RESPONDING TO DISRUPTIVE & DANGEROUS BEHAVIORS

Campus Resources for Supporting Students in Distress

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I’ve got this student...

...who creeps me out.

...who makes me scared to walk alone to my car.

...who makes me dread coming to class.

...who keeps me awake at night.

...who I’m concerned about.

...who could use some help and support.
When Student Behavior Concerns You.

Normal  Disruptive

Concerning  Dangerous
Examples of Concerning Behavior:

• Falling asleep in class

• Changes in attendance

• Changes in performance

• Changes in physical appearance

• Expressions of distress, directly to you, other students or in writing
Examples of Disruptive Behavior:

- Misuse of technology
- Frequent interruption/off topic
- Carrying on side conversation
- Poor personal hygiene
- Under the influence of alcohol or other substances
- Entitled or disrespectful talk/posts/emails directed at professor or other students
- Eating or drinking in class without permission
- Wearing inappropriate or strange clothing (or posting)
- Studying for other classes/doing other homework
- Leaving and reentering class frequently
Examples of Dangerous Behavior:

• Bullying behavior

• Directly communicated threat

• Prolonged, non-verbal, passive aggressive behavior or refusal to speak/engage

• Self-injurious behavior

• Threats of or actual physical assault

• Throwing objects/slamming doors

• Storming out of the classroom

• Psychotic, delusional orrambling speech/writing.

• Expression of racist or otherwise fixated thoughts

• Conversation/posts designed to upset other students (e.g., weapons/killing/death)
Classroom Management

People don’t care how much you know until they know how much you care. – Theodore Roosevelt
Resources

• 911

• Dean and Colleagues

• Counseling Services

• Care Team (Behavioral Intervention)

• Student Conduct Office

• Residence Life Staff

• Community Support
Specific Contacts

If there is an immediate concern for safety, call 911.

**Monday – Friday, 8–5 pm**
Student Resource Center in Juneau – 907–796–6000
Residence Life Professional Staff in Juneau – 907–796–6443
Student Resource Center in Ketchikan – 907–228–4511
Student Success Center in Sitka – 907–747–7717

**Regional Resources**
Care Team – 907–796–6465
Counseling Services – 907–796–6000
Student Conduct Office – 907–796–6529
Title IX Coordinator – title9@uas.alaska.edu
Student Code of Conduct:
www.uas.alaska.edu/students/guide/conduct.html