Campus Crime Disclosure

“Your right to know”

CSUB University Police
2004
On behalf of the officers and staff of the University Police Department, welcome to California State University, Bakersfield. At CSUB our primary concern is the safety and well-being of our students, faculty, staff, and visitors.

The department strives to promote and maintain a safe campus environment conducive to academic achievement. A truly safe campus can only be achieved through cooperation of the students, faculty and staff. With your help and participation, and our commitment, I am confident the time you spend with us will be safe and productive.

This brochure is part of our effort to ensure that we accomplish this goal. I hope you will read it carefully and use the information to become partners with us in preventing crime on our campus.

The Policy and Statistical Information is made available to you in compliance with the Student Right to Know Act. The statistics are also supplied to you to give you knowledge that will allow you to make intelligent, informed decisions. If you have any questions, please contact our office.

Sincerely,

Claudia A. Neal
Director of Public Safety
University Police

The department of Public Safety (DPS) provides safety-oriented service to California State University, Bakersfield, one of 23 campuses of the statewide California State University system. The university, located on 376 acres in the City of Bakersfield, is largely a commuter campus with a small-sized student resident population. The Department of Public Safety is located in Building #60, north of the old gym.

As part of our commitment to public safety, the University Police operate 24 hours a day, patrolling the campus to protect university property, buildings, parking lots, student housing, and assisting the campus faculty, staff, students, and visitors when needed. All laws and codes of the state are enforced on the campus, as well as campus regulations established by the University. Reports of criminal acts may be reported 24 hours a day in person, or by calling extension 2111 or 911 in emergencies.

Officers are responsible for reporting and investigating crimes, issuing traffic citations and responding to medical emergencies, traffic accidents and fire emergencies, as well as other incidents that require police assistance. University police officers are vested, with full law enforcement authority and arrest powers, identical to the local police or sheriff departments in your home community. Officers meet training requirements mandated by the California Commission on Peace Officers Standards and Training as well as training designed to meet the needs of the university community. As state police officers, our police authority extends throughout the entire state, including concurrent jurisdiction with the Bakersfield Police Department, the Kern County Sheriff’s Department and the California Highway Patrol, on adjacent streets and in communities.

The Department prepares and submits a monthly Uniform Crime Report to the California Department of Justice. The Department also enters reported stolen vehicles and property with serial numbers into the National Crime Information Center, allowing for recovery throughout the United States.

As an active member of the Criminal Justice System, the University Police interacts and cooperates with all local law enforcement agencies. Cases are filed with the Kern County District Attorney. Information may also be given to the Dean of Students Office for appropriate action involving students.

The Department works closely with the Student Housing Office in an effort to educate the residents in crime awareness and crime prevention. Crime prevention programs and materials are directed to the residents and staff to increase mutual understanding and cooperation.
Crime Prevention Programs

The Department has established and actively participates in programs that serve to raise the level of safety awareness of the University community. These programs are provided annually and/or quarterly and include:

- Student Orientation Program
- Resident Advisors Training Program
- Student Escort Service
- Sexual Assault Prevention
- Personal Safety Awareness
- DUI and Drug Abuse
- Theft Prevention
- Operation ID Engraving
- Building, Area, and Parking Lot Lighting Surveys
- 9-1-1 Capability from all University phones
- Emergency Telephones at various campus locations
- Electronic Alarm Systems
- Community-oriented policing program
- Bicycle patrol

University Police provide escort services for students, faculty and staff who must walk alone to their cars, or other areas of the campus.

Most campus buildings and facilities are accessible to members of the campus community, guests, and visitors Monday through Friday until 10:00 p.m., and as certain special events dictate. Residence Halls remain locked at all times. Access is restricted to those residents issued keys for their particular dorm and/or room.

CSUB does not have, nor does it recognize any off-campus student organizational events or housing facilities.

Motor vehicle lots, pedestrian walkways and building exteriors are well lighted. The University Police conducts regular surveys throughout the campus and a report is made to Facilities Management on a daily basis.

Shrubbery, trees and other vegetation on campus are trimmed and maintained on a regular basis with special attention given to walkways. Facilities Management conducts a facility audit on the entire campus on an annual basis.

DPS Mission Statement

The Department of Public Safety is a multi-service agency. The dedicated staff are committed to making CSUB a safe and secure environment to attain a successful educational experience. We encourage the prompt reporting of all criminal acts and will vigorously investigate all reported offenses.

The University’s Sexual Assault Policy

California State University, Bakersfield strives to provide an optimal environment for growth and learning in an atmosphere conducive to personal safety. All forms of sexual assault are acts of aggression or violence against individuals.

All reports of sexual assault will be thoroughly investigated by the University Police. Arrests will be made when appropriate. If indicated, results of investigations will be submitted to the Kern County District Attorney’s Office for evaluation for criminal prosecution. If reasonably available, assistance will be provided in changing academic and living situations of victims of sexual assaults.

CAMPUS DISCIPLINARY ACTION will be initiated against any student, staff, or faculty member charged with sexual assault.

On campus disciplinary action in cases of ALLEGED sexual assault provides that the accuser and the accused are entitled to the same opportunities to have others present during a campus disciplinary proceeding; and both the accuser and the accused shall be informed of the outcome of any campus disciplinary proceeding alleging a sexual assault.

POSSIBLE SANCTIONS for students found guilty of sexual assault charges include expulsion, suspension for a specific time, barring of access to the campus, or disciplinary probation for a specific time. Possible sanctions for faculty or staff found guilty of sexual assault charges include termination, suspension for a specific time, or formal reprimand.
IF YOU BECOME A VICTIM OF SEXUAL ASSAULT ON CAMPUS:

- GET to a safe place
- CONTACT the University Police
- DON’T shower, bathe, douche, change or destroy clothing
- DON’T straighten up the area
- SEEK medical attention

If a victim reports a sexual assault to someone on campus other than the University Police, that person should encourage the victim to contact the University Police. The University Police will see that the victim receives medical assistance, information on legal rights and options (including criminal prosecution, civil prosecution, Victim’s Assistance aid, the disciplinary process through the university, and the availability of mediation), as well as contact any family member or friend upon request by the victim. If the victim has been assaulted off-campus, the University Police will assist the victim in contacting the appropriate police agency.

First aid and urgent care is available at the Student Health Center. Individuals needing full medical evaluation, including evidence collection, will be referred and transported to a local emergency care hospital by the University Police. Evidence collection and documentation of the incident are of critical importance in prosecution of the assailant.

A written CRIME ALERT BULLETIN will be issued by the University Police to the campus community as soon as possible. Those details of the assault which are essential to the health and safety of the campus community shall be released. The PROTECTION OF THE IDENTITY OF THE VICTIM will be of the highest priority. COUNSELING SERVICES are available through either Health Programs and Psychological Counseling or Student Development.

IN AN EFFORT TO PROMOTE AWARENESS OF RAPE, ACQUAINTANCE RAPE AND OTHER SEX OFFENSES a number of campus offices (University Police, Health Programs and Psychological Counseling, Student Development, and Housing) offer crime prevention classes various times during the academic year. Consult these departments for schedules.

For further information on the sexual assault policy, contact the University Police at 664-2111.

The University’s Alcohol & Drug Policy

Consumption of alcohol on campus is limited to certain approved events and locations covered by the CSUB official policy on alcohol and drugs. Underage consumption or possession of alcohol is not permitted on university property, including athletic fields and housing areas. The University recognizes that alcohol or drug dependency is an illness and a health problem. Information, assessment and referral services are available on campus. These programs assist students in finding alternatives to substance abuse, while promoting a healthy lifestyle and the ability to cope with problems as they arise.

All state laws dealing with alcohol and drug use are enforced by University Police. Violators may be subject to fine, imprisonment or expulsion from the University. Alcohol and drug abuse is a serious health problem and can contribute to other physical and mental health problems such as unwanted pregnancy, violent behavior, HIV infection, and other sexually transmitted diseases, as well as psychological depression.

Counseling & Psychological Services

The Department of Public Safety works closely with the Counseling Department. We work as a team in dealing with sensitive situations, and we refer persons to the Counseling Center on a regular basis. Both public safety officers and counselors have received training on threat assessments and counselors consistently encourage their clients to report crimes to the Department of Public Safety to prevent future crimes. Counseling sessions are considered privileged and the holder of the privilege is the client. Crime information can be forwarded anonymously at the request of the client.

The counselors do not disclose information to Public Safety 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.

Possession of a Firearm on Campus is Strictly Prohibited

Violators will be arrested and prosecuted for felony violation of section 626.9 of the California Penal Code which is punishable by 2-4 years in state prison.
Emergency Phone Numbers

CSUB Main Campus

24-Hour Emergency Line ........................................... 911
From Pay Phones & Student Housing Phones .......... 911
From Campus Phones ............................................... 911
24-Hour Non-Emergency ......................................... 2111
From Campus Phones ............................................. 2111
Off-Campus Phones ................................... 661/664-2111
Request an Escort from Campus Phones .............. 2111
Parking Information from Campus Phones ............ 2111

Other Important Phone Numbers
CSUB Counseling Center ......................... 661/664-3366
Alliance Against Family Violence ............... 661/327-1091
or 800/273-7713
Victims of Crime Resource Center ............. 800/842-8467

Local Transportation Phone Numbers
Amtrack Railway ........................................ 661/395-3175
Golden Empire Transit (Bus) ...................... 661/869-2438
GET-A-Lift Disabled Transport ................... 661/869-2438

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AVC Security Department ......................... 661/722-6399
AVC Security Department On Campus Emergency ... 444

Other Important Phone Numbers
Alliance Against Family Violence .............. 800/273-7713
Victims of Crime Resource Center .......... 800/842-847

Local Transportation Phone Numbers
AV Transit ................................................... 661/945-9445
Dial-A-Ride (Seniors & Disabled) ............... 661/945-9445
To Report an Emergency

- Give your name, telephone number and location.
- Give clear and accurate information.
- Be prepared to supply suspect and vehicle description, and direction of travel.
- DON’T HANG UP! Follow the instructions of the dispatcher.
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*Stockdale Highway, Camino Media, And Old River Road, per Bakersfield Police Department

### Alleged offenses reported to other responsible university officials, not verified or investigated by the University Police, and/or referred for campus discipline

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On Campus Crime Statistics • CSUB Antelope Valley Center

A log of daily offenses is available for public view at the Public Safety Department and our website at www.csub.edu/BAS/publicsafety

Note: CSUB Antelope Valley Center does not have residence halls

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*Per Antelope Valley College Security Department.
The Department of Public Safety logged several thousand calls for special services during the last fiscal year. Such calls were non-police in nature, yet affected the interest and well-being of campus community members, as well as visitors, and therefore constitute an important function of the department. Some services are listed below. This is not a complete list of services we provide. Call us at 664-2111; if we can’t help you, we probably know who can.

Disclosure of Sex Offender Information
Members of the campus community may obtain sex offender information under California’s Megan’s Law (Penal Code, Sections 290 and 290.4) at the CSUB Department of Public Safety by contacting the department at (661) 664-2111 for an appointment. Or, contact the Bakersfield Police Department, located at 1601 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California 93301. For hours of availability and information, contact 661/326-3815.

Sex Offender Registration Requirements
Effective October 28, 2002, Penal Code Section 290.01 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 and 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).

Escort Service
The Department of Public Safety provides escort service across campus, to your vehicle, or to your Dorm residence. If for any reason you don’t feel comfortable or safe walking to your destination during hours of darkness, or anytime, please call 664-2111 for an escort.

First Aid
When the Campus Health Center is closed (weekends, or after regular working hours during the week), assistance with emergency medical problems can be obtained through the Department of Public Safety. Officers are trained in first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation. We are also equipped with and trained in the use of automated external defibrillators. Requests for medical and ambulance services may always be obtained through the Public Safety Office.

Fires
In the event of a confirmed fire, contact the Department of Public Safety immediately and advise the dispatcher of the location and nature of the fire. False alarms are a danger to all of us. Please help us in deterring false alarms.

Vehicle Problems
Calls for such assistance can be made from any public phone, on-campus phones or emergency phones provided. We will assist you in locating emergency repair services, or jump starting your car.

Emergency Messages
When such messages are considered critical in nature, all efforts to contact the student involved are made by the Department in conjunction with the Records Department and Residence Halls.

Fingerprints
The Department of Public Safety provides a fingerprinting service to the campus community, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.
SOME CRIME PREVENTION TIPS

1. Thefts occur everywhere... even on campuses. Watch your property and be observant of persons around you, especially when studying in libraries and when in the cafeteria.

2. Lock your vehicle... don’t leave valuables inside and in plain sight.

3. Avoid walking alone... especially during late hours.

4. Report suspicious situations... such as persons loitering in parking areas and unoccupied areas.

5. Don’t assist strangers... call the Police. If someone needs help, we will be glad to help them.

6. Park legally and drive safely... citations are issued to those who do not comply with campus regulations and traffic laws as a means of ensuring safety for all students, employees, and visitors on campus.

SHOULD YOU BECOME A VICTIM, OR TO REPORT EMERGENCIES...

1. Report the incident as soon as possible...

   If you saw who did it, note a description of the person, automobile, which way they went, etc....

2. When phoning the police...

   Tell us where you are and wait there until an officer arrives.
1. North East corner, Parking Lot “H”
2. West edge, Parking Lot “G”
3. East side, Parking Lot “F”, adjacent to the ramp to Accounting
4. North edge, Lot “E”, middle of lot
5. South East corner, Madigan Art Gallery, west edge of Parking Lot “C”
7. North side Student Union, south-east corner of the Cafeteria
8. South East corner, Parking Lot “A”
9. North West corner, Parking Lot “I”
10. South East corner, Parking Lot “I”
11. South exterior wall, Dining Commons, north of swimming pool
12. Modular Building #2, south exterior wall
13. Center of DDH main gallery, south interior wall
14. Science Building I, 2nd floor lobby, southeast interior corner
15. North East corner, exterior wall, Academic Administration West Building, across from Faculty Towers
16. All Elevators
17. All library stairwells
18. Bike path, east of softball field
19. Front of Education Building, eastern most column
20. Tennis Courts, north wall field building
21. Center Parking Lot “J”
22. North Side, Parking Lot “J”

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