

HCC Normal Campus Safety Video Transcription

[Narrator] [00:01]

Welcome to Heartland Community College.

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Sometimes tragic things happen on campuses, as much as we hate it.

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We hope if an emergency ever occurs at HCC, this video will help you know exactly what

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to do, because we want you to stay safe.

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If you observe an active threat, or a medical crisis, dial 9-1-1.

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Emergency Code Blue phones are available in parking areas.

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They provide an immediate voice and video connection to our public safety team, which

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monitors the campus at all times.

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Public Safety will also respond immediately to situations requiring an AED.

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Heartland's Public Safety desk is located on the first floor of the Student Commons

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Building, just outside the library.

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You can obtain assistance with an emergency

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report suspicious activity or dangerous campus conditions

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file a lost or stolen property report

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or reclaim recovered items

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If you, or someone you know has experienced:

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Sexual assault

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Domestic or dating violence

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Harassment or stalking

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the College has staff members who are trained to help, and respect your privacy.

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You can contact Heartland's Title Nine Coordinator:

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in person

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over the phone

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or by email

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The details you need can be found at heartland.edu/safety

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Heartland is committed to the safety of our College community and the well-being of our

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students.

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268-SAFE is a dedicated hotline for all students and employees to easily refer non-emergency
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concerns to the College's Behavioral Intervention Team.

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The Behavioral Intervention Team's goal is to enhance the safety and security of everyone

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on campus.

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The team reviews information and conducts inquiries to help identify behaviors that

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indicate that someone may be planning to hurt themselves or others.

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In some cases they will make referrals to College or community services.

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Call 268-SAFE if you notice a student or staff member who:

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Exhibits concerning or aberrant behavior

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Shows a drastic change in behavior

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Shows signs of planning self-harm or harming others in the future

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You can also send an e-mail to BIT.Reports@heartland.edu

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This e-mail is only monitored during regular business hours.

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268-SAFE is NOT for emergencies.

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If you feel you are in immediate danger or feel someone else is in immediate danger,

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call 911.

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Information referred to 268-SAFE is confidential when possible.

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Representatives may seek more information from those who report to the line.

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Immediate Action Guides are posted in every room and provide instructions for specific

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campus emergency situations.

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Tornado shelter areas are clearly marked.

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You can also take cover in the lowest level windowless area possible.

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If a fire alarm sounds, faculty and staff will accompany you to the nearest exit.

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You must use the stairs.

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If you're unable to do so, you can summon Rescue Assistance at each landing.

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In an evacuation, everyone must move at least five hundred feet from affected buildings

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and remain there until an all-clear sign is given.

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Each faculty member is required to take role and report missing students to Public Safety.

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Please stay with your group to help make that process swift and accurate.

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Heartland's Normal campus has loudspeakers in and on the outside of every building for

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emergency announcements.

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The College also sends text alerts about campus or severe weather emergencies through HCC

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Alerts.

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Text JOIN to 1-877-200-7477 to sign up.

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And if you have:

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a medical, visual, hearing or mobility concern

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or a condition that could be triggered by loud, unexpected sounds

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you'll also want to enroll in HCCAlerts.access

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That way you'll get texts about things like:

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construction

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painting

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or elevators undergoing maintenance

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Text JOIN ACCESS to 1-877-200-7477 to enroll.

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HCC doesn't charge a fee for either of these text alert services.

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And your phone number and personal information will not be shared.

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Heartland's website, Facebook and Twitter, as well as local television and radio will

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also have information about campus and weather emergencies.

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A twenty mile-per-hour speed limit is enforced on campus.

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Drivers must yield to pedestrians and slow down for buses or delivery vehicles.

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Parking lots are identified by large letters on the light poles.

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Handicapped and motorcycle parking areas are also marked.

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If you park inappropriately it impacts others on campus.

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Your vehicle will be towed.

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And please note that Heartland does not allow use of tobacco, vapes, alcohol, cannabis or

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other drugs on campus and that HCC is a weapon-free college.

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For more detailed information, refer to the student handbook.

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We hope you'll never need most of the information shared in this video.

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If you have questions about what we covered, visit www.heartland.edu./safety