

**UWG POLICY NUMBER: 7.3** 

**UWG POLICY NAME: Safety in University Facilities** 

### **POLICY:**

The University of West Georgia (UWG) provides for the security and safety of University facilities (any building, room, property, equipment, container, or premises owned, operated, or leased by UWG) in accordance with applicable laws, regulations, codes, best practices and industry standards.

#### CONTEXT:

This policy applies to:

- All UWG employees, units (any academic or administrative department within the organizational structure of the University), students, student organizations, and affiliates (non-employee members of the UWG community that include but are not limited to: vendors, volunteers, observers, trustees, Foundation Boards and employees, dependents of UWG employees, retirees, emeriti faculty, alumni, summer scholars, summer campers, Campus Center members, and tenants [non-UWG staff] renting space in a University Facility).
- Third parties and contractors that conduct operations on campus.

#### **AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY:**

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The Chief Facilities Officer (CFO) is authorized to establish procedures to implement this policy in areas of responsibility related to: Fire and Life Safety, Occupancy Limits, Access Control, Environmental Safety, Indoor Air Quality, Facility Condition and Suitability for Use, Building Code Compliance, and Accessibility.

The Chief of the University Police Department (CUPD) is authorized to establish procedures to implement this policy in areas of responsibility related to: Law Enforcement, Electronic Security Systems, Intrusion Detection and Monitoring, Security Surveillance Systems, and Firearms.

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University President	Date
Reviewed by Chief Business Officer:	
Reviewed by Chief Legal Affairs Office	er:

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### **ADMINISTRATION & ADDITIONAL RESOURCES**

**Short Title:** 

N/A

**Previous Versions:** 

N/A

Oversight:

Chief Facilities Officer/Chief of University Police

# **Additional Resources:**

• Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia Policy Manual

• Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia Business Procedures Manual

## **Associated Procedures:**

Access Control Management