Community Policing is a direct expression of our mission statement. UMPD's goal is to consistently work towards providing and promoting a safe and healthy learning environment in addition to promoting acceptance of responsibility for one's actions.

Community policing is a philosophy of policing in which officers work closely with the community in developing strategies and partnering with stakeholder to solve problems and proactively address condition that give rise to public safety issues such as crime, social disorder and the fear of crime.

For your Safety and Awareness, UMPD offers diverse services and programs designed to inform and assist the university community about personal safety and the security of their property.

Some of our services include: Safety Escort Service, Blue Light Phone, Watch Order Request, Motor Assistance. (we can change the order of the services)

Our most popular programs include the S.A.F.E Program (Self-defense Awareness Familiarization Exchange), R.A.D. (Rape Aggression Defense), the Bicycle Lock Program and Safety Escort Services.

For more information on UMPD services and programs, please read or print our online flipbook.

For more information or to schedule a group program, please call UM Police Crime Prevention Office at 305-284-1105.
Services

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Safety Escort Services
UM Police personnel will escort any community member from any location on campus to any other on campus, 24 hours-a-day, 365 days-a-year.

Motorist Assistance (MAP)
UMPD provides after hours support for the Parking and Transportation Department’s motorist assistance program MAP. UMPD assists all motorists on the Coral Gable campus who may be stranded due to vehicle problems. Services include unlocking, jumpstarting, flat tire inflation and other minor problems.

Blue Light Phone System
More than 100 Blue Light Telephones are strategically located throughout the Coral Gables Campus. Blue phones can be used to directly contact UM Police during any emergencies or to request safety escort service.

Watch Order
UMPD provides additional patrol attention when requested. UMPD rather prevent a crime, therefore we encourage watch orders request; therefore, departments who may have an increase in crime or suspicious activity, employee separations, unsecure premises due to renovation/remodeling or have other situations in which increased patrol is needed, Once your request is processed we will schedule an officer(s) to conduct more frequent checks of the area during the watch order period. (INTEGRATE EVENTS)

Security Survey
Your department can request a certified Crime Prevention Practitioner, who will conduct a security survey for any department head on campus that requests one.
VIP and Dignitary Protection
If your department or organization is hosting a celebrity well known figure for an event on campus you need may need to coordinate the visit with the police department. Police official will evaluate the visit for risk analysis and threat assessment. Depending on the dignitary the department may need to coordinate with other local, state and federal agencies. For information contact Captain Clusman at 305-284-6666.

Police Services for Events
Many events, because of their size, nature and location, require the presence of additional police officers. Prior to having an event, especially if alcohol will be served or parking and traffic will be affected, call Captain Clusman at 305-284-6666.

Crime Advisories
In the event of any serious crime, UMPD notifies students of what happened, where it happened, why it happened, and what can be done to prevent themselves from being victimized by email and/or Crime Advisory report posted on the UMPD website. If there is an ongoing critical threat to the life safety of anyone on campus, ENN is activated during an emergency, ENN is the university’s officials emergency notification system. For more information, reference Emergency Notification Network (ENN) below or access the Emergency Preparedness website at .The level of notification is determined by the level of threat to life safety.

S T A Y is a personal response when a life threatening event occurs on campus.
S.T.A.Y. is an acronym intended to help community members respond to critical life-safety emergencies, emergency notifications where sheltering is recommended or common sense is involved.

S - Secure your area
T - Take cover, hide, stay out of sight
A - Advise others immediately so they can take steps to protect themselves and await further information
Y - You must take individual responsibility to protect yourself

Department has recommended the “STAY in Place” approach, rather than a campus-wide lockdown, as the best safety practice. Learn more by visiting the STAY Strategy online.

Emergency Notification Network (ENN)
The University of Miami Emergency Notification Network (ENN) is the comprehensive communications solution that allows the University to quickly disseminate an urgent message through multiple communications mediums. If there is a condition which significantly threatens the health and safety of persons on campus or impacts normal campus operations, university officials will warn the campus community using one or more of the previously listed communication methods. Learn more by visiting the ENN webpage at www.miami.edu/prepare.

UMPD Volunteer Partnership
UMPD is an active partnership with the student leadership who runs the Canes Emergency Response Team (CERT) and the with the Butler Center for Volunteer Service.
CERT is a student-composed and led emergency response team at the University of Miami. The CERT team is activated during large-scale disasters affecting the Miami Area as well as a resource for the University of Miami Police Department during non-disaster times.
Safety Matters (Annual Security & Fire Safety Report)
UMPD is responsible for publishing the annual Safety Matters Brochure for the University, which lists all crime statistics and safety programs in accordance with federal laws.

Safety Publications & Brochures
offers a number of online flip book publications & presentations that can be downloaded for your convenience.

Safety Tip (weekly) Email Listserv
Anyone affiliated or not affiliated with the University may sign up to receive weekly safety tip emails.

Ibisnews/ Hurricane Online Safety Tips
Safety tips are put in Ibisnews and the Miami Hurricane Newspaper Online on a bi-weekly basis throughout the fall and spring semesters.

Facebook/ Myspace/ Twitter
Information on safety, programs, events and new initiatives are regularly shared with the University community through various social networking sites. Anyone can join UMPD’s groups.
- Twitter: http://twitter.com/umpolice
- MySpace: http://www.myspace.com/umpolice
- Facebook: http://www.facebook.com and search for “University of Miami Police Department”
Personal Transportation Safety & Awareness
Pedestrian Safety Campaign “Stepping Out”
General advertising and programming that promotes the importance of pedestrian safety in a major urban area. UMPD conducts biweekly Pedestrian Safety Details. A pedestrian safety detail involves officers stopping both pedestrians and drivers and providing them with “stepping out” pamphlets, move over law information and citations if necessary.

Bicycle Lock & Registration Program
Free U-bicycle Locks and Registrations are provided to all bicycle owners by UMPD. To register your bicycle and receive your free bicycle lock simply bring in your bicycle and your cane card to the UM Police ground floor of the Flipse Building. If your bicycle is ever lost, stolen or confiscated for non-compliance with the University bicycle policy, registration will aid UM Police in locating and returning your bicycle.

Non-Secured Bicycle Locking Program
The Non-Secured Bicycle program is designed to secure unsecured bicycles or secured bicycles with an improper lock. The program objective is to have three primary outcomes:

(1) Eliminate the presence of unattended or unsecured bicycles making for fewer “easy targets” for thieves to steal.

(2) Community members will need to contact UMPD to have their bicycle unlocked which will encourage them to secure their bicycle properly in the future.

(3) If during the release process it is discovered that the community member has not been issued a free UMPD U-lock, UMPD will issue them one to make sure they now have the means to properly secure their bicycle.

Abandoned Bicycle Confiscation Program
UMPD enforces an abandoned bicycle confiscation policy, which essentially states that if you leave your bicycle locked on campus for several months without using it, UM Police will tag your bicycle with a notice. The notice says you have 20 days to contact UM Police, or your bicycle will be confiscated. If you do not claim it in 90 days, it becomes property of the University and in most cases donated to charity.
S.A.F.E. /R.A.D./ Alcohol Awareness & Counseling

S.A.F.E. Program (Self-defense Awareness and Familiarization Exchange)
A 1 to 2 hour (WOMEN ONLY) self-defense class that focuses on awareness, risk reduction, and practical physical techniques. The program is taught by SAFE certified instructors several times throughout the semester. There is a nominal $5 per student fee associated with this program to cover the cost of copyrighted publications distributed. There is a lifetime return and practice policy.

R.A.D. Program (Rape Aggression Defense)
A 12 hour (WOMEN ONLY) self-defense class broken up over several days. RAD focuses on awareness, risk reduction and practical physical techniques. RAD certified instructors teach the program several times a semester. The $25 per student fee covers the cost of the printed course material. There is a lifetime return and practice policy.

Alcohol & Substance Abuse Awareness Program
A presentation based program that discusses alcohol use, abuse and general safety. Depending on the actual compound, substance abuse (drug and alcohol) may lead to health problems, social problems, unprotected sex, deaths, motor vehicle accidents, homicides, suicides, physical dependence or psychological addiction.

PIER 21 MIAMI CENTER FOR ALCOHOL AND OTHER DRUG EDUCATION (link to Pier 21 http://www.miami.edu/index.php/student_life/student_services/student_health/pier21/)
‘Canes Resource Officer Program
An initiative that is aimed at promoting both the formal and informal interaction between UM Police Officers and the University community, particularly students. The program assigns one UM Police Officer to one zone section of campus. The assigned officer is responsible for conducting proactive crime prevention initiatives within their assigned zone, as well as being a highly visible presence within their zones on campus. Initiatives can range from: informal discussions with students, to presentations, to contacting victims of crimes, to sting operations aimed at catching thieves in the act.

Campus Outreach Initiatives
Speaking to students about crime prevention is critical in providing current and accurate information about safety matters, preventions and awareness programs. Tabling initiatives are part of our outreach efforts; therefore, we set up informational tables throughout the campus in order to create a greater sense of police presence and promotes safety information that makes our University a safer campus.
Safety Matters (Annual Security)

Safety Publications & Brochures

Safety Tip (weekly) Email Listserv

IBisNews/Hurricane Online Safety Tips

Facebook / Twitter / Myspace
The University of Miami is dedicated to providing a safe and secure environment for all members of the University community who study, research, live, and work at any of its campuses. Each campus has its own department responsible for all safety and security on that property. The Coral Gables campus is served by the University of Miami Police Department, a professional law enforcement agency that utilizes State of Florida-certified police officers and is supplemented by a contracted security guard service. The Miller School and Rosenstiel School campuses utilize professional security teams directly managed and supervised by the University. The City of Miami Police Department and Miami-Dade County Police Department, respectively, provide police services to these campuses.

To fulfill the UM Police Department’s and the UM Security Departments’ missions as collaborative, innovative, and proactive agencies, a community policing approach is taken. Patrol policy maximizes the time University police and security officers spend out of patrol vehicles and interacting with members of the community. Safety-related educational programming is conducted on a frequent basis to help members of the community realize the power they have to prevent crime and keep themselves safe. Partnerships and working relationships with internal University organizations as well as external government and private agencies enable a multitude of services to be offered, many for free. Overall, a stronger relationship between the UM Police Department, the UM Security Departments, and the University community means a more collaborative, focused, and successful crime-fighting team. After all, safety and security on campus is everyone’s responsibility.

Reviewing the information outlined in this brochure will increase your awareness, and awareness is the precursor to action. The UM Police Department and the UM Security Departments are here to keep the University community safe and secure—and, even more, to provide unparalleled, individualized customer service. Regardless of your association with the University, please feel free to directly contact me with any questions, concerns, or comments.

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Chief of Police
UMPD Experts

Crime Stoppers

Hostile Intruder Preparedness

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Stalking Awareness Online Community
**Speaking Bureau**

**UMPD Speakers** - Colleges and professional or civic organization can request UMPD speakers. Our University Communications and Media departments evaluate speech request according to the forum, the subject matter, and the availability of UM police speakers. The Crime Prevention Office customizes presentations on any crime prevention/ safety/ police related topics for your groups needs and awareness. UMPD will make every effort to accommodate any interview request on or off camera. Requests must be first approved by the University Media department. To book a specialty programs or request an interview call our Crime Prevention Office at 305-284-1105 or email us at o.botero@miami.edu.

**Topics Presentations include:**

**Closed Door – Open Floor: Question and Answer Session with UM Police**
Gives students, professionals and civic organizations the opportunity to ask Police Officers questions about anything concerning crimes in their community, crime prevention, or crime concern issues.

**Safe Date**
A presentation based program that discusses personal safety from a women’s point of view.

**Sexual Assault Team Education/ Prevention**
A presentation offered through the Sexual Assault Response Team (SART) Peer Education Group.

**Stalking/ Online Community (Facebook/ Twitter)**
Safety -Social Networking Awareness presentation Focuses on addressing the prevalence of stalking on college campuses and communities and how to protect oneself.

**Crime Stoppers**
UMPD collaborates with Crime Stoppers of Miami-Dade, an organization dedicated to assisting law enforcement, in solving crimes by proving an anonymous and profitable means for individuals with knowledge of crimes to share their information with police and Communities.