Campus Safety

University Police
evacuation contact numbers - 911 from any campus phone and
(303) 724-4444 from any cell phone
12454 E 19th Place, Building 407
Aurora, CO 80045

Phone Numbers
303-724-2000 Police Department Main Number
303-724-4999 Emergency Management or
emergencymanagement@cuanschutz.edu
303-724-0800 Compliment/Complaint Line
303-724-0399 Security Badging Office or
security.badgeoffice@ucdenver.edu

How to Report a Crime
Under Colorado Law, "It is the duty of every person who has reasonable
grounds to believe that a crime has been committed to report promptly
the suspected crime to law enforcement authorities." C.R.S. 18-8-115

When on the CU Anschutz Medical Campus, crimes should be reported
to the University Police Department. Crime reports can be made at any
time. University Police services are available 24 hours a day, seven days
a week. Priority is given to reports of incidents that threaten the life or
safety of people, the security of property and the peace of the campus
community. For immediate, direct access call 911 from any campus
phone for emergencies. Cell phones and off-campus calls dial (303)
724-4444.

Call the University Police Department if:
- You witness someone committing a crime
- You need to report an old crime
- You see fire or smell smoke
- You think you observe a drunken driver
- You have knowledge of a chemical spill
- Someone is injured or ill
- You see anyone or anything suspicious

Anonymous and Confidential
The University Police Department maintains an anonymous compliment/
complaint phone line. Information left on this voice messaging system
will be investigated and acted upon as the information provided allows.
The Chief of Police/designee reviews the messages approximately 1-2
times per week. To leave a message call (303) 724-0800.

To contact the University Police Department by email for a response in
1-2 business days, send to university.police@ucdenver.edu.

If you have a concern that you want to share you can also report it to
Case Management.

Ethics Line: (800) 677-5590 or https://secure.ethicspoint.com/domain/en/default_reporter.asp • The University’s Ethics Hotline allows
individuals to anonymously report concerns involving a possible violation
of law, regulation or policy. All university employees who act in good faith
in reporting known or suspected violations of law or university policy are
protected from retaliation.

Crimes reported to these sources will assist the university in keeping
accurate records regarding the number of incidents involving students,
determine where there is a pattern of crime and alert the campus
community to any potential dancer. Reports filed in this manner are
counted and disclosed in the annual crime statistics for the university;
however, no identifying information is reported by these sources.

Blue Light Poles
There are emergency "Blue Light" call stations located in or near parking
areas and on pedestrian pathways. These emergency call stations
may be used to report crimes in progress, suspicious persons, medical
emergencies, or to request personal safety assistance. Pressing the
call button on the emergency call station initiates a direct call to the
University Police Emergency Communications Center.

Activation of the phone line also activates the blue light strobe to
to help police locate you more quickly. These phones may be used in
emergencies or to request other assistance. Many of these "Blue Light
Poles" are also Wi-Fi hot spots. Students, faculty and staff are asked to
take a moment when navigating the campus, to note the location of the
"Blue Light" call stations.

Red Phones
"Red Phones" are on hallway walls, usually near restrooms and inside
elevators within the buildings on the CU Anschutz Medical Campus. Dial
911 from these phones for emergency police response.

On the CU Anschutz Medical Campus, emergency call boxes are located
in elevators in each building and at the entrances of most buildings.

Campus Phones
Campus phones may also be located in yellow boxes and in other
locations. These phones (to include the red phones) may be used to
make local calls.

Emergency Notification System
Communication plays a critical role before, during, and after any
emergency or disaster. The University of Colorado Anschutz Medical
Campus Emergency Notification System provides campus emergency
alerts via text and or e-mail when conditions develop on or near the
Anschutz Medical Campus, which pose an imminent threat of danger to
the Campus Community. Examples may include:

- Physical plant issues (e.g., natural gas leak, etc.)
- Inclement weather closures or delays
- Campus safety threats (e.g., robbery, active harmer, bomb threat, etc.)
- Hazmat situations

Email: All University of Colorado Denver | Anschutz Medical Campus
students, faculty and staff are automatically registered to receive
emergency notifications to the University-issued email address. You may
not opt out of this.

Desktop "Pop-up": University-owned desktop/laptop/tablets connected to
the University domain will receive a screen "pop-up" alert.

Text: Students, faculty and staff may register their personal cell phone
number to receive emergency notifications by text through the CU
Denver portal. In an effort to keep information current during an evolving
situation, email and text emergency notifications will be brief and will
direct the reader to the University of Colorado Denver | Anschutz Medical
Campus toll-free emergency information line at (877) 463-6070 or online at www.ucdenver.edu/alerts.

Social media: Emergency notifications also post to CU Police Department and Emergency Management Division social media pages.

- Facebook: CU Denver Police and CU Denver Emergency Management
- Twitter: @CUDen_AMC_PD and @CUDenverEMD

Police Services

- SafeRide Shuttle Service: University Police will gladly provide escorts to any of the parking lots and nearby streets, within a specified radius of the campus, upon request, free of charge. This service operates during the hours of darkness.
- Motorist Assistance: University Police personnel can assist with jump starting your vehicle. This service is free and is available 24 hours a day. We do not provide an unlocking service, but have referral information available.
- Lost and Found: Most items of clothing, personal keys, and items considered to be of little monetary value are turned in to Facilities Management. The Facilities Management Dispatch can be reached via phone at 303-724-1777. Items of greater value (e.g. cell phone, computer, wallet, access badges/ID badge) are processed by University Police, who can be contacted at 303-724-4444.
- Fingerprinting: The state selected two vendors to provide sites, including mobile locations, across Colorado where applicants can obtain their electronic fingerprints. The fingerprints will be submitted directly to the Colorado Bureau of Investigation (CBI) for processing. Please visit the University Police website (https://www.cuanschutz.edu/police/services/fingerprinting/) for current vendor information.
- Bicycle Registration: Protect your investment. Lock your bike with a good U-type lock. Don’t forget to register your bike with University Police online at cuanschutz.edu/police/services/bicycle-registration (https://www.cuanschutz.edu/police/services/bicycle-registration/). Report suspicious activity near bike racks.

Police Reports

The University Police Department complies with the Colorado Open Records Act (CORA) CRS 24-72-201 to 206, and the Colorado Criminal Justice Records Act (CCJRA) CRS 24-72-301 to 309, when releasing records. Inspection or release of certain records may be denied per CRS 24-72-305.

By submitting a request online, you affirm the criminal justice records obtained from the University Police Department will not be used for the direct solicitation of business for pecuniary gain.

CRS 24-72-305.5 (1)
Records of official actions and criminal justice records and the names, addresses, telephone numbers, and other information in such records shall not be used by any person for the purpose of soliciting business for pecuniary gain. The official custodian shall deny any person access to records of official actions and criminal justice records unless such person signs a statement which affirms that such records shall not be used for the direct solicitation of business for pecuniary gain.

Copies of University of Colorado Denver Police Department reports (e.g. for insurance purposes) are available through University Police Department Records. There is a charge of $7 (up to 10 pages; $2.25 for additional pages more than ten) for this service. Report request forms are available at cuanschutz.edu/police/services/request-a-copy-of-a-police-report (https://www.cuanschutz.edu/police/services/request-a-copy-of-a-police-report/).
- For more information, call (303) 724-0261

The Clery Act

The Jean Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy was signed into law in 1990. The Federal law, commonly known as the "Clery Act" required institutions of higher learning to disclose certain timely and annual information about campus crime and security policies. All post-secondary public and private institutions participating in Federal student aid programs must adhere to these regulations.

The Clery Act (https://www.cuanschutz.edu/police/clery-act/) was named after Jeanne Clery who was raped and murdered in her dorm room by a fellow students on April 5, 1986. Her parents championed the act in her memory. In 2013, the Clery Act was expanded to include requirements concerning sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence and stalking. In compliance with this act, the University Police Department publishes an Annual Security Report.

The university of Colorado’s Annual Security and Annual Fire Safety Report includes statistics for the previous three years for reported crimes that occurred on campus, in certain off-campus buildings owned or controlled by the University, and on public property within or immediately adjacent to and accessible from the campus.

The report also includes institutional policies concerning campus security, such as those concerning alcohol and rug use, crime prevention, the reporting of crimes, sexual assault, and other matters. This report, and all Clery Resources, may be viewed online at cuanschutz.edu/police/clery-act (https://www.cuanschutz.edu/police/clery-act/).

Electronic Security

All CU Students, faculty, staff, affiliates, long-term and contractors are required to display their Access Control Badge while on the campus. The Security Badging Office is located in the Fitzsimons Building. The Access Control Badge is programmed to allow admittance to secured areas to which you have been authorized. all access is recorded by name for accountability. Do not share your access privileges with others. Please contact the Electronic Security Division for more information.

The Electronic Security Division is responsible for equipping all exterior doors to all buildings with access control devices and/or door position monitoring; all buildings have, by default, at least one card-controlled door in its secure perimeter. The Division also installs intrusion alarms, panic devices, CCTV monitoring and research equipment monitoring (i.e. freezers, incubators) for research laboratories and other restricted zones adjacent to public areas within the same building.

Please observe the following electronic security rules:

- Doors may not be propped open
- All electronic locking hardware should not be manipulated in a way to circumvent security
- Children and unescorted visitors must not be admitted entrance to secure and/or restricted lab areas

The University’s electronic security system is an important element in providing a safe and secure environment for education, research and patient care. Failure to comply with alarm or access requirements, or any attempt to circumvent the electronic security system or to violate the access control policy will not be tolerated. The Electronic Security
Division has tracking software that records access to doors. When the cause of the alarm can be attributed to an intentional act designed to circumvent the intent of the security system, the Chief of Police will be notified. In the event mitigating factors are not provided that justify, in the opinion of the Chief of Police, the security compromise, a fee can be levied against the appropriate school for each violation. These fees are to offset the cost of dispatching the alarm, initial police response and investigation, monitoring and resetting of the intentional security violation, follow up by the Chief of Police and the need to track the violation.

In the event the security system has sustained damage from such an act, the cost of repair also will be charged to the school/college or program.

Electronic Security Division: (303) 724-0014
Security Badging Office: (303) 724-0399