

## **10:01:01:00 Campus Police & Security**

### **Purpose:**

Dyersburg State Community College (DSCC) is committed to the welfare of its community, students, faculty, staff, and visitors. Accordingly, several policies have been established in an effort to make the DSCC campus and centers as safe and secure as possible.

### **Scope:**

This policy specifies general procedures regarding campus security. Policies dealing with more specific situations in regards to campus security are as follows:

- 10:01:02:00 Safety and Security of Facilities and Property
- 10:02:01:00 Emergencies & Threats to the College Community
- 10:02:02:00 Illness or Injury
- 10:02:03:00 Alcohol, Illegal drugs, and Other Controlled Substances
- 10:02:04:00 Workplace Safety Policy
- 10:02:05:00 Disposal of Hazardous Waste
- 10:03:01:00 Reporting Criminal Offenses
- 10:03:02:00 Reporting Suspicious Activity
- 10:03:03:00 Security Awareness
- 10:03:04:00 Campus Security Report
- 10:04:01:00 Response to Subpoenas & Search Warrants

### **Policy:**

DSCC has established several systems by which a student, faculty or staff member, or visitor to the college can obtain help in time of a crisis or emergency.

Emergency contact phone numbers:  
For emergencies dial 911.

Dyersburg Campus 1510 Lake Rd., Dyersburg, Tennessee 38024

- Call Campus Police & Security at (731) 589-3250

Jimmy Naifeh Center at Tipton County 3149 Hwy 51 S. Covington TN 38019

- Call Campus Police & Security at (901) 201-1344

Henry County Center 55 Jones Bend Rd Ext, Paris, TN 38242.

- Call Campus Security at (731) 407-7300

DSCC Campus Police & Security Officers:

DSCC Campus Police & Security officers have the authority to ask persons for identification and to determine whether individuals have lawful business at DSCC campus locations. Campus Police & Security officers have the authority to issue parking

tickets, which are billed to financial accounts of students, faculty, and staff. Campus Police Officers are commissioned Officers who are Tennessee Peace Officer Standards & Training (POST) certified. Campus Police Officers do carry weapons and have the authority, under applicable Tennessee laws, to arrest or detain any person on a DSCC campus or at a Center. However, Campus Security Officers are non-commissioned, do not carry weapons and do not have any authority, under applicable Tennessee laws, to arrest or detain any person on a DSCC campus or at a Center.

Criminal incidents are reported to Campus Police & Security who will refer the incident to the local police who have jurisdiction over that campus location. The Campus Chief of Police, Campus Police & Security Officers, and campus administrators maintain a highly professional working relationship with local law enforcement agencies at each location. DSCC strongly encourages its Campus Security Authorities (CSA) to inform all crime victims and witnesses of the procedures to report crimes on a voluntary, confidential basis to Campus Police & Security, as well as local pastoral and professional counselors. Prompt reporting will assure timely warning notices on campus and timely disclosure of crime statistics included in the annual disclosure of crime statistics.

Campus Security Authorities: Campus Security Authorities include campus security and most DSCC officials and are identified below:

President	731/286-3301
Assistant Vice President for Academic Affairs and Student Success	731/286-3322
Vice President for Finance and Administrative Services	731/286-3307
Vice President for Information Technology & Facilities Management	731/286-3338
Vice President for External Affairs	731/286-3346
Director of Administrative Services	731/286-3358
Director of Information Technology	731/286-33 66
Director of Distance Education & Instructional Development	731/286-32 43
Director of Financial Aid	731/286-3238
Director of Henry County Center	731/ 407-7300
Director of Human Resources	731/286-3316
Director of Internal Audit	731/286-3237
Director of Physical Plant	731/286-3250
Director of Public Information/Alumni Coordinator	731/286-3347

Dean of Jimmy Naifeh Center	901/475-3100
Dean of Student Services	731/286-3234
Assistant Dean of Student Services	731/286-3359
Dean of Learning Resource Center	731/286-3261
Dean of Health Sciences	731/286-3292
Student Life Coordinator	731/286-3252
Athletic Director	731/286-3259
Business & Student Financial Services Manager	731/286-3308
Counselor/ADA Coordinator/Student Disability Services	731/286-3242
Comptroller	731/286-3352
DSCC Campus Police & Security – Dyersburg campus	731-589-3250
DSCC Campus Police & Security – Jimmy Naifeh Center	901-201-1344

**Compliance:**

Faculty, staff and students are required to report crimes to DSCC Campus Police & Security in all matters and are encouraged to employ good safety and security habits.

**Definitions:**

**Revision History:**

Policy written February 2007. Policy revised September 2012; approved by Administrative Council on 4/25/2024.