

Emergency Response Policy, Notifications and Guidelines

It is the intent of the Community College of Allegheny County to provide the most current information regarding Emergency Response Policies, Notifications and Guidelines to students, staff and visitors alike. The website contains the CCAC Safety and Security Plan as well as quick reference guidelines, security hints, the annual Jeanne Clery report as well as other useful information which can all be accessed through the "Safety" footer on the CCAC webpage.

The College adheres to the Clery requirement that any imminent threat to the campus community be immediately released via whatever means deemed appropriate. The release may be made via e-mail, public address announcement, via Twitter, news media, electronic bulletin board, word of mouth or any combination of these including the campus hotline numbers. Decisions on the issuance of timely information lies in the hands of the College President or his designees, Marketing and Communications, Campus President's Offices, the Deans of Administration or other College or campus administration.

Subsequent notifications and updates will be issued as needed and as deemed appropriate by the College President or his designees and/or the Offices of the Campus President.

The guidelines for release of all College related information is contained in the CCAC Emergency Procedures Manual and the individual campus Emergency Procedures Manuals. These manuals are available on the CCAC website, keyword search "Emergency Procedures Manual".

Additionally, each campus has placed "Quick Flip Emergency Response Guides" at various locations. These ready reference guides provide procedures for the proper handling and response to the most common emergency situations for use by faculty, staff, students and visitors. Critical phone numbers are provided as well as instructions to dial 9-1-1 for assistance in all matters.