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Clery Act Policy

Beaufort County Community College is committed to the safety and well-being of all members of the College community. The purpose of this policy is to ensure Beaufort County Community College's compliance with the Clery Act (Clery) and the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) Amendments to the Clery Act. Pursuant to Clery and VAWA, the College is required, in part, to:

- Compile and disclose statistics of reports of the types of crimes specified in Clery ("Clery Crimes") for its campuses, the immediately adjacent public areas and public areas running through the campuses, remote classroom facilities and certain non-campus facilities;
- Collect reports of Clery Crimes made to Campus Safety, local law enforcement, school officials, and others associated with the College who have "significant responsibility for student and campus activities";
- Make an annual report to the U.S. Department of Education with statistics of Clery Crimes for the last three years and College policy statements and procedures addressing campus security, safety, and programs to prevent dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking ("Annual Security Report");
- Issue timely warnings of Clery Crimes that may be an ongoing threat to the campus so that individuals make take steps to protect themselves and to aid in the prevention of similar crimes;
- Maintain a daily crime log, available to the public, of all crimes reported to campus security;
- Conduct educational programs to promote awareness, to include primary prevention and awareness programs to prevent dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking.

This policy applies to all College personnel who have responsibility for an aspect of campus security, and offices and individuals with "significant responsibility for student and campus activities." Individuals responsible for student and campus activities and others who, as a result of their role at the College, may be classified as Campus Security Authorities ("CSA") under Clery and VAWA have specific crime reporting obligations under the law.

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References

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