

2016 Annual Security Report

Department of Campus Safety and Security

A Message from the Director

I am pleased to present the 2016 Alderson Broaddus University Annual Security Report. This report is a collaborative effort between the Office of Student Affairs, the Department of Campus Safety and all members of the Alderson Broaddus Community. The report was prepared in compliance with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Police and the Violence against Women Reauthorization Act which requires an annual report to disclose the crime and fire statistics from the 2015 calendar year.

The publication of this report is also to inform students, perspective students, employees, and guests of security measures available to them provided by the University. Students and employees are strongly encouraged to familiarize themselves with the contents of this report and to utilize all services that the University offers.

Campus Safety operates 24 hours a day and 365 days a year. The department includes full time trained security professionals. The Department of Campus Safety continues to work strongly with the Philippi Police Department (located only minutes from campus) to ensure a safe and strong learning environment. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

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Brief Summary of the Jeanne Clery Act

The Jeanne Clery Act, known originally as the Campus Security Act, is a significant and important federal law that requires colleges and universities across the country to disclose information about crime on and around the campus. The law is applicable only to institutions which receive federal financial aid programs. The Jeanne Clery Act is enforced by the United States Department of Education and the Department of Justice.

One of the many things that the Act requires is that institutions with either a police or a security department keep a running **public crime log**. This log should be accessible to the public during normal business hours; remain open for at least 60 days and, must be made available within two

business days upon request. The Alderson Broaddus University public crime log is located in the Office of Campus Safety in the Heiner-Hamer Campus Center.

The University must disclose a number of different crimes as required by the Act. The list of crimes disclosed are as follows: criminal homicide (including murder, non-negligent manslaughter, and negligent manslaughter), sex offenses (including forcible and non-forcible), robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, motor vehicle theft, arson, dating violence, domestic violence, and stalking. Schools are required to also include in the report disciplinary referrals and arrests made for the following: liquor law violations, drug law violations, and illegal weapons possession.

The report must include any hate crimes. Hate crimes are prejudicial crimes that were committed against a race, gender, religion, sexual orientation, ethnicity, and disability. The report must include any crimes committed by prejudice of any above listed crimes as well as: larceny/theft, simple assault, intimidation, and destruction of property.

Finally the report must include fire statistics. All fire statistics are reported at the time of the incident to the West Virginia State Fire Marshall Office.

Alderson Broaddus University uses the Federal Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) Handbook definitions of crimes. For more information on the UCR Handbook please visit <https://www2.fbi.gov/ucr/handbook/ucrhandbook04.pdf>.

Notice of Nondiscrimination

Alderson Broaddus University is committed to providing and maintaining a learning and working environment that is free from any form of illegal discrimination or harassment in accordance with federal, state and local law, including Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Americans with Disabilities Act, the Americans with Disabilities Amendments Act, the Age Discrimination in Employment Act, the West Virginia Human Rights Act, and their implementing regulations. Specifically, the University does not discriminate on the basis of sex, age, race, color, national origin, disability, religion, veteran status, or any other characteristic protected by federal, state and local law in recruitment, admission, educational programs, University activities or employment. There will be no retaliation against any individual who makes a good faith report of discrimination or harassment or participates in or cooperates with any investigation of alleged discrimination or harassment.

The following person has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the University's non-discrimination policies:

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Your Role in Campus Safety

The University wants everyone in our community and all guests to report crimes and other emergencies promptly to the Department of Campus Safety. The contact number for the on-duty Campus Safety Officer is (304)-709-2696.

Q: How do I report a crime?

A: There are several different ways to report crime on campus. (a) You can call Campus Safety directly at (304)-709-2696 or by calling 911 emergency services. (b) You can contact your Resident Assistant or Resident Director who are trained staff members prepared to assist you. (c) You can report any crime to any employee of Alderson Broaddus University. All employees are required to then forward the information to the Department of Campus Safety.

Q: Can I remain anonymous?

A: Yes. AB counseling services includes a confidential reporting system that allows victims of crimes to remain anonymous. Also the Department of Campus Safety will have on the Campus Safety section of the website starting in the spring of 2016 an anonymous reporting option on our web page.

Alcohol and Drug Policies

Alderson Broaddus University is a drug and alcohol free campus. Consumption, purchasing, possession, or transportation of any alcoholic beverage or illegal drug is prohibited on campus. It is also unlawful for any person over the age of 21 to knowingly provide alcohol under the legal drinking age. Students are expected to obey the laws of the State of West Virginia and the University's policies.

Consequences. AB tries to take an educational approach to students found responsible for alcohol or drug abuse on campus when possible. All offenses are independently evaluated through the University judicial system based on the evidence presented in a hearing with the student. Multiple or severe violations of the University drug or alcohol policy may result in suspension or expulsion from the University.

Timely Warning Notices

In an effort to provide timely notice to the campus community, and in the event of a serious incident which may pose a threat to the Alderson Broaddus Community or guests the Department of Campus Safety works in conjunction with the Department of Communications and the Office of the President to notify the community in a timely manner about certain crimes around campus.

Missing Persons

Persons who are reported missing for more than 24 hours should be reported to either the Department of Residence Life or the Department of Campus Safety. Campus Safety will investigate all reports of a person missing for more than 24 hours in conjunction with the Philippi Police Department. If the investigation shows that a student has been missing for more than 24 hours, the Department of Campus Safety will notify the student's emergency contact, or custodial parent or legal guardian. If the student is over the age of 18 the Department will contact the student's registered contact. If the student is under the age of 18 the Department will contact the legal guardian of the student.

Weapons, Fire Arms, and Explosive Devices

The possession of any weapon or lookalike as defined by the West Virginia State Code, all fire arms, and all explosive devices are prohibited on University owned or operated property. For more information please see the Alderson Broaddus Student Handbook or contact the Department of Campus Safety.

Disclosure of Fire Statistics

During the calendar 2014 year there were no reported fires on campus or in any campus facilities.

Disclosure of Crime Statistics

On the following pages please take note of the *reported* crimes that occurred on or around campus.

For additional information regarding how to report crimes or prohibited conduct such as sexual misconduct please see the Student Handbook located <http://ab.edu/wp-content/uploads/2016/07/StudentHandbook-2016-2017.pdf>

Type of Crime	Total Crimes Reported			Total On Campus (Includes On-Campus Residential Facilities)			On Campus Residential Facilities			Non-Campus Buildings or Property			Public Property		
	2015	2014	2013	2015	2014	2013	2015	2014	2013	2015	2014	2013	2015	2014	2013
Crimes Reported	2015	2014	2013	2015	2014	2013	2015	2014	2013	2015	2014	2013	2015	2014	2013
Murder	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forcible Sex Offense	1	0	3	1	0	3	-	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Non Forcible Sex Offense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	1	0	2	1	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burglary	17	10	5	17	10	5	15	7	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arson	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hate Crimes	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dating Violence	0	2	N/A	0	2	N/A	0	2	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A
Domestic Violence	1	0	N/A	1	0	N/A	1	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A
Stalking	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A
Arrests															
Liquor Violations	3	5	0	3	5	0	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Drug Violations	5	1	0	5	1	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Weapon Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disciplinary Referrals															
Liquor Violations	94	87	31	94	87	31	94	87	31	0	0	0	0	0	0
Drug Violations	9	12	3	9	12	3	9	12	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Weapon Violations	0	1	4	0	1	4	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0