YOUR RESPONSIBILITY

> In case of fire or other emergency, know the evacuation procedures (located on the back of your apartment or residence hall room door).

> Secure doors and windows when you are alone, when you are asleep at night, and when you leave the room—even if it’s just for a minute. When answering the door, look through the peephole to make sure it is someone you know.

> Keep exterior doors closed, even if you need to go in and out frequently.

> Only let people you know into the building.

> Immediately report any obscene, harassing or threatening phone calls/emails/messages or any suspicious circumstances or activity to your RA/CA or the UWPD (911).

> If you see a firearm or hear gunfire, go somewhere safe, secure and out of view. Call 911. Do not investigate the situation.

> Keep your Husky Card secure. It is your hall key, your debit card and your ID card. Don’t lose it or loan it.

> Take appropriate steps to secure and insure personal property.

> Register your bicycle and electronic devices with the UWPD at www.washington.edu/admin/police/index.php.

> Know where to go for help when you need it.

> Abide by community standards in your housing agreement.

> In case of an earthquake: DROP, COVER and HOLD. Do not evacuate unless instructed to do so.

QUICK REFERENCES

WHO TO CALL
Program these numbers into your cell phone and keep them in a handy spot.

> Emergency situations requiring police, medical or firefighter response
Call 911 from your cell phone or floor phone.

> Nonemergency assistance
Call the UWPD at 206-685-UWPD (8973).

> RA/CA on duty
206-543-1000

> UW SafeCampus
206-685-SAFE (7233)

> Husky NightWalk
206-685-WALK (9255)

> NightRide Shuttle
206-685-3146

> In case of alcohol poisoning
Call 911 or the Washington Poison Center at 206-526-2121.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

> Talk with your RA/CA or RD.

> Read the evacuation signs on the back of your door.

> Attend your community meetings.

> HFS: www.hfs.washington.edu

> UW Emergency Management
www.washington.edu/emergency

> The UW Police Department
www.washington.edu/admin/police/index.php

> UW Emergency Information
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At the University of Washington (UW), we take your safety seriously. At the same time, it is important to remember that the UW is part of a large urban environment. Housing & Food Services (HFS) views your safety as a shared responsibility between you and us. Taking the necessary precautions for living on campus, as in your own home, can make a difference in having a safe living experience.

**RESIDENTIAL LIFE STAFF**
Residential Life staff provide safety information to the residential community at a variety of times including:

> During the community meetings at the beginning of each quarter
> Through personal interactions
> By facilitating awareness programming that encourages students to make smart decisions regarding their personal safety

Don’t hesitate to contact your Resident Advisers (RAs), Community Assistants (CA) or Resident Director (RD). RAs/CAs are on duty from 5 p.m.–8 a.m. daily to respond to resident safety concerns. RDs are on duty 24 hours a day and on weekends and holidays. All HFS staff members wear an official photo ID when in the residential areas of the residence halls to help you identify HFS staff from others who may be in the building without permission.

**UWPD RESIDENCE HALL PATROL**
The UW Police Department (UWPD) patrols the residence halls and apartments each night and works directly with the on-duty Residential Life staff. Officers are fully commissioned and have the same authority as other law enforcement officers.

**UWPD CRIME PREVENTION UNIT**
Residential Life staff work closely with UWPD crime-prevention officers to provide programs and resources for residents to raise awareness regarding safety and security issues.

**ENTRANCES AND DOORS**
> The entry doors to 2104 House, Alder Hall, Cedar Apartments, Elm Hall, Hansee Hall, Lander Hall, Maple Hall, Mercer Court, Poplar Hall and Terry Hall are locked 24 hours a day.
> The entry doors to McMahon Hall and Haggett Hall are locked by 7 p.m. every night. In addition, the residential floors of Haggett Hall and McMahon Hall are only accessible to the residents of each of those halls and authorized personnel.
> Blakeley Village, Laurel Village and Stevens Court are configured with a separate entry for each apartment. Residents should keep their apartment doors locked at all times.
> Your Husky Card is programmed to allow you access to the dining facilities in Haggett Hall, Lander Hall and McMahon Hall during their operating hours.

All student room doors, including those in apartments and McMahon Hall clusters, are equipped with commercial-grade locking door handles and one-way peepholes. Residence hall keys are high-security keys. Duplicate keys can only be made using factory equipment.

**PRIVACY AND SAFETY**
To protect students, federal regulations do not permit the release of student room numbers to any unauthorized person including friends, relatives and parents. Although this policy may seem inconvenient at times, it provides residents protection and a more secure living environment at the UW.

**HUSKY NIGHTWALK**
Husky NightWalk provides safety guards to increase your personal safety on and near campus. The service is available to the UW community from 6 p.m.–2 a.m. every day of the week, excluding UW holidays. For more information visit www.washington.edu/admin/police/security. The UWPD manages the Husky NightWalk Program. Call 206-685-WALK (9255) to take advantage of this program.

**NIGHTRIDE SHUTTLE**
If you stay on campus after dark, take the NightRide Shuttle home. The NightRide Shuttle takes you from campus right to your front door (within a mile of campus). Shuttle service runs from 8 p.m. until midnight, Monday through Friday (excluding UW holidays and summer quarter). Call UW Shuttles at 206-685-3146 for more information or visit their website at www.washington.edu/admin/niteride.

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