This information in this table is applicable to <u>all</u> students. However, if you doing a rotation at a clinical site and you feel unsafe, you are expected to immediately notify the clerkship director either by email or phone. The director will respond to the student's concern and address any safety issues, and if needed, move the student to another site.

## **Anschutz Campus**

## **Colorado Springs Campus**

## **Security at Clinical Sites**

During regular classroom hours The security systems in place during regular classroom hours at the main Anschutz Medical Campus (AMC) include a full-service police force and security personnel who patrol the campus 24 hours a day 7 days a week 365 days a year. The University Police Department (UPD) for the University of Colorado Denver provides police, security, and access control to the AMC. The UPD maintains a full-service staff of 27 full-time police officers who hold police commissions with the State of Colorado. The UPD also employs 6 security guards and 13 full-time Emergency Communications Center personnel in addition to administrative staff.

Blue light emergency call stations are located outdoors throughout the AMC and are regularly assessed and maintained. The push button on the pole dials directly to the UPD and a dispatcher answers on the speaker.

At the entrances to most buildings on the AMC are call boxes that are mounted to the buildings or within pedestals that contain a telephone. The police department can be contacted from any of these devices by pressing the call button, or by dialing 911 or x4-4444 from any campus telephone. Every elevator has a call button on the control panel that is a direct link to UPD. Upon request, the UPD will provide escorts to any of the parking lots and near-by side streets that are within a four-block radius of the university.

All buildings and offices have Emergency Preparedness Quick Reference Guides available to any student or employee that outlines what to do for any type of emergency. If a student dials x 4-4444 or calls 303-724-4444 on campus the emergency will be responded to immediately via emergency communications.

The University of Colorado Denver I Anschutz Medical Campus Emergency Notification System, commonly referred to as the RAVE system, provides campus emergency notification via text and voice-message when conditions develop on or near the Denver-based campuses which pose an imminent threat of danger to

During regular classroom hours The University of Colorado, Colorado Springs (UCCS) Department of Public Safety (DPS) is responsible for police operations, communications, environmental health and safety, and risk management. The DPS maintains a full-service police department which employs 18 police officers who are all fully certified and hold police commissions with both the State of Colorado and the Colorado Springs Police Department (CSPD), The UCCS PD also has seven (7) police communications personnel and five (5) safety service personnel in addition to administrative staff. The UCCS PD provide services which include crime prevention information programs, round-the-clock response related to the safety and security of people and property associated with the University, documentation of criminal activity and certain defined noncriminal incidents as required by law and administrative policy, preventive and directed uniform patrol by vehicle or foot to lessen criminal activity and to assist people generally, locking and unlocking of designated University buildings, and security guard patrols of campus grounds and buildings, assistance to individuals with special needs, and making arrests, collecting evidence, writing citations, providing information for prosecution and testifying in court. The UCCS police are on duty 24-hours a day, seven (7) days per week 365 days a year. More information can be found at the DPS home page: http://www.uccs.edu/~pusafety/.

A blue light emergency call station is located outside the north entrance of the Lane Center for Academic Health Sciences. The blue light is easily visible in the adjacent parking lots and around the pedestrian areas and is regularly assessed and maintained. The push button on the pole dials directly to the UPD and a dispatcher answers on the speaker. Additionally, there is another button on the pole that dials direct to the 911 Center located at the CSPD. The UCCS PD receives an "echo" notification, and will dispatch an officer to that location.

The UCCS has an Emergency Notification System (UCCSAlerts) that is managed by the PSD. For all emergencies that pose an immediate threat to the health and safety of the campus community, as well as weather-related campus closures or delays, the UCCSAlerts system is used to send all

The University of Colorado Hospital (UCH) is under the jurisdiction of the UPD and is served by many of the campus security systems. There are on-site security staff present on the AMC 24 hours a day 7 days a week 365 days a year, with officers staffing the main patient/visitor entrances 24 hours a day and a minimum of 2 security personnel in the Emergency Department at all times. Security staff stay in constant contact with the call center and have direct connection to campus police and area law enforcement. The 24-hour call center keeps constant watch on exterior and interior activities. Security staff monitor the parking lots and buildings 24 hours a day, seven days a week and do patrol on a scheduled routine basis. Each parking lot has ample lighting to assure optimum visibility and are monitored by security camera systems 24 hours a day 7 days a week. Emergency "Blue" phones are located throughout parking lots and garages, as well as along all pedestrian walkways. Security also provides a variety of support activities for staff, students, patients and visitors including: Escorts to and from personal vehicles, recharging dead vehicle batteries, Assistance in contacting services related to keys locked in the car, flat tires and disabled automobiles. Students, staff, patients, and visitors can call 911 for any emergency and they will be connected with the Hospital Shared Services Emergency dispatchers, or can dial x8-7777 to request an escort to their vehicle after dark.

The Children's Hospital Colorado (CHCO) is under the jurisdiction of the UPD and is served by many of the campus security systems. Students are able to request escorts to their vehicles.

**Denver Health (DH)** security officers are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, and are responsible for providing a safe and secure environment for all patients, visitors and staff. Security can be reached by dialing x67444 from any hospital or clinic telephone or by dialing (303) 436-7444 from outside the system. Students are also able to request escorts to their vehicle.

## **Anschutz Campus Colorado Springs Campus Security at Clinical Sites** the campus community. Chancellor Don Elliman has uccs.edu email users an emergency notification either via text, The Denver Veteran's Affairs (VA) Office of determined that all students, faculty, and staff will email or voice-message, as well as UCCS Emergency Management Security and Law Enforcement (OS&LE) is automatically receive emergency alerts and campus social media sites, and select voice mails to UCCS main desk responsible for developing policies, procedures closure notifications via university-issued email areas. and standards that govern VA's infrastructure addresses. In addition to the Emergency Notification protection, personal security and law System (RAVE), students, faculty, and staff can sign up to Outside regular classroom hours enforcement programs; protecting Veterans, The standard and default hours of operation for the security of receive general alert information from university safety visitors, and staff on department facilities and and facilities personnel on the campus Alerts Webpage. exterior entrance doors on the UCCS Campus are from 7:30 am to grounds. The VA Eastern Colorado Health Care 10:30 pm, Monday-Saturday, and all members of the UCCS The can also get updates regarding the operational System has a Police Service and its officers status of the campus by going to the Alerts Webpage or campus have access during these business hours, and for provide 24-hour patrols of the facility and parking by calling 1-877-463-6070. scheduled classes and events on Sundays. Those enrolled in the lots. For general police assistance, please dial 1-Access Control System (badging) will be able to enter any access 888-336-8262 x5233. In case of an emergency, Outside regular classroom hours controlled door for which after-hours access has been granted to dial 1-888-336-8262 x3911. On-site 24/7 security The standard and default hours of operation for the that cardholder. This measure allows for control over which areas personnel are available to walk students to their security of exterior entrance doors on the Anschutz are authorized to be accessed by a particular individual after cars or respond to their needs and can be reached Medical Campus are from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. After hours. The main entrances to most buildings are unlocked and at 303-393-5233. The VA Medical Center is publicly accessible during the weekday/daytime hours. hours, those individuals enrolled in the Access Control federal property and as such all persons and bags are subject to search. System (badging) will be able to enter any access controlled door for which after-hours access has been UCCS branch campus students will potentially be required to granted to that cardholder. work late night hours on the Emergency Medicine, Surgery, and Off-campus clinical sites are expected to comply OB/Gyn rotations. Sites utilized for these rotations are Memorial with accreditation requirements for safety and Central, Memorial North, Penrose, St. Francis, and Evans Army security. Community hospitals. Each of these sites have safe, secured call rooms available to students, after-hours security procedures, and on-site 24/7 security personnel available to walk students to their cars or respond to their needs. These site procedures and relevant contact information will be provided to students at orientation. Students are instructed during orientation that if they feel unsafe at any time, they should contact the security office (phone numbers are provided during orientation) at the

site for immediate assistance, or they can call the branch campus leaders, Dr. Erik Wallace or Dr. Chad Stickrath, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. To continue to monitor and improve the safety of our students on the UCCS campus and off campus clinic sites, students will give feedback on the safety of sites in student

evaluations three times per year.

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