

Helping Students Thrive

## 2023-24 Samford<br/>University.Student Concerns and Crises<br/>A Guide for Faculty and Staff Response

Concern	Contact	Response
Class Attendance	Academic Success Center <b>205-726-2698</b> success@samford.edu	If a student misses more than two consecutive classes without notice, report the absences to the Academic Success Center, located in 203 Dwight Beeson Hall.
Academic Distress	Academic Success Center <b>205-726-2698</b> success@samford.edu	If you perceive a student is struggling academically or experiencing learning challenges, refer the student to the Academic Success Center, located in 203 Dwight Beeson Hall, for consultation regarding available services and support.
Emotional Distress	CARE Team <b>205-726-4833</b>	If you perceive a student is experiencing emotional distress (anxiety, depression, disorientation, etc.), alert the CARE Team by phone, email samfordcares@samford.edu or through the online submission form at samford.edu/go/samfordcares. A direct referral to Counseling Services 205-726-4083 is an additional option for connecting students more immediately to resources.
Disability	Accessibility and Accommodations <b>205-726-4078</b> access@samford.edu	If a student has disclosed that he/she has a disability, believes he/she has a disability or has received accommodations previously, refer the student to Accessibility and Accommodations, located in 203 Dwight Beeson Hall, for consultation. Remember that students have the right to choose not to disclose disabilities.
Student Medical Condition	CARE Team <b>205-726-4833</b>	In the event that a student suffers from a chronic medical condition, injury or hospitalization that prevents class attendance, please alert the CARE Team by phone, email samfordcares@samford.edu or through the online submission form at samford.edu/go/samfordcares.
Death in Family of a Student	CARE Team <b>205-726-4833</b>	Information related to the death of a student's family member should be reported to the CARE Team. There is an online Bereavement Form at samford.edu/go/samfordcares for your convenience or you may call the number listed for CARE Team.
Death of a Student	Public Safety 205-726-2020 Vice President of Student Affairs 205-726-2736	Information related to the death of a current student should be reported to Public Safety, located in 101A Dwight Beeson Hall. Also, notify the Office of the Vice President of Student Affairs, located in 350 University Center.
Aggressive Behavior	Public Safety <b>205-726-2020</b>	If a student exhibits aggressive behavior that threatens the safety of others or the quality of the education environment, contact Public Safety immediately, located in 101A Dwight Beeson Hall.
Threat to Self/ Others	Public Safety <b>205-726-2020</b>	If a student expresses a desire or intent to harm themselves or someone else, it is imperative that you contact Public Safety immediately, located in 101A Dwight Beeson Hall.
Sexual Assault	Title IX Coordinator <b>205-726-2764</b> Public Safety <b>205-726-2020</b>	Any information related to an allegation of sexual misconduct must be reported to the Title IX coordinator (titleix@samford.edu). With the exception of the university counselor, university ministers and campus physician, university employees must report sexual assault allegations. Reports can be filed with Public Safety, located in 101A Dwight Beeson Hall or submitted online at samford.edu/students/title-ix. Online reports have the option of anonymous submissions.
Samfor	·d CARES	General concern for a student may be submitted to the CARE Team at 205-726-2083 or <u>samford.edu/go/samfordcares</u> . Referrals are welcome and appreciated. Depending on the nature of the concern and the confidentiality laws which apply,

Referrals are welcome and appreciated. Depending on the nature of the concern and the confidentiality laws which apply, departments to which you refer students may not be able to share information with you regarding the outcome of the referral. Departments will communicate with you as necessary and appropriate.