



**UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI - SAINT LOUIS  
POLICE DEPARTMENT**

**CAMPUS CRIME ACT  
&  
FIRE SAFETY REPORT**

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## **MISSION STATEMENT**

The mission of the University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department is to work cooperatively with the University community and within the framework of the Constitution to enforce the laws, preserve the peace and provide a safe environment for our campus.

The University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department is committed to professional management and to providing our services in a manner that is responsive to community concerns. We pledge to be sensitive to the needs of those we serve.

## **MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF**

Welcome to University of Missouri - Saint Louis! The University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department is here to serve the campus community. Your support, cooperation and involvement will assist us in creating and maintaining an environment conducive to higher education. On an annual basis the Campus Crime Act Report will be published to keep the Campus Community informed about crime and security measures. Please visit our website <http://safety.umsl.edu/police>, for the latest information on safety and security matters on campus.

## **UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI - SAINT LOUIS POLICE DEPARTMENT STATEMENT OF VALUES**

The University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department exists to serve the campus community by protecting life and property, preventing crime, enforcing laws and maintaining order for all people.

Central to our mission are the values that guide our work and decisions. These values are the foundation upon which our policies, goals and operations are built.

In fulfilling our mission, we need the support of the campus community to provide the quality of service our values commit us to providing.

The men and women of the University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department value:

Human Life	Integrity
Laws and Constitution	Excellence
Accountability	Cooperation
Problem Solving	Ourselves

## **UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI - SAINT LOUIS POLICE DEPARTMENT**

The Police Department is an integral part of the University of Missouri - Saint Louis. The department works closely with Parking and Transportation to ensure Parking Regulations are enforced on campus. Working in concert with the University community, the Police Department strives to ensure that the University of Missouri - Saint Louis is a safe and pleasant environment where people can live, work and pursue their educational goals. It is the duty of the University police officer to maintain the peace and keep order. Uniformed Police Officers patrol the campus 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

The University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department is organized much like any other police agency. The Chief of Police directs the department and by a combination of personnel involvement, leadership and vision has created a police agency well suited to solve the problems of today and anticipate necessary changes for the future. A Lieutenant and three Sergeants assist the Chief of Police in achieving the department's goals and objectives. Uniformed Police Officers respond to calls for service, conduct criminal investigations, traffic and parking enforcement and accident investigations. A Detective assists Police Officers with their investigations. The department's communications facility (dispatch center) is the gateway for all requests for service from the campus community. Commissioned officers of the University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department have full police authority and are certified by the Missouri Department of Public Safety. Officers attend training at the Saint Louis County Municipal Police Academy and other facilities to enhance their skills and maintain their state certification.

The department has a close working relationship with Missouri State Highway Patrol, Saint Louis County Police Department and adjacent communities. If you need help on campus, call the UMSL-PD. Through a series of state sanctioned mutual aid agreements, members of all participating departments assist each other when a police situation or natural disaster is beyond department capabilities.

The campus is also well served by the North East Fire Protection District. They provide fire suppression, rescue, Paramedic, ambulance and inspections to the campus community.

On December 8, 2000, the Commission on Accreditation of Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA) accredited the University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department. The department underwent an on-site assessment of 446 Standards developed by the Commission. The standards covered such areas as management, operations and support services. The Police Department of the University of Missouri - Saint Louis was the first University department in the State of Missouri to be accredited. The department was re-accredited in December 2003, November 2006 and again in December 2009. The department is now preparing for a 4<sup>th</sup> re-accreditation.

## COMPLAINTS AGAINST POLICE OFFICERS

The University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department is dedicated to providing the best possible service to the campus community. The department is sensitive to the needs and expectations of the campus community and visitors. If you are not satisfied with the conduct or service provided by an officer of this department, you should contact the on-duty Watch Supervisor immediately. You will be asked to prepare a "Citizen Complaint Summary Form" documenting the facts and circumstances of your complaint. **ALL COMPLAINTS ARE INVESTIGATED.** One of the Sergeants or the Lieutenant, who serves as the department's Internal Affairs Manager, will investigate the complaint. You will be informed in writing of the results of the investigation. You have a right to be protected and treated with dignity by members of the University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department. Our policy on citizen complaints is one avenue by which the Chief of Police can ensure the department performs its mission and the members adhere to our statement of values. Through the Police Department's strict disciplinary process some officers were disciplined at various levels throughout 2009. There were 3 complaints against officers generated by members of the campus community, and 2 Officers received letters of commendation.

There were 11 internal affairs investigations during the calendar year of 2009. All investigations are ended with a conclusion of fact, and discipline is meted out on a progressive scale. The following reflects those conclusions:

Officers receiving counseling	1
Officers receiving oral reprimands	3
Officers receiving written reprimands	3
Officers being suspended	0
Officers exonerated	2
Complaint was unsubstantiated	1
Resignation	1

## **INCIDENT REPORTING**

The University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department has primary jurisdiction and responsibility to provide police service and investigate crimes on all property owned or controlled by the University.

All requests for police service should be made to the University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department at 314-516-5155. The Police Department is located on the North campus in the Tele-Community Center adjacent to the Metro Link North station. It is important that all crimes occurring on campus are immediately reported to the Police Department to ensure that prompt and appropriate action can be taken.

The University endorses a reporting policy that strongly encourages victims to report all crimes that occur within the jurisdiction of the University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department at once, regardless of their nature.

If you do not feel comfortable talking to a police officer, crimes may be confidentially reported to any academic counselor, the staff of the Women's Center or the staff of Multi-Cultural Relations. Crimes reported to these persons cannot be investigated without the opportunity to interview the victim. However, it is important that the police department be made aware of all criminal activity for reporting purposes and for the safety of others on campus.

We strongly urge that the victim of any crime contact the police department. You may also make voluntary confidential reports of criminal activity to professional counselors in Health, Wellness and Counseling Services (131 Millennium Student Center). You will not be identified by name unless you agree; again, it is essential that the police department be made aware of all criminal activity on campus. Crimes occurring off campus should be reported immediately to the law enforcement agency having proper jurisdiction.

If the victim of a crime off campus is unsure of the proper jurisdiction, contact the University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department and we will assist you in contacting the proper agency.

**EMERGENCIES** requiring police, fire or medical aid can be reported in person at the police station or by dialing **911 or 5155** from any campus telephone. Aid can also be summoned by using any of the **BLUE LIGHT** emergency phones located throughout the exterior of the campus. Non-emergency and information calls to the police are also accepted at the **5155 extension**. For your additional convenience there are red telephones located in most campus buildings, and can be used for emergency and non-emergency calls alike.

Members of the University community are encouraged to report any suspicious activity to the University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department immediately. The prompt reporting of suspicious persons or activity can often avert crimes. If someone's actions are out of character and you become suspicious, call the Police Department. Let a Police Officer assess the situation and, if appropriate, take action. **Do not hesitate to call!** We also invite the

reporting of physical hazards (lights out, odor of gas, etc.) in order that they may be corrected to avoid personal injury.

The police department, in conjunction with Environmental Health and Safety, is responsible for preventing environmental damage on campus. UMSL, like other universities, conducts teaching and research using various materials that are potentially hazardous. If you are aware of any chemical, biological or radiological spills or unsafe use, contact the police department immediately at 5155.

### **SEX OFFENSES ON CAMPUS**

University of Missouri - Saint Louis is committed to providing an environment for its students, faculty, staff and visitors that will, to the greatest extent possible, preclude the occurrence of sexual assault. In keeping with this commitment, the University maintains a strict policy prohibiting sexual assault in any form, including acquaintance or "date" rape.

Any student who is sexually assaulted on University property or at any University-sponsored or supervised activity may obtain redress through the University disciplinary code and local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies.

A student of the University found to have violated this sexual assault policy shall be subject both to disciplinary action by the University up to and including dismissal and prosecution by appropriate law enforcement agencies.

### **SEXUAL ASSAULT EDUCATION**

The University of Missouri - Saint Louis will utilize a number of strategies and activities specifically designed to educate the campus community regarding sexual assault issues and to promote awareness of rape, acquaintance rape, and other sex offense prevention strategies. These strategies and activities include the use of posters, flyers, brochures, videos, lectures, and forums.

### **POSSIBLE SANCTIONS for rape or other sex offenses after an on-campus disciplinary procedure:**

If a student is found to have committed a sexual assault suspension or dismissal from the University is extremely likely.

The accuser and the accused are entitled to have others present during a campus disciplinary proceeding.

Both the accuser and the accused shall be informed of the outcome of any campus disciplinary proceeding.

## **PROCEDURES to be followed in the event of sexual assault**

In the event a student is sexually assaulted on campus property or at a University-sponsored or supervised activity, the following procedures should be followed:

The victim of sexual assault should, as soon as possible, contact the University Police, Vice-Chancellor of Student Affairs, or Student Health Nurse. An official report should always be filed with the University Police Department.

Other Campus and Community resources are available at:

Women's Center, 366 MSC, 516-5291

Counseling Service, 131 MSC, 516-5711

S.A.R.T. (Sexual Abuse Response Team) in the YWCA Building, 140 N. Brentwood Clayton, MO 63105, (314) 726-6665

The victim should, to the greatest extent possible, preserve any physical evidence that may help to establish proof of criminal assault and/or identify a perpetrator for criminal prosecution.

The University of Missouri - Saint Louis will change the victim's academic or living situations if changes are requested and are reasonably available.

**CONSIDERATION AND RIGHTS to be afforded to students who are victims of sexual assault on University property or at University-sponsored or supervised events:**

- A. The right to have all sexual assaults against them investigated; and the right, as victims, to be treated with dignity.
- B. The right to have sexual assault committed against them investigated and adjudicated by the duly constituted criminal and civil authorities of the governmental entity in which the crimes occurred. At the University of Missouri - Saint Louis this will normally be in Saint Louis County Circuit Court. You also have the right to full and prompt assistance by campus personnel in notifying the police.
- C. The right to be free from pressure that would suggest that the victim:
  - (1) Not report crimes committed against them to civil and criminal authorities or to campus law enforcement and disciplinary officials; or
  - (2) Report crimes as lesser offenses than the victim perceives them to be.
- D. The right to be free from suggestions that a sexual assault victim not report or under-report crimes because--
  - (1) Victims are somehow "responsible" for the commission of crimes against them;
  - (2) Victims are contributory negligent or assumed the risk of being assaulted; or
  - (3) By reporting crimes they would incur unwanted personal publicity.
- E. The right to full and prompt cooperation from campus personnel in responding to the incident.
- F. The right to access counseling services established by the University or other victim-service entities.
- G. The right to require that campus personnel take the necessary steps or actions reasonably feasible to prevent unwanted contact or proximity with alleged assailants.

- H. The right to be informed of any campus disciplinary proceedings and the outcome of such proceedings.
- I. The same right to assistance, or ability to have others present, that is afforded to the accused during any campus disciplinary proceedings.

***University police officers will treat all complaints regarding sexual assault with the highest possible level of confidentiality.***

In accordance with the Higher Education Act, the campus community can obtain information about registered sex offenders by using the hyperlink on the front page of the police department web site.

### **MISSING PERSONS**

It is the policy of the University of Missouri - Saint Louis to abide by the Clery Act regulations established in regard to Missing Persons. All registered residents of the University of Missouri - Saint Louis are offered the opportunity to name a contact person who will be notified if the resident is suspected or confirmed as "missing". The name of this person will be kept confidential and will only be released to authorized University officials and/or University Police for the purpose of conducting a missing person investigation. In the case of a resident who is under the age of 18 (and not emancipated) the University will notify that resident's parent or legal guardian in addition to the designated contact person as stated above.

Any person who suspects that a resident may be missing should report their suspicions to the Office of Residential Life and Student Housing, the Office of Student Affairs or the UMSL Police Department. If the Office of Residential Life or Student Affairs receives a report of a missing resident they should contact the UMSL Police immediately.

The campus police will initiate an investigation into the person's whereabouts, and with the assistance of other campus resources ascertain as much information as possible to trace the person's actions and possible destination. The campus police will conduct a missing person investigation regardless of whether a confidential contact person has been identified or not.

The campus police will be responsible for contacting the resident's confidential contact person, and or parent or guardian depending on the age and circumstances at the onset of the investigation. For additional information on missing person's procedures go to:

<http://www.umsf.edu/services/reslife/current/missingperson.html>

## **SUBSTANCE ABUSE EDUCATION**

Students or employees with substance abuse problems create safety and health risks for themselves and others. Such abuses can also result in a wide range of serious emotional and behavioral problems. The University of Missouri - Saint Louis makes available to every student a variety of alcohol and substance abuse awareness programs and brochures throughout the year. These programs have been designed to discourage the use of illicit substances and to educate students on the merits of legal and responsible alcohol consumption.

Counseling Services, 516-5711, 131 Millennium Student Center, provides counseling and referral assistance to faculty, staff and students who are troubled by a substance-abuse problem. Group and individual counseling sessions are provided to students year-round. Those suffering from substance-dependency problems are encouraged to seek assistance from Counseling Services. All information regarding the contact or any counseling is confidential and will be treated in accordance with University policies, state and federal laws. A student's decision to seek assistance will not be used in connection with any academic determination or as a basis for disciplinary process. This campus service is free to all faculty, staff and students.

## **SUBSTANCE ABUSE POLICY**

University of Missouri - Saint Louis has been designated drug free and only under certain conditions is the consumption of alcohol permitted. In keeping with its educational mission, the University assumes the responsibility to better inform the University of Missouri - Saint Louis community about alcohol and substance abuse.

The sale, manufacture, distribution or possession of any controlled substance is illegal under both state and federal laws. The University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department strictly enforces such laws. Violators are subject to University disciplinary action, criminal prosecution, fine and/or imprisonment. The University of Missouri - Saint Louis Alcohol Policy and Missouri State statute restricts the sale, consumption and furnishing of alcohol on the University campus. It is unlawful to sell, furnish or give alcohol to a person under the age of twenty-one. The possession of alcohol by anyone less than twenty-one years of age is illegal. It is also a violation of the University of Missouri - Saint Louis policy for anyone to consume or possess alcohol in any public or private area of campus without prior approval by the University.

Organizations or groups violating alcohol/substance policies or laws may be subject to sanctions by the University.

## **MASS NOTIFICATIONS**

If an emergency occurs on campus and it is judged to present a significant emergency and/or a dangerous situation the University of Missouri - Saint Louis will initiate a mass notification to affected segments of the campus. The University's Chief of Police, or his designee and the University's Communication's Director have the responsibility to determine when a mass notification will be issued. The notification will be made through the mass notification system employed by the University to notify the campus community using various means such as cell phones, e-mail and pagers. The content of the notification and the persons that it should be directed to and if evacuation is required will be the decision of the Chief of Police or his designee. The notification will be without delay unless it is determined by the Chief of Police that such notification would compromise the emergency response. If a media release is necessary, it will be coordinated through the Communication's Director for dissemination of information to the larger community.

This notification system will be tested at least once per year. The tests will be either announced or unannounced, and will be documented describing the exercise, the date, time and whether it was announced or unannounced. Students, faculty and staff are encouraged to ensure that your personal notification information is correct through either My HR or My View as the data used in the notification is taken from University records.

## **TIMELY WARNINGS**

If a crime is reported to the University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department, or to a surrounding Police Department contiguous to the campus, and it is determined that a threat exists to the campus community, and or release of information will aid in the prevention of a similar crime; a timely warning will be issued. It will be the responsibility of the UMSL Police supervisor to determine if circumstances warrant the issuance of the warning. If the police supervisor determines that a threat exists and a release of information will alert the campus to be aware and/or to prevent a similar incident, the supervisor will send a mass UMSL Wide e-mail. The e-mail will contain a description of the incident and a description of any persons responsible for the crime. The warning may also be in the form of flyers or posters strategically placed around the campus. If the threat is determined to be significant enough to warrant a mass notification, then the release of a timely warning may not be necessary. Follow-up information however, could be released as needed to keep the community informed.

## **CRIME PREVENTION**

The University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department supports proactive Crime Prevention to make our campus and living areas a safer place to learn, live and work.

Some of our efforts are:

- **RED** telephones throughout the buildings and **BLUE** emergency telephones on the parking lots and sidewalk areas.
- 24-hour preventative patrol
- Burglar alarms in key areas
- Property engraving program (Project IDENT)
- Crime prevention seminars provided by a Crime Prevention Officer
- Crime prevention material
- Escort service by police officers
- Emergency vehicle service (jump-starts, open locked doors, etc.)
- Campus Watch Program
- Closed-circuit television monitoring of student housing areas.
- Card access entry systems on residential doors and selected other areas throughout the campus. All new construction will have card access; older structures will be updated with the new system over time.
- Community Orientated Police (COPS) officers assigned to the residential areas

The department encourages staff, faculty and students to avail themselves of the services provided by our Crime Prevention Officer. Contact the Crime Prevention Officer at 516-5155 to schedule a seminar or obtain crime prevention materials.

## **PERSONAL SECURITY AND CAMPUS SAFEGUARDS**

A high percentage of crimes on campus are crimes of opportunity. Members of the campus community can assist the Police Department by following some simple suggestions. You play a key role in crime prevention efforts. Be cautious, careful and alert to your own safety and protective of your possessions and University property:

- Always lock your office, even when you step out for a few minutes.
- If you have valuables in your office, don't leave them in your office overnight.
- Don't leave purses or other valuables unattended, even for one minute. Take them with you or keep them locked in a secure cabinet out of sight.
- Keep your desks and file cabinets locked when you're away.
- Don't store money in desk drawers or file cabinets.
- Report all losses to the University Police immediately.

Security of the campus and persons are central issues at the University of Missouri - Saint Louis. Providing security to the campus community is a continuous process of re-evaluating existing policies and practices so that they conform to the changing needs of the community.

Working closely with the administration of University of Missouri - Saint Louis, the Police Department strives to make the campus a safe place to learn, live and work.

To increase campus safety, lighting has been improved at various locations. Emergency telephones distinctively marked with blue lights have been installed at numerous locations on campus. In addition to lighting and phone systems the University has modified new construction and landscaping to provide a safer campus.

### **Additional safety measures include:**

- Do not hesitate to call the campus police at any time.
- Keep your residence room locked.
- At night, walk in-groups of at least two and stay on the main walkways.
- Be aware of your surroundings and know if you are being followed.

- Familiarize yourself with the location of emergency phones.
- When parking, remove valuables from view and lock your vehicle.
- Engrave your valuables with your driver's license number and record the serial numbers. (For Project IDENT - Contact the department Crime Prevention Officer at 5155 for assistance).
- Make copies of credit cards and other valuables in your wallet.
- Report all losses to the University Police immediately.
- Stay in control. Do not allow the abuse of alcohol or other substances to put you at risk.
- Don't leave personal property unattended.

**Before you enter your car...**

- Be alert to any activity near your car. Pay attention to your surroundings.
- When approaching your car to enter it, have your key in your hand, and check the handles, locks and back seat before entering.
- If there is someone loitering near your unoccupied car as you approach it, keep walking until they leave. Contact the University Police immediately!

**Once you're in your car...**

- Keep your doors locked and windows rolled up.
- Stay out of high crime areas, especially after dark.
- Be suspicious of people asking for directions or change, or giving out flyers.
- When stopping in traffic, leave enough distance between your car and the car in front of you, so you can pull away quickly if necessary.
- Be alert when using drive-up automated teller (ATM) machines

**REMEMBER:** If a situation appears suspicious, or you think it's unusual, call the University Police. If it is serious or not, we'd rather investigate before a problem occurs.

**ALSO:** The department's Crime Prevention Officer is available to assist with seminars, surveys and materials.

## **CAMPUS FACILITIES ACCESS**

The University of Missouri - Saint Louis is situated on 352 acres of land with 54 buildings. Most residential housing is located on south campus.

Organizations affiliated with the University that maintains off-campus facilities come under the jurisdiction of their local police department. The departments that have jurisdiction over property at off-campus locations, such as Fraternity Houses, have been asked to record and report to the UMSL-PD all criminal activity at those facilities so timely warnings can be provided to the campus community.

**IF YOU DO NOT FEEL COMFORTABLE WALKING TO A PARKING LOT, BUS STOP, METRO LINK STOP OR ANYWHERE ELSE ON CAMPUS, CONTACT THE POLICE DEPARTMENT AT 5155 FOR AN ESCORT!**

It is the policy of the University of Missouri - Saint Louis that, except during normal working hours, all buildings shall be locked in order to maintain the security of both the buildings and their contents.

Faculty/staff members and students may be issued keys or swipe cards to University buildings upon recommendation of the department chairman or administrative head in accordance with established procedures. Access to University buildings is for the purpose of conducting University business only.

An authorized individual entering or leaving a locked building shall be responsible for securing the door and may be held responsible for any loss or damage to University property resulting from failure to do so.

The loss or theft of any key is to be reported immediately to the department chairman or administrative head. That person is responsible for notifying the University Police.

Exterior lighting is checked regularly for bulb replacement or other illumination problems. A report listing the location and light pole number is forwarded to physical plant for maintenance. A string of lights out in a particular area is immediately checked for timer adjustment or calibration.

## **RESIDENTIAL HOUSING**

The University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department and residential life personnel work closely together to create a safe and comfortable living and learning environment.

Security and safety seminars are held for residents throughout the year in order to increase their awareness of crime potential, improve campus safety, and inform them of major crimes or threats to the campus. Alert bulletins are posted in the residential areas; a well-informed resident is a safer resident. Residents must realize that a crime can happen to anyone and that they must

take their own safety seriously. Since the campus is open twenty-four hours a day, always keep your room locked and carry your key.

Theft is the most common security problem in the residential areas, so take the necessary precautions. Be aware of your surroundings and what is going on around you, both in and out of residential areas. Residents are encouraged to report the presence of suspicious persons to the residential life personnel or University Police. ***Do not attempt to stop or detain any suspicious persons yourself. CALL THE CAMPUS POLICE AT 5155 AND REQUEST ASSISTANCE — THINK SAFETY FIRST!***

The security of residential areas includes continuous patrol of the buildings and grounds by residential life personnel and University of Missouri - Saint Louis Police Department. Building access is restricted to residents and invited guests through the use of a card swipe system. The Residential Assistants and Desk Attendants will assist with entry if a student is locked out of their room.

### **FIRE SAFETY AND RELATED RESIDENTIAL LIFE POLICIES**

The safety of students and residents is paramount to providing the learning environment at the University of Missouri - Saint Louis. Practicing good fire safety is the responsibility of every member of this institution. For a complete reference to fire safety in the residence halls and other important information go to the link below. There is also an excerpt from that guide relative to fire safety in this report.

<http://www.umsl.edu/services/reslife/docs/CommunityGuide10-11.pdf>

### **FIRE PROTOCOL FROM OUR COMMUNITY GUIDE**

No matter how small the fire, or even if it is extinguished, report it to your RA. Appropriate action will be taken. In the event the fire alarm sounds, leave the building immediately via the nearest stairway exit. If possible, before you leave the room: turn on the lights, open the drapes, close windows and lock the door. Also remember to wear shoes and carry a towel to place over your nose if smoke is present. If you should happen to be away from your room when the alarm sounds, do not return to your room itself, but leave the building via the nearest exit.

Fire alarms and smoke detection equipment are located throughout each floor for your safety. If the alarm sounds, evacuate the building in the safest way possible using the nearest exit. Do not return until instructed to do so.

There is a smoke detector in every student room. Do not tamper with or disconnect this safety apparatus. Report any malfunction to the Office of Residential Life and Housing at 516-6877. Students who tamper with smoke detectors and/or fire prevention equipment are subject to a \$200 fine and/or disciplinary action, and/or criminal action, and/or a combination of the remedies listed.

## **SMOKE DETECTORS**

In compliance with Missouri statutes, each student room is furnished with a smoke detector. These smoke detectors are designed to protect student life. Please cooperate by keeping your smoke detector plugged into the wall outlet with the battery in place. If your smoke detector is not working properly (there is a test button on each unit), report it immediately to the Residential Life and Housing Office (516-6877). Any damage to, or loss of the smoke detector will result in a \$25 replacement charge.

The University Meadows Residential Complex (not university owned) has also issued some guidelines in fire safety and delivers them to every resident at time of check-in.

## **FIRE LOGS**

A daily fire log is maintained by the UMSL Police Department along with the daily crime summary. This log is available for review 24 hours a day at the police station on north campus. The log contains information about fires that occur anywhere on campus, to include the nature, date, time and general location. Injuries or property damage will also be included in the log.

## **EMERGENCY & ASSISTANCE TELEPHONE NUMBERS**

University Police Emergency	<b>911</b>
University Police Non-Emergency Services	<b>516-5155</b>
Escort Service	516-5155
Emergency Vehicle Service	516-5155
Rape Hotline	531-2003
Victim Service Council	615-4872
Alcoholism	1-800-443-9241
Drug Abuse	1-800-299-6310
Suicide Hotline	647-4357
Women's Center	516-5291
Counseling Service	516-5711
Saint Louis County Prosecuting Attorney	615-2600
Saint Louis City Circuit Attorney	622-4941
Crime Victim Advocacy Center	652-3623
American Red Cross	516-2800
University Health Service	516-5671
Office of Equal Opportunity	516-5695
Saint Louis County Police Department	889-2341

**AN IMPORTANT NOTE: IF YOU CALL 911 FROM ANY PAY TELEPHONE ON CAMPUS, OR YOUR OWN CELL PHONE, YOUR CALL WILL BE DIRECTED TO SAINT LOUIS COUNTY POLICE COMMUNICATIONS. BE SURE TO TELL**

**THE DISPATCHER YOU ARE ON THE UMSL CAMPUS. WE WILL BE NOTIFIED BY RADIO TO RESPOND TO YOUR EMERGENCY.**

**FOR THE FASTEST SERVICE, IT IS RECCOMENDED THAT YOU PROGRAM YOUR CELL PHONE TO CALL THE UMSL POLICE AT (314) 516-5155.**

Enclosed are the Crime Statistics for the year 2009. It is recommended that you periodically check the University of Missouri - Saint Louis Web Site for updated information. (<http://safety.umsl.edu/police>).

If you have any questions about the crime statistics or any location on campus contact the department at 314-516-5155 and ask for the Watch Supervisor.

## **Fire Safety Amenities at University of Missouri- Saint Louis Residential Facilities**

<b>Residential Facilities</b>	<b>Fire Alarm Monitoring</b>	<b>Sprinkler System</b>	<b>Smoke Detection</b>	<b>Fire Extinguisher Device</b>	<b>Evacuation Plans</b>	<b>Number of Evacuation (fire) Drills per year</b>
Oak Hall	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	2
Villa Hall	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	2
Villa North Hall	yes	no	yes	yes	yes	2
Legras Hall	yes	no	yes	yes	yes	2
University Park South	no	no	yes	yes	yes	0
Mansion Hill Condo	no	no	yes	yes	yes	0
8026 Nat. Bridge	no	no	yes	yes	yes	0
8142 Nat. Bridge	no	no	yes	yes	yes	0
8218 Nat. Bridge	yes	no	yes	yes	yes	0
Bethany House	no	no	yes	yes	yes	0

**UNIVERSITY MEADOWS  
FIRE DETECTION/PROTECTION/ALARM EQUIPMENT CHECKLIST**

<i>EQUIPMENT</i>	<i>YES/NO</i>	<i>LOCATION(S)</i>
Fire Extinguishers	Yes	All units (in kitchen); five in Clubhouse
Class A	No	N/A
Class B	No	N/A
Class C	No	N/A
Class ABC	Yes	All units (in kitchen); five in Clubhouse
Automatic Sprinklers	Yes	All units
Fire Pump	No	N/A
Smoke Detectors	Yes	All units and in Clubhouse
Heat Detectors	No	N/A
Fire Alarm (Main Panel)	Yes	Clubhouse
Fire Alarm (Pull Stations)	Yes	All buildings, (on all floors)
Fire Alarm Monitoring	Yes	Off-site service; Central District Alarm
Standpipes	Yes	All buildings, (nine total)
Hose Stations	Yes	All buildings, (nine total)
FD Connectors (Siamese)	Yes	All buildings, (nine total)
Emergency Lighting	Yes	All buildings, (on all floors)
Emergency Generator	No	N/A
Lighted Exit Signs	Yes	All buildings, (on all floors)
Fire Doors	No	N/A
Evacuation Plans	Yes	In Clubhouse office
No. of Fire Drills Annually	2	N/A





