

Anticipate How to Respond in an Emergency

GENERAL INFORMATION RESOURCES

COCC Alert System—Please register for phone, text, and email updates through your Bobcat account.



School closure information will be available via local media outlets and www.cocc.edu

POLICE, FIRE, or MEDICAL EMERGENCY **9-1-1**
(dialing 9 first may be necessary)

CAMPUS PUBLIC SAFETY **541-383-7272 or ext. 7272**

Building Evacuation



Leaving this building is **MANDATORY** whenever a fire alarm is activated or a campus safety authority instructs you to do so.

Buildings may be evacuated due to earthquakes, fires, security emergencies, power outages, etc...

Please follow these general procedures when evacuating:

- Take direction from Building Evacuation Coordinators.
- Do not use elevators for evacuation.
- If possible, assist those with injuries and special needs.
- Move away from affected buildings to designated assembly areas.
- Do not return to an evacuated building until permission is granted from college or public safety authorities.
- People with special needs should review COCC's disability services on the web at <http://www.cocc.edu/Disability-Services/>

Security Emergencies



CALL: 9-1-1 or Campus Public Safety

- Report ALL concerning situations immediately. This may include behavior and/ or communications.
- Do not attempt to intervene in suspicious, concerning or hostile situations.
- If you hear gunshots or have other indications that suggest an attack is occurring:
 - Move away from violence, get to a safe location, move again if necessary for safety.
 - Turn off lights, close windows/blinds, and secure doors.
 - Do not use your cell phone unless in contact with 911.
 - Fight attacker only if no other alternative exists.
- Try to provide as much information as possible to dispatchers or first responders including: physical description, direction of travel, license plate info., and types of weapons.

During earthquakes:

- **DROP—COVER—HOLD ON**
- Stay inside and under cover until the shaking is over and then evacuate.
- Watch out for falling debris.
- Move outside to a designated assembly area.

Fire/ Hazmat



CALL : 9-1-1 and then Campus Public Safety

- Activate the nearest fire alarm if you see fire or smoke and the alarm is not already sounding.
- Do not try to extinguish fires larger than a garbage can by yourself unless you have specialized training in fire-fighting.
- Evacuate (try to stay upwind from chemical spills)
- Attempt to confine the fire by closing doors when evacuating if possible. Do not re-enter an evacuated area.

During power/ utility failures:

- Move cautiously to lighted area in the building or outside to a designated assembly area.
- If a gas leak is suspected, evacuate immediately—**DO NOT** use tele-phones, elevators, or fire alarms.
- Call campus public safety.

Medical Emergencies



- **Life threatening:** **CALL 9-1-1 immediately**
Locate AED or First Aid supplies

Examples: chest pain, numbness in limbs, unconsciousness, severe bleeding, serious head injuries, etc...

- **Non-life threatening:** **CALL Campus Public Safety**

Examples: minor cuts, falls, sprains, etc...



For more information, please contact Campus Public Safety at 541-383-7272 or visit www.cocc.edu/public-safety