribution and consumption of alcoholic beverages.

#### Illegal Drugs

Federal and State laws on drug abuse provide for stringent penalties for illegal possession, manufacture, cultivation, sale, transportation, use of/administration or any narcotic drug; more stringent penalties for those convicted of previous narcotics offenses than for first offenders; and extremely stringent penalties for those who in any way involve minors in the use of narcotics.

A person is subject to prosecution if he or she illegally uses or is under the influence of narcotics, or knowingly visits a place where illegal narcotic use is occurring. Marijuana and other illegal organic substances are covered by similar laws and there is an additional violation against the cultivation or processing of these drugs in this state. The barbiturates (e.g. yellow jackets, red devils), and amphetamines (e.g. bennies, dexies, etc.)—called restricted dangerous drugs in the California

Narcotic Act – are similarly covered; penalties for those convicted of illegal possession, manufacture, cultivation, sale, transportation, use or administration of these drugs are severe. In 1966, LSD and related hallucinogenic drugs were added to the list of restricted dangerous drugs, and their use for other than authorized research was prohibited by California law.

#### Alcohol

The University's policy with respect to alcohol follows the laws of the State of California and the City of Los Angeles. All persons, regardless of age, or status are governed by these laws and regulations. State and city laws, prohibit: (1) the purchase or sale to, possession of or consumption of alcoholic beverages by anyone under 21; (2) the serving of alcohol to an already intoxicated person; and (3) the manufacture, use of provision of a false state identification card, driver's license, or certificate of birth or baptism. If convicted for violating these laws, punishment—up to and including jail sentence—may result.

#### Health Risks

The serious health risks of various illegal drugs and alcohol are well documented. Use of illegal drugs or excessive use of alcohol can damage:

- Physiological processes including brain functioning, digestive disorders, liver, heart, and lung problems;
- Psychological and mental processes including memory, judgment, personality, reproduction and fetal development, and may induce psychotic episodes.

Many thousands of deaths each year are either directly or indirectly attributable to substance abuse through accidents, illnesses, and violence. Brochures describing the specific health effects of various illegal drugs and of alcohol are available in the Health Center, the University-Student Union and in Residence Life.

#### Counseling and Medical Assistance

The University's interest in the educational welfare of its students is demonstrated through primary concern for remedial measures. The University makes available the full counseling and medical resources to assist students in constructively confronting problems leading to involvement with drugs or alcohol. Every student concerned about problems resulting from the use of illegal drugs or alcohol is encouraged to seek help from the Health Center at (323) 343-3333. The Health Center will treat such voluntary calls from the students confidentially and not subject them to disciplinary action. The Health Center also maintains a complete listing of referral resources in the community that can provide students with specific assistance once an assessment has been made by a physician or counselor.

#### **Disciplinary Sanctions**

Illegal Drugs: State law (Section 41301, of Title 5, California Code of regulations) allows the University to take disciplinary action, up to and including suspension or expulsion, against any student who sells or knowingly possesses any illegal drug while on campus property. University action may be taken whether or not independent action is taken by civil authorities. Conviction in a criminal court does not necessarily preclude University disciplinary action.

Alcohol: University Administrative Procedure 19, Use of Alcoholic Beverages on Campus, explains the restrictions beyond City and State laws that govern the possession and use of alcohol on campus. Alcoholic beverages may only be sold at approved catered events. Also, when a recognized student club sponsors an on-campus event, attendance is limited to members of that club and their guests. Organizations violating this policy may be subject to administrative action ranging from probation to removal of official recognition. Individuals who violate Procedure 19, are subject to disciplinary action up to and including suspension or expulsion (Source: 2000-2001 Eagle Planner and Handbook).

The use of alcoholic beverages must be in compliance with California State law and is strictly limited to persons 21 years of age and older.

#### **Policy on Weapons**

The use or possession of firearms or other weapons by students, employees, or visitors while on campus is prohibited by law. Duly sworn police officers are exempt from this law.



#### **Convicted Sexual Offender Registration Laws**

Effective October 28, 2002, Penal Code 290.1 was expanded and requires sexual offenders to register with the University Police. Convicted sexual offenders are required to register under Section 290 if they are residing on the university campus; enrolled as a student of the university; employed by the university, either full-time or part-time (includes paid employees or volunteers); or working or carrying on a vocation at the university (e.g. contractors) for more than 14 days or for an aggregate period exceeding 30 days in a calendar year (including paid workers as well as volunteers).

Persons listed above must register with the University Police within five working days of commencing enrollment or employment with the University. Registrants are also required to notify the University Police within five working days of ceasing to be enrolled or employed, or ceasing to carry on a vocation at the University.

Public information regarding sex offenders in California may be obtained by viewing the Department of Justice Online Megan's Law Web Site at http://caag.state.ca.us/megan/. You can also obtain information by contacting the Los Angeles Police Department—Hollenbeck Station at (213) 485-2942.

The University encourages the accurate and prompt reporting of all crimes to the University Police and appropriate law enforcement agencies. Institutional personnel will assist students in notifying these authorities upon request.

n November of 2001 the California State University, Los Angeles Police Department was nationally accredited and was reaccredited in December of 2004. The department met the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA), Inc.'s state-of-the-art standards. This voluntary process to gain accreditation is a highly prized recognition of law enforcement professional excellence. The process is designed to help formalize essential management practices; improve service delivery; strengthen crime prevention capabilities; and boost citizen and staff confidence in the agency.

The University Police have 19 police officer positions. Our sworn officers patrol the campus on foot or by marked vehicle and are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week to respond to emergencies that may develop. For a criminal, medical, or fire emergency call 9-1-1 from any telephone or pay telephone at no charge. You may also use the emergency phones that are positioned throughout the campus. For other assistance, call the University Police at (323) 343-3700 or oncampus extension 3-3700. The University Police telephone is also answered 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Our Investigations unit is responsible for the follow-up investigation of crimes occurring on campus. The unit interfaces with neighboring law enforcement agencies assisting with investigations of crimes that may have occurred off-campus but are related to the Cal State L.A. community.

#### **University Police Enforcement Authority**

Police Officers for the Department of Public Safety are vested with the same peace officer powers of arrest and responsibilities as other police officers within the State of California. Their authority is granted through legislative action defined in the California Education and Penal Codes. Their primary jurisdiction covers all property owned and operated by the University, including adjacent public streets and property.

#### Reporting Offenses to Other CSULA Offices

Students are encouraged to report any problems with the campus environment to the Department of Public Safety's University Police. We also encourage the reporting of crimes to any campus official such as the Office of Student Affairs staff, Health Center Counselors, Housing Services Directors, or any other campus administrator. These institutional personnel will assist students in notifying the appropriate law enforcement authorities upon request so an official police report may be taken. At minimum, institutional personnel will notify the University Police of such a report for the inclusion in the annual statistical report.

#### To report a crime or an emergency:

- Call the police. Give your name, telephone number and location.
- Give clear and accurate information.
- Be prepared to supply suspect and vehicle description and the direction of travel.
- Please do not hang up! Follow the instructions of the police dispatcher.

## What to do after you have been sexually assaulted or raped on or off campus:

- Go to a safe place and call the University Police or your local police department;
- Do not shower, bathe, douche, wash your mouth, or do anything else that might destroy evidence;



- Do not change or destroy clothing—if you feel you must change your clothes, place each item of clothing removed in a separate paper bag;
- Do not clean or straighten up your house or any other area, if it was the scene of the assault—do not touch areas that the rapist may have touched;
- Do not destroy or discard sheets and towels you may have used;
- Seek medical attention by going to a hospital emergency room for evidence collection, medical care, and information on screening for sexually transmitted infections and/or pregnancy; and
- Call a rape treatment center hotline—counselors are available 24 hours a day to provide rape crisis counseling and information regarding your options.

Your campus police department is here to assist you.
When you need help call
9-1-1 or 3-3700.

Victim/Witness Assistance Line Available 24 Hours a Day (323) 343-3756.

#### Eagle Patrol

Eagle Patrol is a student program

with the University Police. The Eagle Patrol

Escort Service offers walking escort service. Requests for escorts are taken 24 hours a day by the University Police. Just dial (323) 343-3700.

*Tip:* Using this service, particularly when you are going to parking lots, can greatly improve your personal safety. For more information on this great service, call (323) 343-3700.

#### Crime Prevention Programs

Crime Prevention Programs on personal safety and theft prevention are sponsored by various campus organizations throughout the year. University Police personnel facilitate programs for student, parent, faculty, and new employee orientations, student organizations, community organizations, in addition to quarterly programs for Housing Services Resident Advisers and residents providing a variety of educational strategies and tips on how to protect themselves from sexual assult, theft and other crimes. Rape Aggression Defense System (RAD) training is offered for women. It is a comprehensive course

for women. It is a comprehensive course that begins with awareness, prevention, risk reduction and avoidance, while progressing on to the basics of hands-on defense training. Certified RAD instructors will teach the courses provided. For more information, contact Lizette Juarez at (323) 343-6290.

Tip: To enhance personal safety, especially after an evening class, walk with friends or someone

from class that you know well, or call the Eagle Patrol for an escort.

#### Operation Identification

Operation Identification (or Operation ID) is an ongoing citizen's burglary prevention and

property identification program for use in campus offices and housing. It involves the marking of property with an identifying number as a means of discouraging burglary and theft. This program also helps law enforcement agencies identify your property if it is lost or stolen.

Tip: Mark your valuables by inscribing your driver's license number and state identifier (CA for California). If you do not drive, mark your valuables by engraving your California Identification card number, which can be obtained from the State Department of Motor Vehicles. You may borrow an engraver, and instructions for its use, free of charge from the Public Safety department.

#### First Aid

University Police officers are available 7 days a week, 24 hours a day, to respond to any emergency health problem that may develop. For assistance with an emergency health problem, dial 9-1-1. You may also use the emergency phones located throughout the campus or call the University Police at (323) 343-3700 or on campus at extension 3-3700.

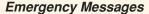
*Tip:* Be sure to carry identification with you at all times in addition to wearing any medical alert bracelet you may have.

#### **Fires**

In the event of a fire, contact the Department of Public Safety by dialing 9-1-1 immediately and advise the University Police Dispatcher of the location and nature of the fire. Sound any available fire alarms. Calmly evacuate the building using the stairwell and take personal belongings with you. Check in with your Evacuation Coordina-

tor at the designated evacuation area.

Tip: If you need assistance and are able go to the nearest stairwell, ask someone to notify emergency personnel of your evacuation location.



When messages are received that are considered critical in nature, Public Safety Department staff members will attempt to notify the involved parties. Requests for this service are limited to "extreme emergencies."

Tip: Always provide your family, spouse, or significant other with a copy of your class schedule to help locate you in the event of an emergency.

#### Vehicle Assists

The Parking Services office can assist employees and students with needs such as retrieving keys locked in vehicles, battery jump-starts and contacting emergency road services. Just call the Department of Public Safety at (323) 343-3700.

Tip: Always check to make sure you have turned off your vehicle's headlights when you arrive at your destination, especially after traveling in inclement weather.



#### **Fingerprinting**

The Department of Public Safety is equipped with a Live Scan Fingerprinting machine.

The fingerprinting service operates Mon.-Fri., from 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. on a walk-in, first come, first serve basis. Please call the Department of Public Safety at (323) 343-3700 for more details.

Tip: We provide a conve-

nient location for campus community members pursuing a teaching credential, real estate license, or other certifications requiring fingerprinting.

#### Commuter Services

Commuter Services provides students, staff and faculty with an extensive Rideshare Program. Contact Commuter Services at (323) 343-5277.

Tip: Why not change the way you commute? Don't pollute! By carpooling you save fuel and you don't have to travel the roadways alone.

#### **Emergency Preparedness**

Each school year Cal State L.A. conducts three emergency evacuation drills to enhance emergency preparedness on campus.

**Tip:** Visit our Public Safety Web site for more information on Emergency Preparedness and view the Cal State L.A.'s Multi-Hazard Plan.

www.calstatela.edu/univ/police/emergency.htm





#### **General Information**

The Student Health Center's mission is to provide high-quality, affordable health care and health education for the students of Cal State L.A. to preserve and enhance their potential for academic success and personal development. The Student Health Center also seeks to serve as the primary health resource for the University and health advocate for the campus community.

The Center is located on the main walkway adjacent to the Career Planning and Placement Center and across from Biological Sciences. Services are available Mon.—Thurs., 8:30 a.m.—7:00 p.m., Tues.—Wed., 8:30 a.m.—6:00 p.m. and Fri., 8:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m. For more information, visit us or contact us at (323) 343-3300 or http://www.calstatela.edu/univ/hlth\_ctr/. Call (323) 343-3302 to schedule a confidential appointment. Call 9-1-1 for medical and counseling emergencies.

## Alcohol and Other Drug Services Education

The Student Health Center's health educators offer a variety of alcohol and other drug education services, including confidential and anonymous one-on-one education sessions, guest lectures and workshops, educational resources, and referrals to community agencies.

#### Counseling

The University Counseling Center offers confidential alcohol and other drug counseling. Counseling is provided by a multidisciplinary staff that includes a crisis intervention specialist, licensed clinical social worker, licensed psychologist, and psychiatrist.

#### **Medical Services**

A variety of medical services and resources are available to students with alcohol and other drug concerns.

#### Confidentiality

Student Health Center medical, counseling, and education services, as well as student medical and counseling records are confidential. Information is not released without written consent, except as required by law. Healthcare providers are required to release information: at diagnosis of certain communicable diseases which must be reported to the County of Los Angeles, Department of Health Services; when a legal subpoena has been issued; when injuries are the result of a criminal act; when there is serious danger of violence to others; when self-injury is likely unless protective measures are taken; when there is reason to believe that abuse of minors or elderly persons has occurred; and when otherwise legally mandated.

# University Programs and Services

#### Medical Services for Students with Alcohol and Other Drug (AOD) Problems and Victims of Violence

The Student Health Center provides students who have alcohol and other drug concerns or problems\* with medical services and resources. Additionally, the Student Health Center provides medical care and resources for victims of sexual assault and other types of violence.

All Student Health Center services are confidential. Services are available on an appointment or walkin basis. For information, call (323) 343-3300. To schedule an appointment, contact the Student Health Center Appointment Coordinator at (323) 343-3302.

\*Students who seek assistance voluntarily for alcohol and other drug-related problems are not subject to disciplinary action.<sup>1</sup>

#### Alcohol, other Drugs and Sexual Assault

- Alcohol is implicated in more than 90% of all nationally reported campus rapes.
- Alcohol and other drugs contribute to sexual assault and rape in a number of ways:
  - Alcohol and other drugs can reduce inhibitions and cloud judgment.
  - Some perpetrators deliberately drink alcoholic beverages to justify or excuse rape.
  - Alcohol and other drugs can reduce the ability to recognize danger signals and to handle an assault.
- Alcohol and drug abuse can contribute to sexually transmitted disease and psychological depression.

#### **Policies**

The Student Health Center reports details of violent crime incidents involving patients it treats to local law enforcement agencies, as required by California Penal Code 11160-11163.5.2 This is not a formal police report and the police cannot take action until the victim makes a report of a sexual assault.<sup>3</sup> In addition, the Student Health Center reports statistical data regarding certain incidents to the Department of Public Safety in compliance with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act. 4 The counselors consistently encourage their clients to report crimes to the University Police on a voluntary basis to prevent future crimes. The counselors do not disclose information to the University Police without the consent of the client, unless there is an immediate threat to safety. Any reporting of statistics to comply with this act is done by reporting numbers and not names so the information provided by clients is confidential for inclusion in the annual security report.

# Options following an alleged on- or off-campus (campus-related activity) sexual assault or rape:

- Cal State L.A. will provide survivors with information and services (as required by federal and state law) related to:
  - University sexual assault policy.
  - Criminal and civil prosecution.
  - Campus disciplinary options.
  - Availability of alternative housing assignments, academic assistance and mediation.
- For more information, contact the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs. Student Affairs, Room 108, at (323) 343-3100.

<sup>1</sup> California State University, Los Angeles, Student Notification of Drug-Free Campus Policy. Available at http://www.calstatela.edu/univ handbook/p51.htm (12/99).

<sup>2</sup> Full text is available at http://www.leginfo. ca.gov/cgibinwaisgate? WAISdocID= 5737618121+3+0+0&WAISaction=retrieve.

<sup>3</sup> California Department of Justice, Office of the Attorney General. Women's Rights Handbook, 1998.

<sup>4</sup> Full text is available at – http://www.ed.gov/offices/OPE/PPI/campus22.html.

#### **Violence Against Women On Campus**

#### Project SAFE

Project SAFE is Cal State L.A.'s campus-related violence against women prevention program. Project SAFE is a collaborative effort among Cal State L.A.'s Student Health Center, University Police, Cross-Cultural Centers, Center for Student Development and Programs, Educational Participation in Communities, Alumni Association, Student Housing; and the East Los Angeles Women's Center (ELAWC), Center for the Pacific Asian Family (CPAF), Los Angeles District Attorney's Office, Los Angeles City Attorney's Office, and LAC+USC Medical Center, the Project's

community partners.

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#### Violence Against Women on Campus

Nationally, college women are at high risk for becoming victims of violence. Dating/domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking are serious problems on university campuses across the country.

- The highest rates of domestic violence are experienced by women ages 16 24.
- Between 1/4 and 1/3 of all lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender individuals experience domestic violence.
- Women with disabilities are at increased risk for sexual violence. Women with disabilities often experience abuse of longer duration compared to women without disabilities.
- Sexual assault is the second most common violent crime committed on college campuses.

- Half of off-campus assaults occur in the victim's residence, while an additional one-third take place in off-campus housing such as fraternity houses.
- Most victims of campus sexual assault are fulltime students; one-third of them are first-year students between 17 and 19 years of age.
  - About one million women are stalked in the U.S. each year.
     More than half of these victims are between 18 and 29 years of age.
    - On some campuses, as many as 35% of female students have been stalked.
    - Most perpetrators are known to the victim.

## What is Dating/Domestic Violence?

Dating/domestic violence is a crime. It is an act of violence committed by a date, boyfriend/ex-boyfriend, girlfriend/ex-girlfriend, roommate, fiancé, spouse, or family member that includes: verbal/emotional abuse—put-downs, public humiliation, manipulation, name calling; isolation—keeping you from seeing family or friends; threats and intimidation—threats of suicide, harming you or family members, threatening to take away your children; physical abuse—hitting, slapping, kicking; and sexual abuse—rape, sexual assault.

#### What is Sexual Assault?

Sexual assault is against the law. Sexual assault occurs when someone uses force, threats, coercion, alcohol or other drugs, or verbal pressure to: kiss you, touch your private parts, fondle you, rub against you; to put a finger or object in your vagina or anus; to put their penis in your vagina or anus; to put their mouth or tongue in contact with your genitals or anus or make you put your mouth or tongue in contact with their genitals or anus.

Myth:	It isn't really a crime if a woman is raped by	Fact:	Not necessarily. It is important to stop the
	a boyfriend she has had sex with before.		stalker as soon as possible. The sooner action
Fact:	Violence against women in any form is a		is taken, be it a police caution, warning or
	crime, regardless of who committed the		arrest, the greater the chance of stopping the stalking.
	violent act. It is always wrong, whether the	Mode	0
	abuser is a family member; a date; a current or past spouse, boyfriend or girlfriend; an	Myth:	Battered women can always leave—and the situation can't be that bad, or they would.
	acquaintance; or a stranger.		
	acquaintance, or a stranger.	Fact:	It may be difficult for a woman to leave her
Myth:	Sexual assault is an expression of passion.		partner. Women stay in violent relationships
Fact:	Sexual assault is a crime that uses power and		for both emotional and practical reasons, including love, economic dependence, fear
	control to dominate, humiliate and punish.		of reprisal, social isolation, and shame.
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Myth:	Rape is an impulsive, uncontrollable act of	Myth:	Women are to blame for putting themselves
	sexual gratification.		into situations that lead to sexual assault:
Fact:	Most rapes are planned and motivated by		staying out late, drinking, using drugs, going
	aggression, dominance and hatred, not sex.	Foot:	out alone, talking to strangers.
Muth	If a waman is being stalled, and she just	Fact:	Women are not to blame. No woman (or man)
Myth:	If a woman is being stalked, and she just ignores the unwanted behavior, it will go away.		does anything to "ask for" or deserve being sexually assaulted. Responsibility lies
	ignores the unwanted behavior, it will go away.		completely with the perpetrator.

#### What is Stalking?

Stalking is a crime. It includes someone repeatedly following you, watching you, phoning you, writing or e-mailing you, or communicating with you in other ways that seem obsessive or make you afraid or concerned for your safety. For example, someone showing up where you are, even though this person has no business being there; leaving unwanted items for you to find; making unsolicited phone calls; following or spying on you; vandalizing your property; making threats against family, friends, or pets.

#### What You Can Do to Help Stop Violence Against Women

- Recognize that no one deserves to be sexually assaulted, stalked, or victimized in any way.
- Don't commit any behavior that may be considered dating/domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking, or any other form of violence.
- Never use force, coercion, threats, alcohol or other drugs to engage in sexual activity.
- Take responsibility for your actions.
- Avoid alcohol and other drugs.
- Remember 'no' means NO! and 'stop' means STOP!
- Report incidents of violence to law enforcement and campus authorities.
- Discuss dating/domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking with friends—speak out against violence and clear up misconceptions.
- Don't mistake submission for consent.

## What You Can Do to Help Minimize Your Risk of Becoming a Victim

- Be aware. Does your partner: threaten to hurt you or your children? Say it's your fault if he or she hits you, then promises it won't happen again (but it does)? Put you down in public? Force you to have sex when you don't want to? Follow you? Send you unwanted messages and gifts?
- Be assertive. Speak up.
- Stay sober and watch out for dates and/or anyone who tries to get you drunk or high.
- Clearly communicate limits to partners.
- Never leave a party with someone you don't know well.
- Trust your feelings. If it feels wrong, it probably is.
- Learn all you can and talk with your friends. Help them stay safe.
- Report incidents of violence to law enforcement and campus authorities.

#### What You Can Do if You are a Victim

#### In General

- Go to a safe place as soon as possible.
- Report the crime to University Police or local law enforcement.
- Call a domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking hotline.
- Preserve evidence.
- Call a friend for help.
- Know that you are not at fault. You did not cause the abuse to occur, and you are not responsible for the violent behavior of someone else.

#### Dating/Domestic Violence

• Let trusted friends and neighbors know of your situation, and develop a plan and visual signal for when you need help.

- During an assault, do what you can to stay away from the kitchen (the abuser can find weapons, such as knives) and rooms where you may become trapped. Try to reach a room that has a phone.
- If violence is unavoidable, make yourself a small target; dive into a corner and curl up into a ball with your face protected and arms around each side of your head, fingers entwined.
- Teach your children how to get to safety and call 9-1-1.
- Practice how to get out safely. Practice with your children.

#### Sexual Assault

- No one can tell you whether you should resist, fight back, or submit. Your best choice is what you believe will ensure your survival. Remain as calm as possible and keep assessing the situation as it happens. During an assault you might try to:
  - Negotiate or stall for time.
  - Distract the assailant and escape to a safe place.
  - Scream to attract attention.
  - Use physical resistance.
- Submit—it's very important to know that submission is not the same as giving consent.

#### Stalking

- Tell friends, family and coworkers about your situation. Let them know not to give anyone information about your schedule.
- Vary your daily schedule as much as you can and change your travel routes.
- Get rides to school/work with friends or family.
- Save all e-mails, correspondence, voice messages, and gifts for evidence.
- Change your e-mail address, if necessary. Choose a gender-neutral name. Don't fill out online profiles.
- Keep a log of all stalking incidents.



#### **PROJECT SAFE**

## Reporting Dating/Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault & Stalking

Cal State L.A. students, faculty, and staff are *strongly* encouraged to report all campus-related incidents of dating/domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking to University Police or local law enforcement and the Office for

Equity and Diversity. Reporting these crimes can help:

- Protect the victim's safety.
- Ensure the victim receives proper medical care, support services, and information regarding her/his rights.
- Stop the perpetrator from committing future assaults.

Perpetrator Sanctions

Perpetrators of dating/domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking, and other forms of violence are subject to campus disciplinary action, up to and including expulsion. In addition, perpetrators are subject to arrest by University Police or local law enforcement authorities and criminal prosecution.

Perpetrators may also face civil prosecution.

#### Victims' Rights

Victims of campus-related assaults are entitled certain rights that include:

- The right to have any and all assaults against them treated with seriousness.
- The right, as victims, to be treated with dignity.
- The right to the full and prompt cooperation and assistance of campus personnel in notifying the proper authorities.
- The right to be free from any kind of pressure from campus personnel that victims (i) not report crimes;
   (ii) not report crimes committed against them to civil and criminal authorities or to campus law enforcement and disciplinary officials; or (iii) report crimes as lesser offenses than the victims perceive them to be.

 The right to be free from any kind of suggestion that campus sexual assault victims not report, or under-report, crimes because victims are somehow 'responsible' for the commission of crimes against them.

#### Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault and Stalking Treatment Centers and 24-Hour Hotlines

- Center for the Pacific Asian Family: (800) 339-3940
- East Los Angeles Women's Center: (800) 585-6231
- L.A. Commission on Assaults Against Women (LACAAW): (310) 392-8381 and (626) 793-3385
- L.A. Stalking Hotline—LACAAW/L.A. County District Attorney's Office: (877) 633-0044 and www.lovemenot.org
  - National Domestic Violence Hotline: (800) 799-SAFE (7233) or (800) 787-3224 (TTY)
- Rape, Abuse and Incest National Network
   (RAINN): (800) 656-HOPE and

www.rainn.org

- Rosa Parks Sexual Assault Crisis Center: (323) 751-9245
- Santa Monica-UCLA Medical Center Rape Treatment Center: (310) 319-4000, extension '0' and

www.911rape.org

Services: 24-hour dating/domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking hotlines, accompaniment for hospital/law enforcement/court appearances, and short-term confidential counseling.

These agencies also provide 24-hour hotlines and other services for male victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking. Call for more information.

#### Helping a Friend

Show you CARE.
BELIEVE your friend.
LISTEN without passing judgment.
TALK to her/him about her/his options.
HELP without taking control.

References available upon request.

#### On-Campus Services for Victims of Dating/Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault and Stalking

## Alteration of academic and housing situations (information and coordination):

Office for Equity and Diversity—Administration 606, (323) 343-3040

## Confidential and anonymous dating/domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking counseling:

Student Health Center—Information - (323) 343-3300, Appointments - (323) 343-3302

## Criminal reporting, transportation to emergency room, and protective orders:

University Police—Bldg. C, (323) 343-3700, 9-1-1 for emergencies

## Filing of campus-related dating/domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking complaints and investigations:

Judicial Affairs—Administration 108, (323) 343-3100 Office for Equity and Diversity—Administration 606, (323) 343-3040

# Information about dating/domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking prevention and victims' rights, resources, and services:

Office for Students with Disabilities—Student Affairs 115 (323) 343-3140

Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs— Student Affairs 108 - (323) 343-3100

Student Health Center—Information - (323) 343-3300, Appointments - (323) 343-3302

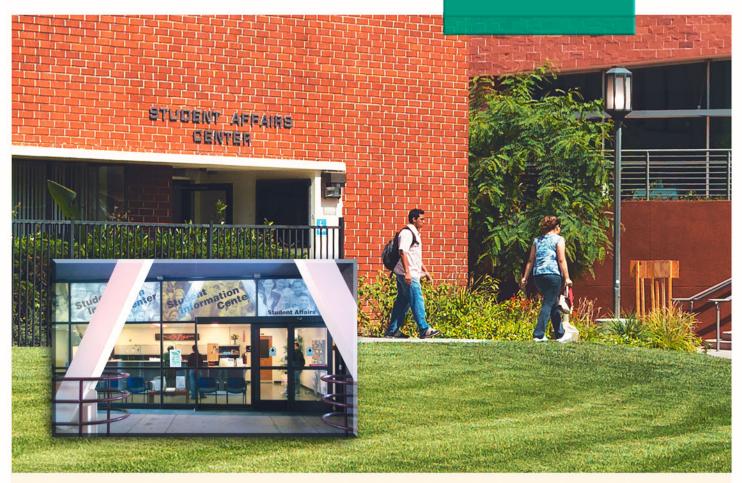
University Police—Bldg. C, 9-1-1 or (323) 343-3700 Women's Resource Center—King Hall Basement, room D140, (323) 343-3370

## Medical Services (first aid, emergency contraception, HIV & STD testing and treatment, other):

Student Health Center—Information - (323) 343-3300, Appointments - (323) 343-3302



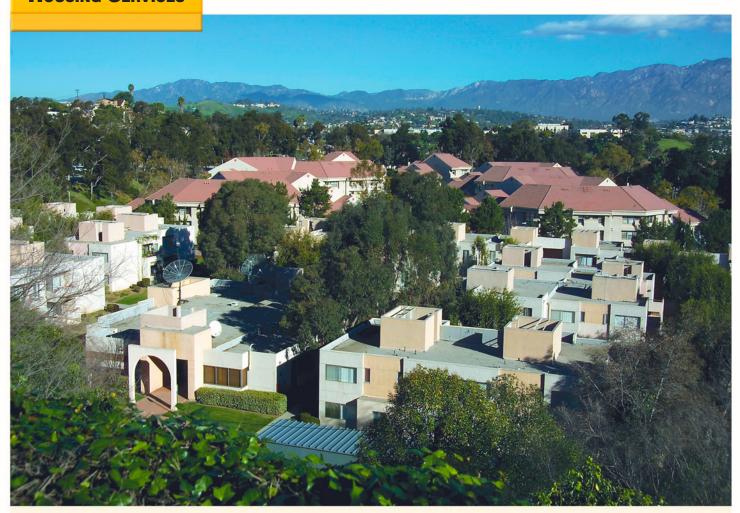




he Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs (SA 108) handles a variety of studentrelated issues. Questions regarding students' rights, responsibilities, and disciplinary procedures can be directed to the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs. Student Discipline includes all crimes reported under the Clery Act. Violations of student conduct are enumerated in Article 1.1, Title V, of the California Code of Regulations, section 41301 (the Code). Copies of these violations are available in the University Catalog. Student Handbook, and the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs. All allegations of misconduct are processed by the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs, and the administration of disciplinary procedures are set forth in Executive Order 628 of the California State University. All violations of the Code, including rape, acquaintance rape, or other forcible or non-forcible sex offenses are subject to sanctions, including but not limited to probation, suspension, and expulsion. Copies of these procedures are available in the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs.

Many offenses listed in the CA Penal Code, such as rape, theft, and assault, can and should be reported to the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs. Student Affairs staff shall report such statistics to the University Police for inclusion in the annual security report. The Campus Police will file complaints with the criminal justice system when warranted. The Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs will proceed with offenses reported to the Campus Police on an administrative level on behalf of the University community. In cases of alleged sexual assault, the accuser and the accused are entitled to the same opportunities to have others present during campus disciplinary proceedings as with any other violation of the Code. In the case of sexual assault, however, the victim will be notified of the outcome within three (3) days of the final determination of the disciplinary proceedings. After an alleged sexual assault incident occurs, the university will assist the victim in changing academic and living situations if so requested and if such changes are reasonably available.

#### HOUSING SERVICES



hrough its programs, facilities, operations and conferencing, Housing Services is committed to maintaining a clean and safe residential community that supports the mission of the University. As a residential community, the Housing Complex is operational year round, thereby employing emergency and safety precautions similar to other residential communities. In an effort to be proactive in addressing emergency and safety concerns, however, Housing Services provides staffing and develops educational programs.

A Resident Assistant (R.A.) is on call after normal business hours to assist residents facing any emergency or safety situations. A member of the Housing Services Emergency Duty team provides back up as needed to R.A.s. The R.A. staff also develops a monthly Safety program in collaboration with the University Health Center and University Police to provide information to residents about

health and safety concerns. Furthermore, the Department of Public Safety's University Police and Eagle Patrol conduct patrol checks as part of their normal routine.

Residents are provided with copies of Housing Policies and Community Guidelines. Violations of any policy or guideline can subject residents to disciplinary action up to and including termination of license agreement. Policies on the possession of alcohol, dangerous weapons and drugs are in compliance with all state and federal legislation. In the event that a resident is involved in a sexual assault (alleged or proven) or experiences any other emergency, the Housing Services staff will provide assistance in relocating that student on a temporary or permanent basis if so requested by the victim and if such changes are reasonably available.

If you have any questions about Housing Services and campus living, please feel free to call the office at (323) 343-4800.



# Cal State L.A. Campus Crime Statistics 2002 through 2004



	On	Camp	us	Resider	ice Co	mmunity	Pu	blic Pr	operty	No	on-Can	npus
	2002	2003	2004	2002	2003	2004	2002	2003	2004	2002	2003	2004
Murder	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0
Manslaughter-Negligent	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0
Manslaughter-Non-negligent	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0
Sex Offenses/Forcible												
Rape	1/0	1/0	0/0	1/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0
Sodomy	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0
Sexual Assault w/object	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0
Sexual Battery	2/0	0/0	0/0	2/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0
Sex Offenses/Non-Forcible												
Incest	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0
Statutory Rape	0/0	0/0	1/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0
Robbery	4/0	3/1	2/1	0/0	1/0	1/1	0/0	0/0	0/0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0
Aggravated Assault	4/1	3/1	2/1	1/1	1/0	1/1	0/1	0/0	0/0/0	0/0	0/0	1/0/0
Burglary	21/1	38/1	24/0	8/1	27/1	16/0	0/0	0/2	0/0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0
Vehicle Theft	69/1	17/1	48/2	5/0	2/0	5/0	0/4	0/2	0/1/0	0/0	0/0	0/1/0
Arson	0/0	0/0	2/0	0/0	0/0	2/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0
Total	101/3	62/4	79/4	17/2	31/1	25/2	0/5	0/4	0/1/0	0/0	0/0	1/1/0

In many of the catagories, statistics are indicated in the following format: Reported/Arrest. Public Property and Non-Campus statistical data is provided by the Alhambra, Los Angeles, and as of 2004, Montery Park Police Departments (ALH/LA/MP).

#### Special Category Arrest (Liquor, Drugs, and Weapons - Reported/Arrested)

Liquor Laws	3/3	4/4	14/12	0/0	0/0	6/5	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0
Drug Violations	8/7	6/5	7/6	3/2	2/1	4/1	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0
Weapons Possession	3/2	3/1	4/2	1/0	0/0	1/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0
Total	14/12	13/10	25/20	4/2	2/1	11/6	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0/0

#### **Disciplinary Referrals**

Alleged offenses reported to other responsible university officials, investigated by other university departments and referred for disciplinary action, not arrested.

	Oı	On Campus Residence Community Public Property Non		on-Campus								
	2002	2003	2004	2002	2003	2004	2002	2003	2004	2002	2003	2004
Liquor Laws	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Drug Violations	1	4	0	1	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Weapons Possession	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

<sup>\*</sup> Some of these incidents are also reported under On-campus Crime Statistics by the Department of Public Safety.

#### **Hate Crimes**

	2002	2003	2004	2002	2003	2004	2002	2003	2004	2002	2003	2004
Race	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0/0
Gender	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0/0
Religion	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0/0
Sexual Orientation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0/0
Ethnicity	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0/0
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#### California State University, Los Angeles - University Police Hate Crimes



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OC = On Campus; RF = Residence Facility (Campus Housing); PP = Public Property; NC = Non-Campus

# Additional Information

**Crime Reporting:** The University encourages the accurate and prompt reporting of all crimes to the University Police and other appropriate law enforcement agencies.

**Crime Statistics:** Statistics are compiled in accordance with the Uniform Crime Reporting System of the Department of Justice and the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Statistics for the annual safety report are provided to the University Police from the Office of Student Affairs, Housing Services, Student Health Center, and neighboring law enforcement agencies. To comply with the act, we collect crime statistics from local police agencies, by providing the addresses of areas and locations that are contiguous, affiliated with, or adjacent to the property of CSULA. The monitoring and recording of criminal activity in which students engage in at off-campus locations of student organizations officially recognized by Cal State L.A. is conducted in cooperation with local law enforcement agencies.

**Outside Agency Assistance:** In cases involving both on-campus and off-campus jurisdictions, or when the resources of another agency can be used to facilitate the resolution of an investigation, the Department of Public Safety cooperates fully with state and local law enforcement agencies.

**Daily Logs:** The Department of Public Safety maintains a daily log of all department activity. The log is available for viewing at the station upon request.

Lighting and Emergency Telephone Surveys are conducted monthly by The Department of Public Safety to ensure that equipment is in working order. If equipment is found to be non-operational, a repair request is given to the responsible campus department. The University makes every effort to promote safety. Particular attention is paid to the design of landscaping, groundskeeping and exterior lighting. The Facilities Management Department and the Environmental Health and Safety Department also

conduct regular safety inspections.

**Building Security Checks** are conducted during the evening hours by the Eagle Patrol. The campus buildings are secured starting at 10:00 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays, and 5:00 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays. Buildings are closed on Sundays except where written authorization for access has been established.

Distribution of Clery Information: The Clery brochure "Partners in Public Safety" is distributed in a variety of ways. Information about the Clery brochures was sent as part of the summer quarter registration information to more than 26,799 continuing students. Our Human Resources Management office and Registrar's office include a Clery Postcard with prospective employee and student application materials. The Clery brochure is available at a number of locations throughout campus and electronically on the web at www.calstatela.edu/univ/police/brochure/index.htm.

#### **Graduation Rate at Cal State L.A.**

Under the federal Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crimes Statistics Act, institutions of higher education are required to disclose information to prospective and current students about institution graduation rates for first-time freshmen. The California State University draws its first-time freshmen from the top one-third of California's high school graduates. Since 1960, the CSU has awarded more than 1.2 million baccalaureate degrees in hundreds of program areas. More than any other senior institution in California, the CSU has maintained access for students who need to juggle academic life with work and family obligations. The rate of graduation will vary depending upon the needs of the individual students to balance work, school and family priorities. Information specific to California State University, Los Angeles graduation rates on the next page. Additional information regarding graduation rates of first-time freshmen is available in the Registrar's Office.

The California State University, Los Angeles campus is comprised of six colleges—Arts and Letters; Business and Economics; Education; Engineering, Computer Science, and Technology; Health and Human Services; Natural and Social Sciences.

Operating on a quarter based academic calendar; California State University, Los Angeles offers a variety of (continued on page 20)

**Aggravated Assault:** An unlawful attack by one person upon another for the purpose of inflicting severe or aggravated bodily injury. This type of assault usually is accompanied by the use of a weapon or by means likely to produce death or great bodily harm.

**Burglary:** The unlawful entry into a building or other structure with the intent to commit a felony or a theft.

**Crime or a public offense:** An act committed or omitted in violation of a law forbidding or commanding it, and to which is annexed, upon conviction, either of the following punishments: death; imprisonment; fine; removal from office; or disqualification to hold and enjoy any office of honor, trust, or profit in this State.

**Drug Abuse:** Violations of laws prohibiting the production, distribution and/or use of certain controlled substances and the equipment or devices utilized in their preparation and/or use.

**Forcible Rape:** The carnal knowledge of a person, forcibly and/or against that person's will; or not forcibly or against the person's will where the victim is incapable of giving consent because of his/her temporary or permanent mental or physical incapacity (or because of his/her youth).

Hate Crime: Any act of intimidation, harassment, physical force, or the threat of physical force directed against any person or family, or their property or advocate, motivated either in whole or in part by hostility to their real or perceived race, ethnic background, national origin, religious belief, sex, age, disability, or sexual orientation, with the intention of causing fear or intimidation, or to deter

the free exercise of enjoyment of any rights or privileges secured by the Constitution or the laws of the United States or the State of California, whether or not performed under the color of law (Source: Definitions Used in Hate Crimes Reporting, P.O.S.T. Hate Crimes Student Workbook, January 1992 P. 2).

**Hate Incident:** Any act defined as a "Hate Crime," but does not constitute a crime.

**Larceny – Theft:** The unlawful taking, carrying, leading, or riding away of property from the possession or constructive possession of another.

**Liquor Law Violation:** Violations of laws or ordinances prohibiting the manufacture, purchase, transportation, possession or use of alcoholic beverages.

**Murder:** The willful (non-negligent) killing of one human being by another.

**Robbery:** The taking, or attempting to take, anything of value under confrontational circumstances from the control, custody or care of another person or persons by force, by threat of force or violence, and/ or by putting the victim in fear of immediate harm.

**Sexual Assault:** Any involuntary sexual act in which a person is threatened, coerced, or forced to comply against his or her will.

**Statutory Rape:** Non-forcible sexual intercourse with a person who is under the statutory age of consent.

**Weapons:** Violations of laws or ordinances prohibiting the manufacture, sale, purchase, transportation, possession, concealment or use of firearms, cutting instruments, explosives, incendiary devices or other deadly weapons.

#### Graduation Rate (continued from page 19)

majors leading to bachelor's and master's degrees, and awards more than 3,000 academic degrees annually in the June graduation classes.

About one third of the campus' 21,000 students are engaged in post baccalaureate study in programs leading to master's and doctoral degrees; teaching, service, and specialist credentials; certificates; and other types of programs that prepare them for professional advancement.

California State University, Los Angeles six-year graduation rate for regularly admitted first-time freshmen in fall 1997 was 34%. After six years, 13% of fall 1997 first time freshman were still attending. Studies show that most of the students still continuing after six years will eventually graduate, so we predict eventual graduation rates for these students of about 47% for Cal State L.A.

When circumstances warrant, a Crime Alert Bulletin shall be initiated by the Department of Public Safety for release by the Office of Public Affairs to warn the University community of imminent danger. The following is a sample of a crime alert bulletin:

### **Crime Alert**

California State University, Los Angeles
Department of Public Safety
Gregory D. King, Director

# ARMED ROBBERY Weapon used: SEMI AUTOMATIC PISTOL

Suspecti	(s)	Descri	ntion
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1st Suspect: MALE WHITE, APPROXIMATELY 13 YEARS OLD, SHAVE HEAD,

BROWN EYES, 5 FT. 2 IN., 115 LBS., SUSF TWAS WE A BLUE

T-SHIRT AND TAN BAGGY PANTS

2nd Suspect: MALE WHITE, APP IMATE 18 ARS O BLONDE HAIR, BLUE

EYES, 5 FT IN BS.

3rd Suspect: DESC 71 \ DF R OF SPECT VEHICLE.

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409, and TINTED WINDOW

Detail On Tuesday, May 99 5:55 the victim approaching his

vehicle parked in "i victir served suspect #1 sitting in the drivers of his zu in the point of the suspect #2 was standing in the next level the by the usp whicle. Suspect #3 was seated in the suspect which is the spects spoke to each other, then suspect #1 point of the calliber, semi-automatic pistol at the victim. Suspect #1 then exited the victim's vehicle and ran to join the other suspects. The

suspects drove off in the suspect vehicle.

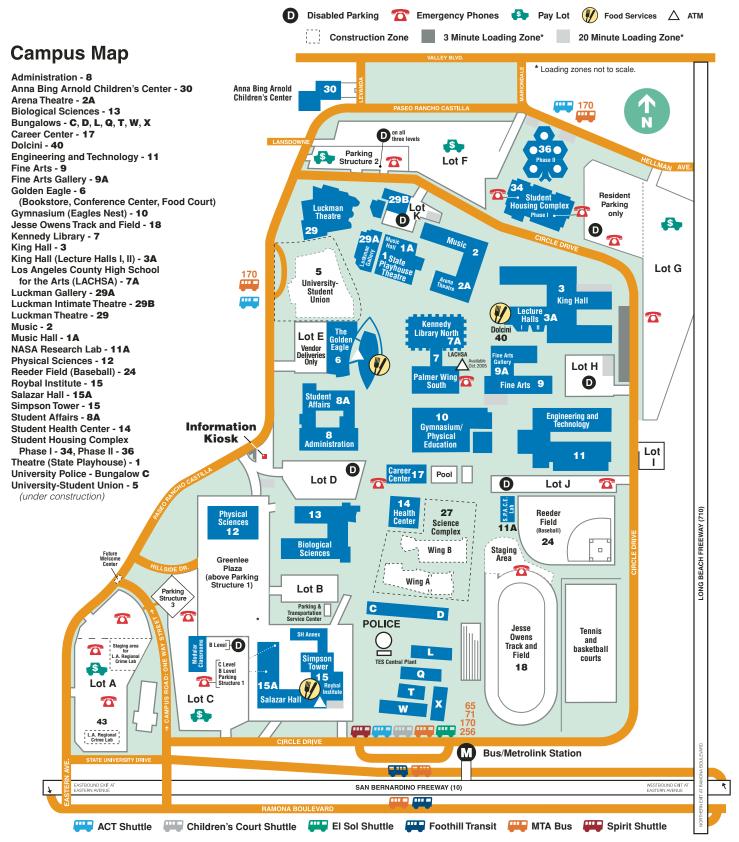
\*\*\*IF YOU ENCOUNTER PERSONS INVOLVED IN CRIMINAL ACTIVITY, DO NOT ATTEMPT TO APPREHEND THEM. GO TO AN EMERGENCY PHONE AND DIAL 9-1-1.\*\*\*

IF YOU HAVE ANY INFORMATION REGARDING THIS CRIME, PLEASE CONTACT SERGEANT NAVARRO AT (323) 343-3700, CAL STATE L.A. POLICE DEPARTMENT

Posted:	Last Update:
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## **California State University, Los Angeles**



24-Hour Emergency Line	9-1
From Pay Phones	9-
University Police	(323) 343-37
Or On-Campus Extension*	3-37
<ul> <li>Emergency/Urgent calls for service</li> </ul>	
• Escort Services	
Parking Services	
ocal Rape Treatment Centers and 24-Hour Ho	tlines
East Los Angeles Women's Center and Hotline	(800) 585-62
24-hour hotline information (bilingual) referrals, counseling, advoca	acy and accompaniment.
Compton YWCA Rape Hotline	(310) 764-14
ther Important Telephone Numbers	
Cal State L.A. Student Health Center*	(323) 343-33
Counseling Center*	(323) 343-33
Same Day Appointments*	(323) 343-33
Cal State L.A. Housing Services*	(323) 343-48
Cal State L.A. Office of the Vice President for Student	Affairs* (323) 343-31
Commuter Services*	(323) 343-52
	(213) 485-69
Los Angeles City Victim-Witness Assistance Program	

