

# LOUISIANA DELTA

COMMUNITY COLLEGE

# Annual Security Report – September 12, 2023 Campus Police

# **Monroe**

Bastrop – Lake Providence – Ruston – Tallulah West Monroe – Winnsboro - Jonesboro

Campus Police - (318) 345-9105 Chief of Campus Police Downey Black - (318) 345-9297 Louisiana Delta Community College places a high priority on the personal safety of all students, faculty, staff and visitors. The 2022 Annual Security Report provides information pertaining to the safety policies at the College.

Although all individuals are ultimately responsible for their own safety by learning and practicing basic safety and security precautions, the College strives to maintain a safe and secure atmosphere. To help in this effort, we ask that you immediately report crimes occurring in or at any of the facilities of Louisiana Delta Community College to campus administrators and the Office of Campus Police.

All comments and suggestions are welcome as we strive to continually improve the quality of services. We hope you have a safe and rewarding experience at Louisiana Delta Community College.

Sincerely,

**Campus Police** 

#### **Campus Police**

Louisiana Delta Community College (LDCC) Campus Police are charged with the responsibility for on-campus security, safety, law enforcement, emergency services, traffic and parking. LA Delta's Campus Police Office is manned by Louisiana POST Certified law enforcement officers who have authority to apprehend and arrest anyone involved in illegal acts on LA Delta's campuses. Whenever classes are in session or the campus' facility is utilized by members of the public (students or visitors), campus security will be provided by a member of LA Delta's Campus Police or sworn law enforcement officers or licensed security officers hired by the College to carry out the directions of Campus Police.

Campus Police are tasked with responding to any reports or incidents of crime that occur on campus. Major offenses are reported to the local police as well as offenses occurring immediately adjacent to the LA Delta campuses.

LA Delta strives to maintain a safe and secure campus environment for students, staff, faculty and visitors. Offices, laboratories and classrooms are secured when not in use. Employees who discover defective doors, locks, interior/exterior lighting problems, or other safety hazards will immediately report the situation to the Director of Facilities (318) 345-9301 or to the appropriate college department for action.

#### Merger

In 2011, LA Delta Community College merged with 2 former Technical Colleges at Lake Providence and Tallulah. In July 2012, 5 additional Technical Campuses were added to the merger (Bastrop, Ruston, West Monroe and Winnsboro). Campus Police provide law enforcement for all of the merged campuses either by Campus Police Officers or by hiring off-duty law enforcement officers or armed private security.

## **Working Relationships with Other Law Enforcement Agencies**

The Campus Police Office maintains a close working relationship with Monroe Police Department and Ouachita Parish Sheriff's Office. Campus Police has also established working relationships with Bastrop Police Department and Morehouse Parish Sheriff's Department (Bastrop Campus), East Carroll Sheriff's Department (Lake Providence Campus), Madison Parish Sheriff's Department (Tallulah Campus), Winnsboro Police Department (Winnsboro Campus), the Jackson Parish Sheriff's Office (Jonesboro Campus), Louisiana State Police and the State of Louisiana Department of Justice. Meetings are held between the leaders of these agencies on both a formal and informal basis as needed.

#### **Criminal Complaint Process & Investigations**

A crime victim has the right to pursue criminal charges through the LDCC Police Department, the local law enforcement agency in which the incident occurred, and/or pursue disciplinary action through the College if the accused is a LDCC student. If you are a victim of a crime at LDCC or off-campus, your first priority should be to (1) get to a place of safety; (2) obtain the necessary medical treatment; and (3) report the incident to the appropriate law enforcement agency in your respective area.

Reporting crimes can help prevent it from happening again to others. Doing so maximizes the successful collection evidence and will assist with the prompt identification and apprehension of the person who committed the crime. In most cases, the strength of the case could be affected by the length of time the crime victim waits before pressing charges. Reporting however remains a personal decision, but at minimum the victim of a crime should take advantage of the numerous resources available and assistance with classes. Persons who make a complaint and those responding to complaints have the following rights:

- The option to notify law enforcement;
- The option to have another member of the College community present during interviews that are part of a College-initiated investigation;
- To be notified of counseling and support services available;
- To be notified of options to change academic, or work arrangements.

#### **Criminal Investigation**

The criminal investigation will begin when the incident is reported to Law Enforcement. If the incident location differs from the Law Enforcement Agency receiving the complaint, the Law Enforcement Agency with criminal jurisdiction will be notified immediately to conduct the investigation.

Once jurisdiction is established, the victim will be informed of the Law Enforcement Agency conducting the investigation and information on how to contact the agency. The responding officer must determine that a crime likely occurred by gathering evidence and will begin collecting needed information for the initial police report. A detective may be assigned if the case cannot be investigated by the responding officer. If assigned, the detective will take statements from the victim (written/recorded), collect and log physical evidence, and speak with witnesses (written/recorded). The detective will determine if the elements will be classified as either a Felony or Misdemeanor. At the conclusion of a criminal investigation, the officer may need to make an arrest (immediately taking the individual into custody or issuing a summons) or executing a warrant. The Prosecuting Attorney has discretion on which the case proceeds through the court system.

- a. On-Campus: If you are the victim of a power-based violence incident on-campus, report the incident to the LDCC Police Department as soon as possible by dialing 318-345-9105 or dial 911.
- Additional reporting options include the Dean of Student Services or Campus Judicial System, Counseling and Disability Services, the Office of Human Resources, or a Campus Security Authority (CSA) at the College as defined under the Jeanne Clery Act.
- If the perpetrator of the assault is a LDCC employee, the victim has the option of filing the complaint with both LDCC Police Department, the Office of Human Resources, the Title IX Coordinator for violation of the College's Sexual Assault/ Sexual Harassment Policy.
- If the incident is reported to LDCCPD and jurisdiction is with another Law Enforcement Agency, LDCCPD will work with the Law Enforcement Agency and maintain communication and other requirements outlined in the MOU to the extent able to do so without jeopardizing the investigation
  - b. Off-Campus & External Law Enforcement Agency: If you are the victim of a power-based violence incident off-campus, dial 911 for immediate assistance. Dispatchers will direct your call to the appropriate Law Enforcement Agency with criminal jurisdiction to allow the victim to press charges against the perpetrator. College officials can assist the victim in notifying these authorities if the student so chooses.
    - External Law Enforcement Agency: LDCC has executed a memorandum of understanding (MOU) with local law enforcement agencies when such incidents occur. In such cases, the law enforcement agency with jurisdiction will be the primary investigative agency. LDCC will work with the Law Enforcement Agency and maintain communication and other requirements outlined in the MOU to the extent able to do so without jeopardizing the investigation, including meeting with LDCC's Title IX Coordinators or others to assist those in resolving power based violence committed on campus by or against students of the institution.

#### **Statistical Disclosure of Reported Incidents**

Incidents reported to Campus Police that fall into one of the required reporting classifications will be disclosed as a statistic in this annual report published by Campus Police.

#### Reporting a Crime to Local Law Enforcement

A person reporting a crime to Campus Police that expresses a desire to report to local police rather than Campus Police will be afforded this option if the victim so desires. Campus Police will discuss this option with the victim and will also assist with that process.

#### **Confidential Reporting Procedures**

If you are the victim of a crime and do not want to pursue action within the College system or the criminal justice system, you may still consider making a confidential report. With your permission, a report can be filed as to the details of the incident without revealing your identity. The purpose of a confidential report is to comply with your wish to keep the matter confidential, while taking steps to ensure the future safety of yourself and others. With such information, LDCC can keep a more accurate account of incidents involving students, employees and visitors; determine if there is a pattern of crime with regard to a particular location, method, or suspect; and alert the campus community to potential dangers. Reports filed in this manner will be counted and disclosed in the college's annual crime statistics. Students can make reports to confidential advisers: <a href="https://www.ladelta.edu/admissions/title-ix-information/confidential-advisors">https://www.ladelta.edu/admissions/title-ix-information/confidential-advisors</a>

Campus Police also offer the opportunity to provide anonymous information via the campus website (www.LaDelta.edu). Campus Police will investigate all anonymous information provided.

#### **Violence Against Women Act**

In March of 2013, the President of the United States signed the Violence Against Women's Reauthorization Act of 2013 which, among other provisions, amended the Higher Education Act of 1965 (aka the Jeanne Clery Act). LDCC is committed to preventing violence and in the principles of the Save Act (Campus Sexual Violence Elimination). LDCC has implemented the following procedures for identifying, investigating and reporting potential violations of the aforementioned acts which are as follows:

# Reporting Incidents of Sexual Harassment, Including Sexual Assault and Sexual Misconduct, Stalking and Dating/Intimate Partner/Domestic Violence

Sexual Harassment is defined by the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission as: Unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature...when (1) submission to such conduct is made either explicitly or implicitly a term or condition of an individual's employment/academic success, (2) submission or rejection of such conduct by an individual is used as the basis for employment/academic decisions affecting such individual, or (3) such conduct has the purpose and effect of unreasonably interfering with an individual's work/academic performance or creating an intimidating, hostile or offensive working/academic environment.

Allegations of sexual harassment including sexual assault, stalking, or domestic and intimate partner violence should be reported to one of the individuals listed below.

- 1. Title IX Coordinator: Alvina Thomas, LPB, Room 152, 318-345-9145, alvinathomas@ladelta.edu.
- 2. Dean of Student Affairs: Alvina Thomas, LPB, Office 152, athomas@ladelta.edu.
- 3. Main Campus Police Office: Chief of Campus Police, Downey Black harryblack@ladelta.edu 318-345-9105
- 4. Director of Counseling & Disability Services: Traci Clark, LPB, Office 155, 318-345-9152 traciclark@ladelta.edu.

More detailed information is available on our website at <a href="www.ladelta.edu">www.ladelta.edu</a> about Title IX including community resources, Procedures to Follow in Cases of Sexual Assault, The Importance of a Medical Examination, Protecting Yourself Following a Sexual Assault, and Recovery.

# PROCEDURES TO FOLLOW IN CASES OF SEXUAL ASSAULT, SEXUAL HARRASSMENT, SEXUAL MISCONDUCT, STALKING, AND DATING/INTIMATE PARTNER/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

as related to the Campus SAVE Act/Violence Against Women Act.

Being a victim of any of the crimes addressed in this document is traumatic and all victims will respond differently. However, all victims have the same options and rights afforded to them. Below is an explanation of procedures.

#### **Campus Police**

1. Campus Police will notify the Director of Student Counseling and Disability

- Services or someone whom the victim chooses and feels comfortable with, to provide support/advocacy and to accompany the victim to the police station, hospital or home.
- 2. In case of a medical emergency, Campus Police will arrange transportation to the hospital emergency room. The support person may accompany the victim. Medical attention should be encouraged even if the victim does not feel it is necessary, for the person may be in shock or otherwise unable to make such a decision which may be important to future legal action. The victim should be informed of the importance of preserving evidence.
- 3. If there is potential for immediate apprehension of the assailant, Campus Police will take appropriate action.

#### **Faculty and Staff**

- 1. Any faculty or staff member who receives a report of or discovers a possible sexual assault, sexual harassment, sexual misconduct, stalking, or dating/intimate partner/domestic violence on campus should do the following:
  - Assure the victim of his or her safety and, in emergency situations, move the victim to a safe, private location
  - Do not leave the victim alone and, if possible, send someone else to get additional assistance
  - Immediately report this to the Campus Police, the Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs and, in their absence, the Dean of Student Success Services. Every effort will be made to assure confidentiality in the investigation of the assault.
- 2. The Office of Student Affairs shall be responsible for ensuring LA Delta policies and procedures are followed and shall also determine appropriate College disciplinary action if the alleged perpetrator is a student. Any student or employee who is a victim will be offered information of law enforcement options, mental health services and options for changing academic situations if requested.

#### **Students**

- 1. Any student who receives a report of or discovers a possible sexual assault, sexual harassment, sexual misconduct, stalking, or dating/intimate partner/domestic violence on campus should do the following:
- Assure the victim of his/her safety and, in emergency situations, move the victim to a safe, private location
- Do not leave the victim alone and, if possible, send someone else to get additional assistance
- Immediately notify Campus Police, a staff member or a faculty member
- 2. LA Delta may initiate disciplinary action against the student or employee accused of rape/sexual assault, or other sex offenses, forcible or non-forcible.

Possible sanctions which may be imposed following the final determination of an on campus disciplinary procedure regarding such changes include suspension or dismissal. See disciplinary procedure in the Student Code of Conduct <a href="https://catalog.ladelta.edu/resources/studenthandbook#student-code-of-conduct1">https://catalog.ladelta.edu/resources/studenthandbook#student-code-of-conduct1</a>

3. The Dean of Student Success Services shall oversee and implement these decisions for students and ensure the accuser and accused are treated fairly and informed of the outcome of any campus disciplinary proceeding and action.

# CAMPUS SEXUAL ASSAULT, SEXUAL HARRASSMENT, SEXUAL MISCONDUCT, STALKING, AND DATING/INTIMATE PARTNER/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VICTIM INFORMATION

#### 1. Resource Information

In the event that you are the victim of sexual assault on campus, find yourself a place of safety. Once safe, call one or more of the following: • Campus Police (318) 345-9105 during business hours • Local Police (911)

- Local Emergency Room (St. Francis Hospital, 309 Jackson St., Monroe (318) 966-4000
- •Director of Student Counseling and Disability Services (318) 345-9152 or (318) 345-9144 during business hours
- •Dean of Student Success Services (318) 345-9150 or (318) 345-9144
- •A friend or family member
- •The Wellspring Counseling and Family Development Center 24/7 Phone Lines: (318) 323-1505 or 1-800-716-7233

#### 2. The Importance of a Medical Examination

For purposes of ensuring your own physical health, as well as successful apprehension and prosecution of the perpetrator (if desired/warranted), it is very important that you promptly go or be sent to a nearby hospital emergency room to be examined. As awkward or uncomfortable as it may be, you should not change your clothing or bathe prior to this examination. At this time you may want to be tested and treated for any injuries you have sustained and also be tested for the presence of any sexually transmitted diseases.

Be aware that it is your right to have a trained rape counselor accompany you throughout all or any part of the medical examination. The counselor is there to provide support and answer any questions you have. The information you share privately with the counselor is

confidential. Seeing the doctor and having an evidentiary "rape kit" completed does not mean you must prosecute your attacker, but it does significantly increase the potential for success if you choose to do so.

If possible, either bring a change of clothing with you to the hospital or have someone do so for you, as your clothing worn during the assault should be collected by the medical team.

#### 3. Protecting Yourself Following a Sexual Assault

After a sexual assault has occurred, it is extremely important to provide for your personal safety. If you know or fear that your attacker knows your whereabouts, you may want to make temporary arrangements to stay elsewhere. Restraining orders preventing your attacker from contacting you are available through the court system. Although you must request the order (with or without the assistance of an attorney), counselors can help you fill out the required paperwork at the police station. Counselors can also refer you to appropriate support agencies and shelters, if desired.

#### 4. Recovery

It is important to remember that sexual assault can happen to anyone. Sexual violence is not the victim's fault. However, victims frequently experience confusing and distressing feelings following an attack. It is important not to hold in these feelings. Talk to a trusted friend or relative and seek appropriate professional counseling. LA Delta students are eligible to receive professional counseling services through the Office of Student Counseling and Disability Services. Also, The Wellspring Counseling and Family Development Center offers 24 hour hotlines and these conversations are completely confidential. You can talk to the counselors about anything. They are there to listen and to help answer questions about police proceedings, legal issues, medical procedures, counseling options, and many other topics. Contact information for these services is provided under Resource Information located in this document.

REMEMBER, if you have been sexually assaulted, you need to take appropriate steps toward physical and emotional recovery.

#### **EMERGENCY RESPONSE**

#### **IMMEDIATE NOTIFICATIONS**

The campus administration of LA Delta (the Chancellor or his/her designee), Campus Police, the Office of Public Relations, and the Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs receive information from various offices/departments on campus and off campus. If the Campus Police or other law enforcement agency confirms that there is an emergency or dangerous situation that poses an immediate threat to the health and safety of some or all members of the LA Delta community, the Administration and Office of Public Relations will collaborate to determine the content of the message and will use some or all of the systems described below to communicate the threat to the LA Delta community as soon as possible.

#### **TIMELY WARNING PROCEDURES**

A timely warning is the policy of prompt alerting to potentially dangerous criminal situations on or near the campus. The Clery Act requires institutions to alert their campus community to certain crimes with the intent of enabling people to protect themselves.

In the event that a crime has occurred on-campus, on one of Delta's off-site locations or near one of these sites, the details will be evaluated by the Chancellor or his/her designee, Campus Police, the Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs and some matters will be evaluated by the Emergency Response Team. If the details indicate a serious or continued threat to the safety of the campus community, a timely warning will be issued through the college email system and text messaging system (Blackboard Connect) to students, faculty and staff. Additionally, campus monitors, campus informational postings, campus public address system, and local media (radio, newspapers and/or television) will be used when warranted and available.

Note: The Chancellor or his/her designee and the Public Relations Office will determine which methods of disseminating the information will be utilized in each situation.

#### EMERGENCY RESPONSE AND EVACUATION TESTING PROCEDURES

An evacuation (fire) drill is coordinated by the Facilities and Safety Manager each semester for all campus facilities. Thus the campus emergency response is tested at least twice each year. In these tests, students learn the locations of the emergency exits in the buildings and are provided guidance about the direction they should travel when exiting each facility for a short-term building evacuation. The purpose of the evacuation drills is to prepare building occupants for an organized evacuation in the case of a fire or other emergency.

Evacuation drills are monitored by Campus Police and Campus Administrators.

Additionally, the local Fire Departments will participate and monitor drills when available. Students will receive information on evacuations and shelter-in-place locations during the drills.

#### **Shelter-in-Place**

If an incident occurs and the buildings or areas around you become unstable, or if the air outdoors becomes dangerous due to toxic or irritating substances, it is usually safer to stay indoors. A "shelter-in-place" notification will be made in these situations. The announcements will be made via the Public Address Systems, text messages, and by campus police officers. The announcement will include directions and instructors, staff members, etc. will direct to safest area near your location.

If a person is outside of the building when the announcement is made, they need to follow the directions and enter the closest, safe structure. Once inside buildings, individuals should typically, stay away from glass areas and should close any open windows. In certain weather related situations (tornados, etc), individuals also want to move from higher building floors to the lower levels to prevent being injured by roof damage or falling debris caused by the storm.

If a radio or television is near, turn on to listen for further instructions and weather/storm updates. Listen to floor monitors for instructions and make yourself comfortable until the emergency

#### **Annual Fire Safety Report**

If a fire occurs in a LA Delta building, immediately call 9-1-1 for the Fire Department and activate nearby fire alarm if the alarm isn't already sounding. Also contact Campus Police as soon as possible and begin evacuating the building via the closest, safe evacuation route (Remember, when a fire alarm is activated, the elevators in most buildings will automatically move to 1<sup>st</sup> floor and stop. If you are caught in elevator, use the emergency "help" button in the elevators for assistance).

Students, faculty and staff should familiarize themselves with exits in each building for safety reasons and should be attentive to the instructions given by floor monitors and fire personnel upon their arrival.

#### **Fire Protection Equipment/Systems**

A majority of LA Delta buildings are equipped with automatic fire detection and alarm systems that are constantly monitored when students are present. LA Delta does not have residential facilities.

#### Procedures for Students and Employees in the Event of a Fire

If you smell smoke or observe a fire: 1) Stay CALM!

2) *IN CLASS*: the instructor will send one person to pull the fire alarm closest to the class and a second person to the closest floor monitor to report incident (if not able to do so without placing person in danger, then instructor should call Campus Police by telephone. The report should include:

- a) The location of the fire (building name, room number and specific location if known), the status of the fire and fire alarm and your name.
- 3) Call 9-1-1 to update EMS of the nature of the fire alarm and Campus Police at 3459105 for immediate assistance.
- 4) The instructor will supervise the evacuation of the classroom and all nearby spaces.
- 5) All faculty, staff and students will **IMMEDIATELY EVACUATE THE BUILDING** and gather at a safe distance away from the danger zone/building.

#### **Drug and Alcohol Policy**

Delta is a drug and alcohol free campus and recognizes that drug and alcohol abuse are a major societal concern and problem. Such abuse leads to health problems, decreased productivity, crime and general weakening of our nation's social fabric. Alcohol and drug abuse are especially destructive to education and learning, and also inhibits educational, social and interpersonal development. It is the expressed purpose of this policy to establish a comprehensive program to address the abuse of alcohol and drugs. This policy will apply to all College students.

- 1) All students are strictly prohibited from the unlawful possession, manufacture, use or distribution of illicit drugs or alcohol on College property or as part of any College activity, whether on or off the campus. This policy will extend to any other sites that the College might operate.
- 2) The following conduct is prohibited:
  - a. The use, consumption, possession, manufacture, furnishing, sale and/or distribution of illicit drugs, narcotics or other controlled substances, including marijuana.
  - b. The use, possession, manufacture, purchase, sale, furnishing and/or distribution of drug paraphernalia.
  - c. The use, consumption, possession, manufacture, purchase, sale, furnishing, and/or distribution of alcoholic beverages on College property, or at any of its activities, except as expressly permitted by College regulations and the law.
  - d. The use, consumption, possession and/or purchase of alcoholic beverages by persons under 21 years of age.
  - e. Operating or attempting to operate a motor vehicle while intoxicated.
  - f. Public intoxication on College property.
  - g. Furnishing, serving and/or otherwise providing alcoholic beverages to persons under 21 years of age.

Students who violate the provisions of this policy will be subject to sanctions, which could include criminal prosecution, suspension and/or expulsion.

# Reporting and Prevention of Sex Offenses – including Sexual Harrassment, Sexual Assault and Sexual Misconduct, Stalking and Dating/Intimate Partner/Domestic Violence

If a student wishes to report the occurrence of a sex offense, he or she should be guided by the following procedures:

- 1. Title IX Coordinator: Alvina Thomas, LPB, , 318-345-9145, alvinathomas@ladelta.edu.
- 2. Dean of Student Affairs: Alvina Thomas, LPB, Office 152, 318-345-9145, athomas@ladelta.edu.
- 3. Main Campus Police Office: Chief of Campus Police Downey Black 318-3459297 <a href="https://harryblack@ladelta.edu">harryblack@ladelta.edu</a> or Police Officer on duty.
- 4. Director of Counseling & Disability Services: Traci Clark, LPB, Office 155, 318345-9152 traciclark@ladelta.edu.

A student can call the Monroe City Police Department or the Ouachita Sheriff's Office (Monroe Campus). Campus Safety has also established working relationships with Bastrop Police Department and Morehouse Parish Sheriff's Department (Bastrop Campus), East Carroll Sheriff's Department (Lake Providence Campus), Madison Parish Sheriff's Department (Tallulah Campus), Winnsboro Police Department (Winnsboro Campus), the Jackson Parish Sheriff's Office (Jonesboro Campus) and the Louisiana State Police.

A student can call 9-1-1, or go directly to a hospital. It is important to note that if you are a victim of a sex offense, do not destroy any evidence (including clothing) and do not take a shower or bath.

It is important that such physical evidence be preserved in order to assist with any ensuing criminal investigation. If the student believes that she/he may be the victim of date rape by being drugged, she/he should go directly to a hospital to receive a toxicology examination since such drugs only remain in a person's system for a short period of time. The Campus Police Office will assist with notification of other law enforcement authorities and/or medical professionals if the student so chooses.

Files relating to sex offenses are kept confidential by the Campus Police Office and by the Student Affairs Office.

#### **Prevention Education Programs**

LA Delta provides ongoing prevention and awareness campaigns related to sexual assault, stalking, domestic and intimate partner violence and other forms of violence against students on and off campus. This is done through outreach activities including presentations by local agencies, workshops, and classroom visits. LA Delta also provides

to students Campus Well, Instagram @campuswell, Twitter @campuswell, Facebook CampusWell, and on CANVAS.

Student Affairs also provides education programs and outreach events throughout the academic year to promote awareness of sexual assault, domestic and relationship violence, and stalking. These campaigns provide information regarding resources, teach sensitivity regarding victim/survivor experience, and promote a healthy culture and mindset that prevents these crimes from occurring.

Additionally, in compliance with the Campus SaVE Act, LA Delta provides educational programs for all new students and employees annually. Students are informed of services during the New Student Orientation classes.

All staff and faculty complete online safety training that includes Sexual Harassment, Drug-free workplace and Drug Testing courses on an annual basis.

Crime Prevention Programs on personal safety and theft prevention are sponsored by the Human Resource Department throughout the year. A common theme of all awareness and crime prevention is to encourage students and employees to be aware of their responsibility for their own security and the security of others. The following precautions provide guidance.

- 1) Report all suspicious activity to Campus Police immediately.
- 2) Never take personal safety for granted.
- 3) Try to avoid walking alone at night.
- 4) Carry only small amounts of cash.
- 5) Never leave valuables (purses, wallets, books, etc) unattended.
- 6) Lock car doors and close windows when leaving your car.
- 7) Do not leave valuables in your car, especially if they can be easily noticed.

LA Delta (Monroe Campus) utilizes a campus-wide state-of-the-art computerized monitoring surveillance system to monitor activity on campus at all times. Delta is also in the process of reviewing and improving the surveillance capabilities of all of the satellite campuses.

#### **Disciplinary Procedure**

LA Delta will act promptly in response to information that a student has been sexually assaulted by a member of the LA Delta community. Upon receipt of a concern, the College will undertake an appropriate investigation. If it appears that there is sufficient evidence to warrant disciplinary charges against a student, such charges shall be brought

pursuant to the LA Delta Code of Student Conduct. If the matter is brought before a hearing, the victim and alleged perpetrator are entitled to the same opportunities to have others present and to be informed of the outcome of the proceedings. The victim is entitled to a report of the results of the proceeding. If a student is found guilty of committing a sexual assault or other act of violence against another LA Delta student or employee after a disciplinary hearing, the penalties may include suspension, or permanent dismissal from LA Delta.

The form is located on website:

 $\underline{\text{http://www.ladelta.edu/documents/studentServices/studentGrievanceDiscriminationHarr}}\ a\ ssmentForm.pdf$ 

#### **On-Campus Assistance**

Victims of a sexual assault are encouraged to contact the Dean of Student Affairs to obtain assistance in accessing medical and counselling services, or to make any necessary changes to the student's academic program. The Campus Police Office can assist the victim getting to and from campus safely, filing a police report and obtaining an order of protection against the perpetrator. The victim can also file a concern with the College against a perpetrator who is a student or employee of the College with the Dean of Student Success Services.

#### College and Community Counseling and Support Services for Sex Offense Victims

Sexual assault victims can obtain help on campus through personal counseling. In addition, referrals can be made to off-campus support services. If you believe that you are being (or have been) sexually harassed, coerced or threatened, report it immediately to the Campus Police Office and the Dean of Student Affairs.

Dean of Student Affairs: Alvina Thomas, LPB, Office 152, 318-345-9145 athomas@ladelta.edu.

Main Campus Police Office: Chief of Campus Police, Downey Black 3183459297 harryblack@ladelta.edu

#### Firearms and Weapons Policies

LA Delta is committed to maintaining a safe and secure environment that supports the academic mission of the College. Firearms, explosives, weapons, or any item that may be construed as such, are prohibited from LA Delta campuses and events. There are some limited exceptions to this policy; for example, certified and licensed law enforcement personnel who are authorized to carry a firearm are permitted to do so on LA Delta property.

Carrying a firearm, or dangerous weapon, by a student or non-student on school property, at school sponsored functions is strictly prohibited. This includes ammunition, explosives, fireworks, or other dangerous substances or materials of any kind (Student Code of Conduct 2.01:19).

#### **Campus Sex Crimes Prevention Act**

The federal Campus Sex Crimes Prevention Act of 2000 amends the Jacob Wetterling Crimes Against Children and Sexually Violent Offender Registration Act, the Jeanne Clery Act and The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974. This act requires institutions of higher learning to issue a statement advising the campus community where law enforcement agency information provided by a State concerning registered sex offenders may be obtained. It also requires sex offenders already required to register in a State to provide notice, as required under State law, of each institution of higher education in that State at which the person is employed, carries on a vocation, volunteers services or is a student.

Louisiana Revised Statute 15:542B(3) requires sex offenders attending the college to register with College Police:

"If the sex offender is a student at an institution of postsecondary education in this state, the sex offender shall also register with the campus law enforcement agency of the institution at least one business day prior to the beginning of the school term or semester."

LA Delta's Monroe Campus has a fully functioning Day Care Center. Registered Sex Offenders (RSOs) must know if they have any restrictions or limitations in regards to this facility. If it is learned at any point, that a RSO is in violation of his/her restrictions, they will be dropped from all classes that put them in violation and will not be reimbursed for fees and tuition paid.

In Louisiana, convicted sex offenders must register on the Louisiana Police Sex Offender and Child Predator Registry at <a href="http://www.lsp.org/socpr/default.html">http://www.lsp.org/socpr/default.html</a>. The website link is on the LA Delta website under Campus Safety.

Category	C	n-Campus	S	Non-	-Campus B	uilding	<b>Public Property</b>			
Monroe Campus	2022	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020	
Homicide										
Murder & Non-Negligent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sex Offenses										
Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Fondling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Incest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Statutory Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Aggravated Assault	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Burglary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Arson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Incidents										
Domestic Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Dating Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Stalking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Hate Crimes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Liquor Violations										
Arrests	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Drug Law										
Arrests	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Judicial referral	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Weapons Violations										
Arrest	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Category	(	On-Campus	8	Non-	Non-Campus Building Pu			c Property	
Lake Providence Campus	2022	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020
Homicide									
Murder & Non-Negligent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses									
Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fondling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Incest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Statutory Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burglary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Incidents									
Domestic Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dating Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stalking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hate Crimes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liquor Violations									
Arrests	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Drug Law									
Arrests	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Weapons Violations									
Arrest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Category	C	n-Campus	S	Non-	-Campus B	uilding	Publi	<b>Public Property</b>	
Tallulah Campus	2022	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020
Homicide									
Murder & Non-Negligent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses									
Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fondling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Incest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Statutory Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burglary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Incidents									
Domestic Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dating Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stalking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hate Crimes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liquor Violations		!		!	!				
Arrests	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Drug Law									
Arrests	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Weapons Violations									
Arrest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Category	(	)n-Campus	S	Non-	-Campus B	Building	Publi	<b>Public Property</b>	
Bastrop Campus	2022	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020
Homicide									
Murder & Non-Negligent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses									
Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fondling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Incest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Statutory Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burglary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Incidents									
Domestic Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dating Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stalking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hate Crimes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liquor Violations									
Arrests	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Drug Law									
Arrests	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Weapons Violations									
Arrest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Category	(	)n-Campus	S	Non	-Campus B	Building	<b>Public Property</b>			
West Monroe Campus	2022	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020	
Homicide										
Murder & Non-Negligent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sex Offenses										
Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Fondling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Incest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Statutory Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Aggravated Assault	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Burglary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Arson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Incidents										
Domestic Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Dating Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Stalking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Hate Crimes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Liquor Violations				1	1					
Arrests	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Drug Law										
Arrests	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Weapons Violations										
Arrest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Category	C	)n-Campus	8	Non-	-Campus B	Building	<b>Public Property</b>			
Winnsboro Campus	2022	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020	
Homicide										
Murder & Non-Negligent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sex Offenses		!			!					
Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Fondling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Incest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Statutory Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Aggravated Assault	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Burglary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Arson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Incidents		1	!	!	1					
Domestic Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Dating Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Stalking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Hate Crimes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Liquor Violations										
Arrests	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Drug Law										
Arrests	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Weapons Violations										
Arrest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Category		)n-Campus	8	Non-	-Campus B	Building	Publi		
Ruston Campus	2022	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020
Homicide									
Murder & Non-Negligent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses									
Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fondling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Incest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Statutory Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burglary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Incidents									
Domestic Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dating Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stalking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hate Crimes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liquor Violations									
Arrests	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Drug Law									
Arrests	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Weapons Violations			· 	· 	· 		· 	· 	
Arrest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Category	On-Campus		Non-	Campus B	uilding	Public	c Property	y	
DeltaLinc	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020	
	Campus Closed								
Homicide	Closed								
Murder & Non-Negligent		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Negligent Manslaughter		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sex Offenses									
Rape		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Fondling		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Incest		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Statutory Rape		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Robbery		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Aggravated Assault		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Burglary		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Motor Vehicle Theft		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Arson		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Incidents									
Domestic Violence		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Dating Violence		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Stalking		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Hate Crimes		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Liquor Violations									
Arrests		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Judicial referral		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Drug Law									
Arrests		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Judicial referral		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Weapons Violations									
Arrest		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Judicial referral		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Category		)n-Campus	S	Non-	-Campus B	<b>Building</b> Public Prop		c Property	erty	
Jonesboro Campus	2022	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020	2022	2021	2020	
Homicide										
Murder & Non-Negligent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sex Offenses										
Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Fondling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Incest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Statutory Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Aggravated Assault	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Burglary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Arson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Incidents										
Domestic Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Dating Violence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Stalking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Hate Crimes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Liquor Violations										
Arrests	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Drug Law										
Arrests	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Weapons Violations										
Arrest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Judicial referral	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	