ROWAN PUBLIC SAFETY

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Mission Statement

The mission of Rowan University Public Safety is to enhance the quality of life by providing a secure and safe environment through professional service to the University Community.
CALEA

- The department is fully accredited through the Commission on Accreditation of Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA) which administers a rigorous accreditation process whereby law enforcement agencies must adhere to over 480 standards, codes and state-of-the-art practices. Our department is the first University in New Jersey to receive this prestigious recognition, and one of 50 in the nation.
Public Safety personal

• Over 70 officers throughout the Rowan campus network
• Full police powers
• Specialized Units
  • Bicycle Patrol
  • K-9 Unit
Services Provided

• Provide vehicle, foot and bicycle patrols
• Respond to all calls for service
• Jumpstarts of vehicles
• Escorts to and from buildings and parking lots
• Vehicle lockout service
• Accident reports
• Injury reports
• Lost and found property
R.A.D

- R.A.D. Basic Physical Defense
- What is R.A.D.?
- The **Rape Aggression Defense System** is a program of realistic, self-defense tactics and techniques. It is a comprehensive course for women that begins with awareness, prevention, risk reduction and avoidance, while progressing on to the basics of hands-on defense training. **R.A.D. is not a martial arts program.** Our courses are taught by certified R.A.D. instructors and provide you with a workbook/reference manual. This manual outlines the entire physical defense program for reference and continuous personal growth. The R.A.D. System of Physical Defense is currently being taught at many Colleges and Universities. The growing, widespread acceptance of this system is primarily due to the ease, simplicity and effectiveness of our tactics, solid research, and unique teaching methodology.

- The R.A.D. Systems is dedicated to teaching women defensive **concepts and techniques against various types of assault**, by utilizing easy, effective and proven self-defense tactics. Our system of realistic defense will provide a woman with the knowledge to make an educated decision about resistance.
• R.A.D. OBJECTIVE

• "To develop and enhance the options of self defense, so they may become viable considerations to the woman who is attacked."

• Somewhere in America, a woman is sexually assaulted every 2 minutes, according to the U.S. Department of Justice.

• Approximately 68% of rape victims knew their assailant. [Violence against Women. Bureau of Justice Statistics, U.S. Dept. of Justice, 1994]

• Safety and survival in today’s world requires a definite course of action. We provide effective options by teaching women to take an active role in their own self-defense and psychological well being.
Identification Cards

- Required to display at all times
- Required to access buildings and rooms
- Challenge those who try to walk in behind you
- Report anyone that is not wearing an ID that you do not recognize
- Ten dollar replacement cost
Parking

- Must have a hangtag to park legally on campus
- Park only in designated areas
- Parking tickets cost approximately $60
- Place hangtags where visible
- If you forgot your hangtag, contact Public Safety
Parking

• There will be no ticketing of cars parked in permit parking lots between the hours of

• 6:00 P.M. to 5:00 A.M. Monday thru Friday
• All day Saturday and Sunday
• Parking on Stratford Boro Side streets is not permitted
• Dirt parking lot behind Kennedy Hospital
Crime Prevention

- Be aware of your surroundings
- Be prepared with keys in hand
- Let someone you know where you will be
- Secure your personal items
- Familiarize yourself with the campus to better assist in giving locations
- Report ALL unusual occurrences, suspicious persons, crimes, lighting conditions
- Talk to public safety officers and get to know them
Prohibited Items and Activities

- Alcoholic beverages and/or consumption without an alcohol permit
- Illegal Drugs
- Firearms, swords, hand grenades, rocket launchers, tanks, etc.
School and workplace violence

• Under no circumstances will threats of violence or acts of violence be tolerated
• Contact Student Wellness, Academic Affairs or Public Safety if you or someone you know is having problems
• Contact Public Safety immediately if you feel a threat is imminent
Rowan Alert Emergency Notification System

• System that can, in the event of an emergency, text and/or email you with information regarding the emergency
• Login using your secure access login and password for the Rowan Banner portal: http://www.rowan.edu/selfservice
• Parents can receive text alerts if added by their student
Emergency Alert Systems

- www.gloucesteralert.com
- www.camdencounty.com/public-safety
  - Search emergency notification system
  - Register online

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http://local.nixle.com/rutgers-police-department/
https://ess.rutgers.edu/ens/
Cooperation in Providing a Safe Atmosphere

- Employees, Students and Public Safety working together
- Parking
- Traffic
- Reporting incidents
- Reporting suspicious people
Public Safety Contact Information

- Emergency 856-256-4911
- Non-Emergency 856-256-4922
- Stratford Office 9am-5pm 856-566-6033

- Office located in University Educational Center, Suite 1132
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