Resources

Texas Tech Police Department
For On-Campus Emergency: 9-911
Non-emergency: (806) 742-3931

Dean of Students
(806) 742-2984

Student Judicial Programs
(806) 742-1714

Center for Campus Life
(806) 742-5433

Student Counseling Center
(806) 742-3674

Student Health Services
(806) 743-2848

Student Disability Services
(806) 742-2405

Ombuds for Students
(806) 742-SAFE

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Student Right-to-Know

- Campus and Community Crime Statistics
- Drug and Alcohol Information
- Campus Services
- Graduation Rates
Information for University Students and Employees

In compliance with federal guidelines, Texas Tech University provides all students, employees, and prospective students up-to-date information about campus crime statistics, six-year graduation rates of students and student athletes, and campus services such as tuition and fee rates, housing options, withdrawal procedures, study abroad programs and disability services. These reports are compiled annually. For the most current information, please refer to www.depts.ttu.edu/studentjudicialprograms/right-to-know.php.

Campus Crime Reports

The Texas Tech Police Department compiles and publishes campus crime data to comply with the Jeanne Clery Campus Security Act. Information about crimes that have occurred on-campus and in the immediate surrounding community is published annually on the Texas Tech Police Department Web Page at www.depts.ttu.edu/tpd/clery.php. For more information, contact the Police Department by phone at (806) 742-3931. For information about the Texas Controlled Substance Act and Liquor Laws refer to www.legis.state.tx.us.

Graduation Rates

The six-year graduation rates of students and student athletes are published annually and are available online. For all Texas Tech students, refer to the university fact book at www.irim.ttu.edu/factbook.php or call institutional research at (806) 742-2166. The Texas Tech Athletic Department provides graduation rates to the National Collegiate Athletic Association. This information is available at www.ncaa.org. For additional information, call the Texas Tech Athletic Department at (806) 742-0150.

University Services

Texas Tech University provides information to students about tuition and fee rates, housing options, withdrawal procedures, study abroad programs and disability services.

- For questions about current and past tuition and fee rates call (806) 742-2166 or refer to www.irs.ttu.edu/Tuition/newindex.htm.
- University Student Housing publishes housing options and prices; call (806) 742-2661 or go to www.housing.ttu.edu.
- To learn about how to apply for financial aid, call (806) 742-3681 or refer to www.financialaid.ttu.edu/.
- Information about the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, university withdrawal procedures and records is retained by the Office of the Registrar at www.depts.ttu.edu/Registrar/ or call (806) 742-3661.
- For a description of services available for students with disabilities call (806) 742-2405 or refer to www.depts.ttu.edu/studentaffairs/sds/.
- For information about study abroad opportunities and guidelines, call (806) 742-3667 or go to www.studyabroad.ttu.edu/.
- For access to other services provided by Texas Tech University, refer to the main university web page at www.ttu.edu.
Alcohol and Drugs

Students in violation of drug and alcohol policies will be subject to university judicial procedures as outlined in the Code of Student Conduct. The Code can be found on the Student Affairs webpage at www.depts.ttu.edu/centerforcampuslife/.

Separately and concurrently, students may also be subject to legal proceedings in accordance with local, state and federal law.

Health Risks of Alcohol and Other Drugs

This is not an all-inclusive list of illegal and/or dangerous drugs. The following list highlights some of the most frequently abused drugs.

Alcohol is a depressant that is ingested in liquid form. The effects of alcohol are slowed nerve function, impaired judgment and delayed reaction time; excessive exposure can result in the slowing of breathing rate that could result in coma or death. Prolonged alcohol abuse has been shown to negatively affect liver and brain function.

Prescription Drug abuse is rapidly rising in the United States. People are abusing drugs prescribed to other people and themselves. The most commonly abused prescription drugs are pain medications, depressants (sleeping pills) and stimulants (used to treat hyperactivity). The physical effects of these drugs vary, but risks include addiction, organ damage and death.

Marijuana is derived from the Cannabis Sativa plant and is commonly smoked. The effects of marijuana include a feeling of well-being and relaxation. In some instances, anxiety may result. Marijuana can be psychologically addictive and long-term use may cause damage to the lungs.

Cocaine is a stimulant derived from the shrub erthroxylan coca. Cocaine can be snorted or injected intravenously. Crack, cocaine in crystalline form, is commonly smoked. This drug raises the heart rate and induces a feeling of euphoria. Tolerance of this drug develops rapidly and it is highly addictive. Some of the effects of long term use are addiction, heart attack and death.

Methamphetamines are stimulants that can be easily produced from over-the-counter medications. Ice is produced when methamphetamines are made into crystalline form and smoked. These stimulants will cause a euphoric state that commonly lasts longer than cocaine. Methamphetamines are highly addictive and can cause heart attacks and sudden death. Due to the fact that these drugs are often “homemade,” strength and purity will vary greatly. The risk of overdose is very high.

Heroin and opiates are nervous system depressants that slow down the circulatory and respiratory system. These drugs are highly addictive and discontinuing use results in severe withdrawal symptoms. There is a high risk of death from overdose.

Hallucinogens are drugs that cause physiological hallucinations and a distortion of all five senses. The most common hallucinogens are LSD, PCP, Peyote, and Psychedelic Mushrooms. Long term exposure can result in schizophrenic reactions and depression.

Available Drug or Alcohol Counseling Services

If you or someone you know is in need of drug or alcohol counseling, Texas Tech University provides students, faculty, and staff access to these services. For initial screening, students should contact Student Health Services at (806) 743-2848 or the Student Counseling Center at (806) 742-3674. For treatment programs and services, students should contact the Center for the Study of Addiction and Recovery (www.depts.ttu.edu/hs/csa/) at (806) 742-2891. Faculty and staff can utilize the Employee Assistance Program (www.ttuhs.mc/centers/swiaa/eap) by calling (806) 743-1EAP
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<td>Confine in jail for a term of not more than two years or less than 180 days and a fine not to exceed $10,000</td>
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<td>Possession of controlled substances (drugs)</td>
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<td>Delivery of marijuana</td>
<td>Confine in jail for a term of not more than 180 days and a fine not to exceed $2,000</td>
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<td>Possession of marijuana</td>
<td>Confine in jail for a term of not more than 180 days and a fine not to exceed $2,000</td>
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<td>Driving while intoxicated (includes intoxication from alcohol, drugs, or both)</td>
<td>Confine in jail for a term of not more than 180 days or less than 72 hours, and a fine not to exceed $2,000</td>
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*Penalties may be enhanced for prior offenses and offenses within specified distances of a public university. State of Texas penalties compiled from the Texas Health and Safety Code, Alcoholic Beverage Code and the Penal Code.

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