Student Safety Procedures

Safety Concern Occurs

Is Concern Emergent/Non-Emergent?

Emergent

Call 911, Get to safe location

If evaluation is refused at any level, student may no longer be permitted to continue classes.

Non-Emergent

Submit Concern to Dr. Robinson, Dr. CCR, or Mike Kolhoff

Concern will be evaluated

Student may be referred to Veridian or KUMC for professional consult

Student of Concern will be brought in for consult with faculty
When to submit a student concern:

When a student:

- Exhibits gestures that appear bizarre, threatening, or dangerous.
- Habitually demands services beyond the scope and mission of the office or department or after regular hours of service.
- Exhibits an outburst of disturbing behavior in the classroom or other campus location.
- Makes threats involving guns, other weapons, or explosive devices either verbally or in writing (including electronic, social networks).
- Behavior triggers reports of “Stalking.”
- Acts in a manner or makes statements that are interpreted as posing a threat of violence.
- Becomes extremely angry and unleashes a loud and abusive verbal attack (perhaps regarding a disappointing grade).
- Submits a “dark” or otherwise disturbing passage in written work.

*IF ANY OF THESE CONCERNS SEEM AS THOUGH THE ACTION WILL BE DANGEROUS AND IMMEDIATE, IT IS CONSIDERED EMERGENT. PLEASE CONTACT 911 IMMEDIATELY, AND GET TO A SAFE AREA AWAY FROM THE TROUBLED STUDENT.

The Salina Concerns Committee:

Is a group of professionals from our Campus committed to assisting KUSoM-Salina students, faculty, and staff, who have concerns about a specific student’s behaviors of concern, and address concerns for safety which are directly related to a student’s behavior.

They encourage early detection and reporting of potentially dangerous behavior, assist in the assessment of reported disturbing student behavior, provide consultation regarding behaviors of concern, and delegate which cases will need further evaluation by Veridian Behavioral Health or KUMC Psychiatrist.

Team Purpose:

Prevention

- Encourage the prompt reporting of behaviors to the SCC
- Encourage early detection of individuals who may be experiencing difficulty coping with their environment or life circumstances

Education

- Provide information to faculty, staff, and students regarding the indicators of potentially dangerous or troublesome behaviors
- Inform faculty, staff, and students of existing and relevant policies and protocols which provide a course of action to address various alleged behaviors.
Assessment

- Respond to concerns regarding a student’s observed or reported behavior.
- Investigate circumstances surrounding the reported concerns.
- Determine the student’s need for further assessment of dangerousness to self or others.
- Recommend enforcement or education options that may be selected by University Officials in response to specific and verified student behaviors.

Team Members of Salina Concerns Committee:

Dr. Michael Robinson
Dr. William Cathcart-Rake
Michael Kollhoff

Contact Information:
Emergent cases (Imminent Danger) – 911
Non-Emergent Cases – Contact member of Salina Concerns Committee
  1. Dr. Robinson – 785-822-0407
  2. Dr. Cathcart-Rake – 785-822-0403
  3. Mike Kollhoff – 785-822-0405