

CS5-5.1.

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CS5: Increase campus safety, awareness, and training at all locations to prepare employees and students in case of emergencies.

Objective 5.1 Improve and expand the use of training methodologies for campus safety, awareness and emergency preparedness.

	Timeline: Please select which academic year(s) the action steps will be executed:			Brief narrative for action steps addressed in 2022-23: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Describe your approach/priorities/plans for Year 1;</li> <li>What are the challenges and opportunities?</li> <li>What questions do you have that would be helpful to think through with the EPC?</li> </ul>
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Hold trainings related to campus safety and awareness.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	The Police Department offered the following classes in 22/23; First Aid for Disaster Response (FADR), First Aid, CPR/AED training, Active Killer training.
Require viewing emergency preparedness video (video in development).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Due to contractual issues we were not able to require viewing. The emergency video was created in 2022 and put on ProLearning for viewing in January 2023. 64 staff members have clicked on complete to signify they watched the video. 82 have started or completed it. This video explains emergency provision cabinets, how to call police, what do do in an emegency, and how to utilize the new AED's.
Reconstitute emergency preparedness workgroup to develop and execute emergency evacuation drill. (Fire, Shakeout).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	This workgroup met in 2022, and recommendations were made. We held an entire campus evacuation for the Great Shakeout in 2022.
Identify locations for AED and Emergency Cabinets on both campuses.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	AED cabinets were installed and outfitted with 60 brand new AED's throughout both campuses. These align with the emergency preparedness video.
Update Emergency Guidelines Handbook.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	The handbook was rewritten in 2023. The handbooks have been printed and installation will begin Spring/Summer of 2023.
Ensure training methodologies and materials are informed by activities in Equity Goal.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	We have published directions for the AED in Spanish and attached it to the AED, and the AED is equipped to speak in Spanish. We look for opportunities to ensure equity is kept in mind for emergency preparedness.

CS5-5.2. Objective 5.2 Improve and expand college emergency alert systems.

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Improve capabilities to utilize information technology telecommunications to communicate with the College community, including mobile devices, in case of emergency.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Wifi access points have been added throughout both campuses to increase bandwidth and connectivity. Cell phones previously with poor coverage will be able to operate in open spaces on campus if connected to wifi. Parking lots are now all connected. The emergency preparedness video is also available for students to watch as it is on Canvas. Community members can also view the video on the COM website under "Police" We plan on utilizing MERA radios for M and O staff once the system is online. These radios will allow M and O to talk on a similar channel to police, and be accessible on both campuses and enroute between them for emergency and non emergency situations. Outside phones have been added to both campuses in multiple locaitons to increase communication capability for those without working cell phones.
ALERTUS Beacons are installed and operational on campus.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	26 Beacons have been installed throughout both campuses. These are scalable. The beacons will alert those via text, sight, sound and verbal messages.
Pilot or plan for ALTERUS Panic Button in strategic areas on both campuses. Evaluate need for placement of buttons in locations around campus.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	We have run into technological challenges with this project. Although Alertus states the emergency buttons will work, IT has not been successful. More meetings are necessary to resolve this. The idea is to add them to areas in need, such as counseling and cashiers.

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