

SALISBURY UNIVERSITY  
2023 ANNUAL FIRE SAFETY REPORT

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future fire safety improvements.

Annually, prior to October 1, current students and employees a  
providing them with a link to this report and notification that the  
Safety Report has been posted on the Salisbury University web  
students and employees may obtain a copy of this report by vis  
the East Campus Complex, calling 410-543-6007 or by accessi

<https://www.salisbury.edu/police/clery->



Physical Plant Trades, Grounds, and Housekeeping personnel are trained annually in fire safety protocols and procedures by EHS. In addition, Physical Plant Trades, Housekeeping and Laboratory personnel are provided training for use of fire extinguishers for incipient fires in their work areas.

Mandatory training of residential staff occurs annually in August and includes a policy and resource manual. This training includes information on proper notification, evacuation procedures, fire drill protocol and assembly area activities, fire protection features of facilities, fire prevention, and conducting fire safety education sessions for residents. Additional in-service training conducted by University Police and/or Environmental Health and Safety may be scheduled as needed.

Resident students receive training from the residential staff at the beginning of each academic year during mandatory residence hall meetings. Students are provided with information on fire safety and are shown the location of pull stations, fire safety equipment and evacuation routes from the building. Special training programs for residents conducted by University Police may be scheduled as needed.

#### SAFETY INSPECTIONS FOR ON-CAMPUS STUDENT HOUSING FACILITIES

Students are required to maintain their room7 0 Td [(CAM)-9 (P)-1 (a)1Tj 0.2 (on)10.6 in tnTn tnn tn6 (n)-6.7 (

- Candles (lit and unlit), incense and potpourri
- Storage of motorcycles, motorbikes and any gasoline engine or gas/oil
- Storage or use of inflammable or explosive liquids or gases with the exception of artist tube paints
- Possession and/or use of fireworks, explosives, firearms and weapons, knives or anything which resembles a weapon
- Use of prohibited electrical appliances, particularly hot-pots, stand-alone microwaves and toaster ovens (see appliance policy below)
- Unsanitary conditions or fire hazards in a room or area
- Flaming alcoholic beverages
- Electric blankets
- Live Christmas trees/decorations
- Halogen, lava, and sun lamps
- Hover boards (excludes University Park)

Electrical Appliances:

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of checking-in during a building evacuation allows emergency personnel to know if anyone may still be in the building. Evacuation routes are posted in each campus building and online at: <http://www.salisbury.edu/administration/administration-and-finance-offices/environmental-safety/floorplans.aspx>.



2020 FIRE STATISTICS FOR ON-





2022 FIRE STATISTICS FOR

RESIDENTIAL FACILITIES	TOTAL FIRES IN EACH FACILITY
CHOPTANK HALL	0
CHESAPEAKE HALL	0
CHESTER HALL	0
DOGWOOD VILLAGE	0
MANOKIN HALL	0
NANTICOKE HALL	0



## PLANS FOR FUTURE IMPROVEMENTS IN FIRE SAFETY:

Over the past several years, many of the residence halls have been upgraded to include voice enabled emergency annunciators and full sprinkler coverage. Of the 12 residence halls, only Dogwood Village does not have a sprinkler system at this time. According to the facility master plan, Dogwood Village will be replaced by a new residence hall in the future. The replacement will have a full sprinkler system and include a voice annunciator system.

In 2015 all smoke detectors were replaced in every University Park apartment. During 2016, 22 water gauges were replaced and Knox boxes were added to each building. During 2020 Chesapeake Hall had new fire panels, fire detectors and pull stations installed. A full time Fire Marshall was hired specific to the University in 2020 to maintain high standards in fire safety.

The University continues to assess and upgrade fire safety equipment as an ongoing process to ensure that all equipment meets National Fire Safety standards. Future improvements will be made as needed as part of the ongoing assessment process.

## ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Additional information is available on the following web sites:

[www.salisbury.edu/police/emergency/fire.aspx](http://www.salisbury.edu/police/emergency/fire.aspx)

[www.salisbury.edu/administration/administration-and-finance-offices/environmental-safety/files/policies/FirePrevPlan.pdf](http://www.salisbury.edu/administration/administration-and-finance-offices/environmental-safety/files/policies/FirePrevPlan.pdf)

## ANNUAL SECURITY REPORT

In addition to this fire safety report, a security report is published and distributed by Salisbury University Police in compliance with The Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act and Drug-Free Campus/Drug-Free Workplace legislation. It contains crime and arrest statistics as well as information about campus policies and practices intended to promote crime awareness, campus safety and security. Annually, prior to October 1, current students and employees are sent an email message providing them with a link to this report and notification that the current edition of the Annual Security Report has been posted on the Salisbury University website. Current or prospective students and employees may obtain a copy of this report by visiting University Police located in the East Campus Complex, calling 410-543-6007 or by accessing the following link:

<https://www.salisbury.edu/police/clery-compliance/Files/Salisbury-University-Annual-Security-Report.pdf>