



LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY

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TO: Members of the Lawrence Community

The enclosed policy statements and related materials have been developed and are being provided to all faculty, staff, and students in response to the requirements of both the federal Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act, which became effective October 1, 1990, and the Crime Awareness and Campus Security Act of 1990, which became effective August 1, 1991, and was amended as part of the reauthorized Higher Education Act in 2008.

The first act applies to the use of illegal controlled substances and alcohol by students and employees and, as a result, places responsibility on all members of the Lawrence community to avoid the use of illegal drugs and to avoid the illegal and irresponsible use of alcohol. For those who have abuse problems and seek help, they will be met with encouragement and support. Those who choose to violate the policy or the law run the risk of serious sanctions.

The second act requires the annual publication of campus security policies. Lawrence has, for many years, practiced good security procedures for the protection of the campus community. The enclosed policies contain information on the use of campus facilities, sexual assault prevention and response policies, campus security services and relationships with the Appleton Police Department, and informational/awareness programming. Most importantly, the policies describe the communications network to be used when reporting unusual activities/incidents. In addition, a report of annual crime statistics is included as part of the policy statement.

I urge each of you to become familiar with the enclosed policies for your own benefit and for the benefit of the Lawrence community.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jill Beck".

Jill Beck, Ph.D.
President

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