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**Campus Safety Report  
Clatsop Community College  
2015 Crime Statistics  
(published October 1, 2016)**

Clatsop Community College (CCC) is a public, two-year co-educational institution serving northwest Oregon and southwest Washington since 1958. With three campus centers, Lexington Avenue campus, Marine and Environmental Research Training Station (MERTS) and South County Center in Seaside, the College serves approximately 5,300 full-, part-time and continuing education students.

This report complies with the requirements of the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act (Clery Act), and the Violence Against Women Reauthorization Act (VAWA). This report explains how the College reports and handles crime and emergency situations on or near College property and describes prevention and awareness programs. The report is compiled by the Vice President, Finance & Operations from information obtained from the Physical Plant, the office primarily responsible for receiving notices of crimes and incidents on campus, Vice President, Academic & Student Affairs office, Dean of Students and Enrollment, and the Human Resources office. Local police agencies are requested, at least once annually, to provide crime statistics for the areas on and adjacent to College properties. CrimeReports.com is reviewed and possible incidents are included in the police request.

CCC is committed to providing a safe and secure environment for students, staff, and guests. Safety is a cooperative effort, and responsibility for the safety of yourself and others is encouraged. We hope you will read this information carefully and use it to make CCC a safe campus to learn and work.

### **SECURITY/LAW ENFORCEMENT**

The college Physical Plant staff is responsible for responding to emergency incidents, building alarms and/or reported safety hazards, to assess conditions and make contact with the appropriate emergency responders as required. Law enforcement duties are the responsibility of the Astoria Police Department for the Lexington Avenue and MERTS campuses and the Seaside Police Department for South County Center.

For law enforcement services and/or fire and life safety issues call 911 (9-911 on campus phones).

If you need assistance from campus services call the following numbers:

Physical Plant – Monday through Friday (regular business hours) – 503-791-3320 or 503-338-2489

Monday through Friday (after 5 pm and on weekends) – 503-791-3320

Evening Administrator – 503-791-3320

### **REPORTING CRIMES**

Prompt reporting of crimes is encouraged. To report a crime in progress or another type of emergency occurring on the Lexington Avenue campus or any of its satellite locations, call 9-911 from any campus phone. Clatsop County emergency dispatchers are available 24 hours a day, and will send the appropriate law enforcement or emergency personnel to all reported criminal, fire or ambulance calls. Any incidents involving criminal activity occurring on or around campus should be reported to the police.

Emergency: Police, Fire or Ambulance – 9-911 from campus phones

Non-emergency: Astoria Police Department – 503-325-4411

Seaside Police Department – 503-738-6311

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If you observe a crime or are a victim of a crime, report the following: (a) type of incident, (b) location of incident, (c) description of the person or person's clothing and physical features, (d) the person's direction of travel and description of any vehicle, (e) date and time of incident. **Report all crime immediately!**

Incidents should also be reported Vice President, Finance & Operations, (503-338-2421, [jzahn@clatsopcc.edu](mailto:jzahn@clatsopcc.edu)), who is responsible for ensuring the collection of crime reports. A form for reporting incidents can be found on the college web page, under the About CCC tab, in the Student Consumer Information – Safety Report section.

(<https://www.clatsopcc.edu/about-ccc/student-consumer-information/safety-report>)

CCC does not currently have procedures for confidentially reporting crimes on a voluntary, confidential basis for inclusion in the annual disclosure of crime statistics. Neither does the college have a formal policy that encourages counselors to inform the persons they are counseling to report crimes on a voluntary and confidential basis.

## **CAMPUS FACILITIES**

Most campus facilities are accessible to the college community and visitors 7 am to 10 pm, Monday through Friday and varied hours on weekends depending on scheduled classes. MERTS and South County Center are open 8 to 5 pm, Monday through Friday. Academic buildings are kept open according to the academic schedule during the week and on weekends. Persons in buildings without proper ID and/or authorization may be escorted from the buildings. Refusal to leave the premises on request may initiate a citation or arrest for criminal trespass.

## **DRUGS AND ALCOHOL**

CCC complies with all state and federal laws pertaining to possession and sale of controlled substances and alcohol. Possession or use of illegal drugs is forbidden on College owned or controlled property and at all college-sponsored events. Sale and consumption of alcohol is permitted on College owned or controlled property and at college-sponsored events with the pre-approval of the Vice President, Finance & Operations and documentation of proper licensing requirements. All violations of drug or alcohol laws will be reported immediately to law enforcement. CCC provides counseling and referrals for students and staff experiencing problems resulting from drug and alcohol use.

To receive confidential counseling or referrals to outside counseling agencies and specialists:  
Student Services/Counseling Services – 503-338-2378  
Human Resources/Affirmative Action Officer – 503-338-2450

## **WEAPONS ON CAMPUS**

Possession, use or threatened use of firearms, ammunition, dangerous chemicals, weapons or destructive devices is not allowed on property owned or controlled by CCC or at college-sponsored events, except as expressly authorized by state law. All weapons violations will be reported immediately to law enforcement.

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**CAMPUS CRIME STATISTICS**

The following are campus crime statistics for CCC Lexington Avenue campus (On-Campus), the public sidewalks and streets immediately adjacent to the Lexington campus (Public Property), MERTS campus and South County Center (Non-Campus) for the calendar years 2013, 2014, and 2015.

CCC monitors, through local police agencies, criminal activity involved in off campus student organization and college events. The Seaside and Astoria police departments responded to our request for statistics. A website (CrimeReports.com) is available to search for crime statistics throughout the United States. The Facilities Director, the Dean of Student Affairs and the Director, Human Resources also provide information regarding disciplinary referrals. Statistics must be disclosed separately for each of the four general categories (underscored & italicized). This means that when an incident meets the definitions in more than one of these categories, it must be reported in each category. Statistics include the number of all reported offenses, without regard to the findings of a court, coroner or jury, or the decision of a prosecutor.

A crime may be classified as unfounded only after a full investigation by sworn or commissioned law enforcement personnel and, for Clery Act purposes only, if sworn or commissioned law enforcement personnel make a formal determination that the report is false or baseless. A crime report cannot be designated unfounded merely because the investigation failed to prove that the crime occurred; this would be an inconclusive or unsubstantiated investigation.

	2013			2014			2015		
	On-Campus	Public Prop	Non-Campus	On-Campus	Public Prop	Non-Campus	On-Campus	Public Prop	Non-Campus
<b><u>CRIMINAL OFFENSES</u></b>									
<b>CRIMINAL HOMICIDE</b>									
Murder and Non-negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Manslaughter by Negligence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>SEXUAL ASSAULT (Also a VAWA Offense but is reported here)</b>									
Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fondling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Incest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Statutory Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burglary	1	0	1	3	0	2	2	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0	0	1*	0	0	0	0	0
Arson	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0

\*unfounded

<b><u>HATE CRIMES</u></b> <b><u>(categories of bias: race, religion, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, ethnicity, national origin, or disability)</u></b>									
Murder and Non-negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual Assault	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burglary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Larceny-Theft	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simple Assault	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Intimidation	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Destruction/Damage/ Vandalism of Property	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

missed in 2014

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	2013			2014			2015		
	On-Campus	Public Prop	Non-Campus	On-Campus	Public Prop	Non-Campus	On-Campus	Public Prop	Non-Campus
<b><u>VAWA OFFENSES</u></b>									
Dating Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Domestic Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Stalking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

<b><u>ARREST / DISCIPLINARY REFERRAL</u></b>									
Illegal Weapon Possession	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Drug Laws	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liquor Laws	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### **CAMPUS SEX CRIMES PREVENTION ACT**

This act requires sex offenders who must register under state law to provide notice of enrollment or employment at any institution of higher education (IHE) in that state where the offender resides, as well as notice of each change of enrollment or employment status at the IHE. Requests for sex offender information by students, prospective students, faculty, administrators, etc., should be directed to the Oregon State Police Sex Offender Registration Unit at 503-934-1258 or [sexoffendor.questions@state.or.us](mailto:sexoffendor.questions@state.or.us).

### **SEXUAL ASSAULT, DATING OR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, STALKING**

Rape, sexual assault, physical abuse, forced or unwanted sexual contact of any kind or threat of such contact, or conduct that would cause a person to fear for their safety or the safety of others or suffer substantial emotional distress, is a crime. Sexual contact shall be considered unwanted or without consent if no clear consent is freely given or if it is inflicted upon a person who is unconscious or otherwise without the physical or mental capacity to consent. If sexual contact is inflicted on someone who is intoxicated or impaired in the exercise of their judgment by alcohol or drugs, it may be considered without consent.

Victims of rape, acquaintance rape or other sex offenses are encouraged to first get medical attention from the nearest hospital for both medical care and preservation of evidence. Incidents should also be reported to the appropriate police agency.

The following are contact number of departments or persons who can provide assistance if you are a victim of sexual assault, such as rape. We encourage everyone to report sexual offenses immediately.

To file a criminal complaint or to report problems related to sexual assault contact:

Astoria Police Department – 503-325-4411

Clatsop County Sheriff – 503-325-2061

Seaside Police Department – 503-738-6311

Victims are also encouraged to contact and inform the appropriate campus authorities who will assist the victim in notifying authorities, if requested:

Dean of Student and Enrollment Management – 503-338-2326

Director of Human Resources/Affirmative Action Officer – 503-338-2450

Student Services/Counseling Services – 503-338-2378

Confidential short-term counseling services are available for students from Student Services/Counseling Services. Staff or faculty may obtain short-term counseling provided through the Employee Assistance Program (EAP). The Harbor

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provides comprehensive assistance through its 24-hour crisis line (503-325-5735), peer counseling and crisis response. The Harbor's services also include medical and legal advocacy. If victims of alleged sexual offenses desire to change their academic situation subsequent to alleged sexual incidents, assistance will be provided to the extent that other options are reasonably available.

To receive confidential counseling or referrals to outside counseling agencies and specialists:

Student Services/Counseling Services – 503-338-2378

Human Resources/Affirmative Action Officer – 503-338-2450

Students and staff who violate these regulations are subject to disciplinary action up to, and including, termination or expulsion. The College has published a student discipline and complaint procedure, available in the Student Services Office and online (<http://www.clatsopcc.edu/student-resources/student-complaint-resolution-procedures>) that outlines the process for filing complaints and disciplinary action that will be taken. The College also has a policy outlining the same procedures for employees that is available in the Human Resources office.

## **SEXUAL HARASSMENT**

To report sexual harassment in the classroom or the work place or to file a complaint, contact the Director of Human Resources/Affirmative Action Officer at 503-338-2450.

## **CRIME PREVENTION-SECURITY INFORMATION**

Campus Security Act information is provided on the CCC website (<http://www.clatsopcc.edu/about-ccc/student-consumer-information/safety-report>) in order to provide all students with information they need to be safe students. The address for the web site is printed in the Student Guide to CCC which is distributed at the time of registration.

**Timely Notification:** Notices regarding major crimes or safety and security concerns will be sent out as a news bulletin on the college's e-mail system, web page, through Bandit Alerts (mass notification available from home page), and/or posted at entrances to buildings.

**Building Security:** The maintenance staff routinely checks facilities and locks/unlocks doors at predetermined times. Some faculty and staff are authorized keys to allow after-hours access to campus facilities.

**Crime Prevention and Awareness Education:** Dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking prevention are covered during the College's New Student Orientation for all students. Crime prevention information is included in the New Student Handbook (Campus Safety/Security) that is given to all new students at the time of New Student Orientation, is available throughout the year from Student Services, and is available on the College web site.

(<https://www.clatsopcc.edu/student-resources/student-issues-and-handbook>) Women's Studies and Human Development courses include prevention topics, individual projects, and an annual campus-wide and community campaign. Programs are offered through The Harbor that provides educational information, community education and crisis services involving sexual assault. The campus diversity committee, Isms, Obias and Us (IOU) supports and helps publicize annual Women's Studies campaigns, participates in The Harbor's annual Sexual Assault Awareness month activities, and is represented on the Lower Columbia Diversity Project. Additional information is sent throughout the year through the student newspaper and the college's e-mail system.

**Facilities Maintenance:** Maintenance staff is responsible for keeping the facilities, parking lots, walkways and grounds safe and well lit. All issues associated with safety and security of the buildings and grounds are sent to maintenance so that they may be addressed in a timely manner. Concerns about building and grounds safety should be directed to the Director of Facilities (503-338-2489) or Vice President, Finance & Operations (503-338-2421).

**Safe Escorts:** The Physical Plant department is available to provide safe escorts to staff and students. To request a safe escort call 9-503-791-3320, from any campus phone.

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**EMERGENCY RESPONSE AND EVACUATION PROCEDURES**

The College is committed to providing a safe and secure environment for its students and staff. In the case of an emergency or necessary evacuation, the Vice President, Finance & Operations will have the authority to declare a state of emergency, but in all cases, city, county, and state emergency response personnel will have ultimate authority. If required, the Vice President, Finance & Operations will contact members of the Emergency Response Team (ERT) to assist with identifying the emergency and its impact, deciding the necessary level of response, exercising control over emergency operations, authorizing the evacuation and/or closing of College facilities, and coordinating the release of all official information to the campus and the public. Notification may be through e-mail, Bandit Alerts, sirens and strobes, phone intercom announcements, or postings on campus entries and exits.

The College typically schedules two evacuation drills during the year – one announced drill in the fall term and one unannounced drill during the spring term. The results of these drills will be sent to the campus community.

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**Clatsop Community College is an affirmative action, equal opportunity institution.**

**Non-Discrimination**

It is the policy of Clatsop Community College that there will be no discrimination or harassment on the grounds of race, color, gender, marital status, religion, national origin, age, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression or disability in any educational programs, activities, or employment. Questions or complaints should be directed to Leslie Lipe, Affirmative Action/Gender Equity (Title IX) Officer in Towler Hall, Suite 110, 503-338-2450; TDD 503-338-2468. The Title II/Section 504 Coordinator, Lisa Deneen, is located in Towler Hall Room 312B, 503-338-2474.

**Declaración de no-discriminación**

Es la política de Clatsop Community College que no habrá ningún tipo de discriminación o acoso por razón de raza, color, género, estado civil, religión, origen nacional, edad, orientación sexual, identidad de género o expresión discapacidad en los programas educativos, actividades o en la contratación. Preguntas o quejas deben ser dirigidas al Leslie Lipe, Oficial de Acción Afirmativa / Título IX localizado en la Towler Hall número 110, número de teléfono 503-338-2450, TDD (discapacidad auditiva) 503-338-2468. El Coordinador de la Título II/Sección 504, Lisa Deneen, se encuentra en Towler Hall numero 312B, número de teléfono 503-338-2474. Para ADA y otras peticiones de servicios llame al 503-338-2474 o para TDD (discapacidad auditiva) 503-338-2468.#

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