

	<i>Responsible Office or Department:</i>	Campus Safety
	<i>Effective Date:</i>	6/28/2024
Advisory Committee on Campus Security		

PURPOSE:

The Advisory Committee on Campus Security is established in compliance with the requirements of New York Education Law § 6431, as amended. The committee shall review current campus security policies and procedures and make recommendations for their improvement.

SCOPE:

This policy applies to University's Lewiston, NY campus.

MAIN PROVISIONS:

Membership

The committee shall be comprised of at least six (6) members, according to the following terms:

- (1) at least one-half (1/2) of members shall be female;
- (2) one-third (1/3) of members shall be appointed from a list of students provided by the largest student governance organization on campus (*i.e.*, the Niagara University Student Government Association (NUSGA)) that contains at least twice the number to be appointed;
- (3) one-third (1/3) of members shall be appointed from a list of faculty members provided by the largest faculty organization on campus (*i.e.*, Niagara University Lay Teachers Association (NULTA)) that contains twice the number to be appointed; and
- (4) one-third (1/3) of members shall be selected by the President, including at least one person nominated by the Office of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion after nominating at least two such persons for consideration by the President.

Non-student committee members shall be appointed for a period of three academic years. Student committee members shall be appointed for a period of one academic year.

Functions

The committee shall review current campus security policies and procedures and make recommendations for their improvement. It shall specifically review current policies and procedures for:

- (a) reporting sexual assaults, domestic violence, stalking incidents, and hate crimes and assisting victims during investigations;
- (b) referring complaints to appropriate authorities;
- (c) counseling victims; and
- (d) responding to inquiries from concerned persons.

Reports

The committee shall report, in writing, to the President on its findings and recommendations at least once each academic year, and such report shall be available upon request.

PROCEDURES:

Committee meetings and other proceedings shall be conducted in accordance with rules established by the committee or, in the absence of such rules, in accordance with the latest edition of Robert's Rules of Order. Where such resources are silent on a given procedure, the committee may determine its own method of action by a simple majority of voting members present, and such method shall be noted in the committee notes and reports.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

None.

POLICY HISTORY:

- Originated: 6/28/2024
- Current Effective Date: 6/28/2024
- Next Review Date: **6/28/2027**
- Revision/Renewal Log:
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