

University of Manitoba Security Services Monthly

April 2022



UM SAFE APP

UM Safe is an essential tool that sends safety alerts and provides instant access to campus safety resources. The app includes features such as “Work Alone”, “FriendWalk”, as well as a Mobile BlueLight feature similar to the stationary blue lights on our campuses.

Some of the app features involve interaction with Security Services, and some will be optional — while other features have no interaction with Security Services.

Used by hundreds of higher education institutions and millions of students around the globe, the app was developed by App Armor and is custom branded for the U of M.

The free mobile safety app for students, staff, and faculty is available for iPhone (App Store) and Android (Play Store) devices.

The Mobile BlueLight button will only contact Security Services when the person is within the campus Safe Walk boundaries. If outside of the Safe Walk boundaries, the Mobile BlueLight notification will go to 911.



SECURITY SERVICES SAFETY INITIATIVES

The Security Services Department has implemented many safety initiatives to better improve safety and security on campus. Many of these initiatives have been spearheaded by the department while others have been made in consultation with many student groups and departments on campus, such as the Environmental Health and Safety. Security Services is continuously assessing the current safety initiatives and examining future safety initiatives to provide the highest quality of safety and security on campus. Many of the safety initiatives on campus, such as the Emergency Notification System, Code Blues and Emergency Red Phones, are tested regularly to ensure that all equipment is functioning properly. Any concerns are immediately brought forward to the Physical Plant Department where repairs become a top priority.

The University has a designated emergency response team of faculty and staff to facilitate calm, quick and effective responses during emergencies. While it is impossible to predict the type and scope of an emergency, we are constantly evolving our procedures to guide our responses during various types of emergencies.

SECURITY SERVICES STATISTICS MARCH 2022



Suspicious

It is important to Security Services that the university community is comfortable and feels safe when spending time on campus. Security Services responds to reports of suspicious people and vehicles on campus.

Responded to 52 suspicious calls.

Safe Walk /Safe Ride

Safe Walk and Safe Ride is a free service in which Security Services staff will meet you and walk you or give you a ride to/from your car, your class, your residence room, or a bus stop. If you don't feel comfortable walking on campus, Security Services would be happy to assist you

Safe Walks 43 Completed. Safe Ride Suspended due to Covid 19

Medical Emergencies

Security Services responds to all medical emergencies on campus. Sometimes Security Services staff are the first to respond to an emergency, other times they play a key role in guiding the emergency responders to the correct building and room. **Responded to 7 medical emergencies.**

Access

Every day Security Services helps students and staff that want to gain access to buildings or rooms.

218 Unscheduled access requests.

Alarms

Security Services responds to all safety and security alarms on campus for example Fire, Code Blue Elevator, Emergency Phones and Panic Alarms.

Responded to 168 alarms.

University of Manitoba Fort Garry Campus - March 2022 Incidents

Break and Enter

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| March 14 | M.I.M. Building | Reported break and enter |
| March 14 | Allen Building | Reported break and enter |
| March 14 | Chancellors Hall | Reported break and enter |
| March 14 | Human Ecology | Reported break and enter |
| March 15 | North Generator Bldg. | Reported break and enter |

Mischief

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| March 15 | Wallace Building | Vandalized door |
| March 27 | On Campus | Vandalized vehicle |

Intoxicated Persons

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| March 26 | Pembina Hall | Intoxicated individual |
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Highway Traffic Act

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| March 15 | ALC Lot | Vehicle collision |
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Harassment

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| March 10 | On Campus | Reported harassment |
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Assault

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| March 20 | On Campus | Reported assault |
| March 20 | Arthur V. Mauro Res. | Reported assault |
| March 22 | On Campus | Reported assault |

Theft

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| March 01 | Fletcher Argue | Theft of electrical device |
| March 07 | Drake Centre | Theft of a backpack |
| March 18 | Honey House | Theft from vehicle |

University of Manitoba Bannatyne Campus - March 2022 Incidents

Mischief

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| March 26 | Parking | Vandalized lobby wall |
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Break and Enter

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| March 14 | Apotex Centre | Reported break and enter |
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City of Winnipeg By-Law

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| March 09 | Parkade | Unauthorized dumping of garbage |
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