



INDIANA UNIVERSITY

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Northwest

2010 Crime Report

Annual Security Report with Crime Statistics

Police Department's Northwest Division provides information on crime statistics, crime prevention, law enforcement, crime reporting, and other related issues on the IU Northwest campus and reported to the IU Police or local police agencies.

In compliance with the [Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Crime Statistics Act](#), the IU Crime Statistics

The IU Police Department's Northwest Division records all reports of criminal activity on campus and on property owned or controlled by the University. Reports of crimes and attempted crimes are listed according to the calendar year in which the crime was reported as required by the Clery Act, as are arrests and referrals for illegal alcohol, drug and weapons violations.

The procedures for preparing the annual disclosure of crime statistics include reporting statistics to the university community obtained from the IU Police Department's Northwest Division. A written request for statistical information is also made on an annual basis to the Gary Police Department. Statistical information which contains no personal identifying information is also requested from employees at the university Student Counseling Center, even though they are not required by law to provide statistics for the compliance document. Crime statistics for the Northwest Campus are reported to the university community through the IU Police Department's Northwest Division, which is published by the university police department.

Crime statistics for the previous three years may be found in the tables listed in this report as required by the Clery Act.

Electronic bulletin notices are sent to every enrolled student, prospective student and current employee on an annual basis. The notice includes a brief summary of the contents of the Clery crime statistics. It also includes the web address for the on-line report and information about how to request a hard copy of the report.

Hate Crime Statistics

Clery reportable Hate Crimes are published as required by the Clery Act when a crime has evidence that the victim was intentionally selected because of the victim's actual or perceived race, gender, religion, sexual orientation, ethnicity, or disability.

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Northwest**2010 Crime Statistics**

Offense	Year	On-Campus Property	Non-Campus Property	Public Property
Murder/Non-Negligent Manslaughter	2008	0	0	0
	2009	0	0	0
	2010	0	0	0
Negligent Manslaughter	2008	0	0	0
	2009	0	0	0
	2010	0	0	0
Sex Offenses, Forcible	2008	0	0	0
	2009	0	0	0
	2010	0	0	0
Sex Offenses, Non-Forcible	2008	0	0	0
	2009	0	0	0
	2010	0	0	0
Robbery	2008	0	0	0
	2009	0	0	0
	2010	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	2008	0	0	0
	2009	1	0	0
	2010	4	0	0
Burglary	2008	0	0	0
	2009	1	0	0
	2010	1	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	2008	1	0	0
	2009	2	0	0
	2010	2	0	0
Arson	2008	0	0	0
	2009	0	0	0
	2010	0	0	0
Arrests: Weapons, Carrying, Possessing, Etc.	2008	0	0	0
	2009	0	0	0
	2010	0	0	0
Disciplinary Referrals: Weapons, Carrying, Possessing, Etc.	2008	0	0	0
	2009	0	0	0
	2010	0	0	0
Arrests: Drug Abuse Violations	2008	0	0	0
	2009	0	0	0
	2010	2	0	0
Disciplinary Referrals: Drug Abuse Violations	2008	0	0	0
	2009	0	0	0
	2010	0	0	0
Arrests: Liquor Law Violations	2008	0	0	0
	2009	0	0	0
	2010	0	0	0
Disciplinary Referrals: Liquor Law Violations	2008	0	0	0
	2009	0	0	0
	2010	0	0	0

Reporting Criminal Activity

To report a crime or other emergencies to the IU Police Department's Northwest Division dial 219-980-6501 if it is an emergency from any IU Northwest campus or building phone. **We encourage the prompt and accurate reporting of all crimes on our campus or other university property so others can be given a timely warning of any danger and so that crime statistics can be reported accurately.**

Dispatchers are available at 219-980-6501, 24 hours a day to answer your call. In response to a call, IUPD will take the required action, dispatching an officer or asking the victim to report to IUPD to file an incident report. Many of the IUPD incident reports are reviewed with the Dean of Students office for potential action by the Office of Student Ethics.

IUPD Investigators will investigate a report when it is deemed appropriate. Additional information obtained via the investigation will also be forwarded to the Office of Student Ethics.

All on-campus hard-wired telephones will be routed to the Indiana University Police Department. Cell phones and off-campus telephones will be routed to the Gary Police Department Central Dispatch Center. The IU Police Department's Northwest Division is in direct contact with all other local 911 call centers.

IUPD Northwest Dispatch: 219-980-6501

Other campus phones: dial: 9-911

The IU Police Department's Northwest Division prepares reports and investigates crimes that occur on the IU Northwest campus or on any property owned or controlled by the University. Any crime or suspicious situation should be reported to police or security personnel.

A person reporting a crime to IU police may also report the incident to the local police department having jurisdiction. IU police officers can discuss this option with the victim of a crime and inform them of the procedure.

Confidential reports, which provide sufficient information for classification by law enforcement officials using guidelines established by the FBI Uniform Crime Reporting Program, will be included in campus crime statistics. Professional and pastoral counselors are encouraged to inform persons whom they counsel of our procedures for reporting such crimes, when they deem it appropriate. Confidential crime reports made to counselors may be provided to IU Police Department's Northwest Division authorities with no personally identifying information disclosed without court service. Reports can be made for the inclusion in the campus crime statistics.

Campus Emergency Phones

The IU Northwest campus has outside and inside emergency phones. Emergency telephones are located at various locations around the IU Northwest campus and in most of the campus parking lots. Some of these phones have a blue or amber color light and an emergency phone sign. For an emergency, just pick-up the receiver or press the emergency button for automatic dialing. Any crime or suspicious situation should be reported to IU Police Department personnel. Call **219-980-6501** anytime from any campus phone. A police officer will respond to your location. The appropriate agency will be contacted in the event that further assistance is needed. Instructions for contacting civil authorities or IU Police personnel may be found in the IU campus directory.

Locations of Campus Emergency Phones

Locations can be found at [IU Northwest Campus Map](#) and marked with a red phone icon. *(The IU Northwest is much to large to include as a single graphic.)*

Campus Police Authority and Jurisdiction for the IU Police Department - Northwest Campus

Officers maintain a 24 hour presence on the IU Northwest campus. IU Police officers investigate all criminal offenses that occur in its primary jurisdiction. While there is no written memorandum of understanding for assistance from other law enforcement agencies, the IU Police Department's Northwest Division receives assistance from the Gary Police Department, Lake County Sheriff's Department and the Indiana State Police when necessary or when requested during investigations. This excellent working relationship regarding mutual assistance is reciprocal. In addition, the IU Police Department's Northwest Division participates in and receives tactical response from the Gary Police Critical Incident Response Team.

Indiana Code gives post-secondary educational institutions accredited by the North Central Association the authority to appoint police officers (IC 21-39-4). The Board of Trustees and Indiana University have used that authority to form a police department. The Police at Indiana University have jurisdiction on any real property owned or occupied by the University and on any streets through and adjacent thereto. The Department also shares concurrent jurisdiction anywhere in Lake County through signed agreement with the Sheriff of Lake County (IC 21-39-4-6).

The IU Police Department's Northwest Division has a close working relationship with State and local police and a signed jurisdictional agreement with the Gary Police Department. Verbal agreements for mutual aid exist with State and local police to assist in the investigation of alleged crimes.

The IUPD Northwest employs 12 full time sworn police officers. With these full time employees, several part time police officers and student cadets assist with all functions of public safety at Indiana University. The full time and part time officers are all fully certified as law enforcement officers by the Indiana Law Enforcement Training Board. These officers meet the same standards as all other law enforcement officers in the State of Indiana.

The IUPD Northwest works closely with local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies and has direct access to the national and state law enforcement computer networks (NCIC/IDACS)

Many of the officers at the IUPD Northwest campus possess specializations in a myriad of areas. Among the employees, there are instructors in Defensive Tactics, Firearms, Emergency Vehicle Operations, HAZMAT, CPR, Domestic Violence, First Aid, Survival Tactics, Strategies and Tactics of Patrol Stops, and Standardized Field Sobriety Testing.

The IU Police Department is one of the larger university police organizations in the United States and is among the 12 largest law enforcement organizations in the state.

Fire

In case of fire there are fire pull boxes located at all building exits. If you encounter a fire, and the fire alarm is not sounding, pull the nearest alarm box and leave the building. Portable fire extinguishers, which are located in all campus buildings, are intended for use by trained personnel. If a fire alarm sounds in your building, leave the building immediately. If possible, close all doors when exiting, and use stairs. **Do not use elevators.**

Do not enter the building until IU Police or security personnel, or local emergency response personnel notify you that it is safe to do so. Disabled persons should wait at the disabled evacuation points, or in other designated areas, and assistance will be provided if evacuation is required. Disabled persons should review evacuation procedures as outlined in the Emergency Action Plan which can be located at <https://rmweb.indiana.edu/ORM/eap.cfm>.

The Office of Risk Management's web page, "[Fire Reporting System](#)" provides the public with information regarding the level of fire safety on all Indiana University campuses throughout the entire state. The Annual Fire Safety Report is available at <https://rmweb.indiana.edu/ORM/Secure/FireReportingInfo.cfm> and the site is searchable by IU campus, building name and date of fire.

Medical Assistance

All IU Police Department's Northwest Division police officers, cadets and security personnel receive training in first aid, cardiopulmonary resuscitation and life saving techniques. The IUPD Northwest campus response vehicles are equipped with AEDs (Automatic External Defibrillators). On duty officers respond to medical emergencies and notify the Gary Police Central Dispatch if ambulance or additional medical assistance is needed. For medical emergencies dial **219-980-6501**.

Lost and Found

The campus-wide Lost and Found is located in Moraine Hall.

Location:

Moraine Hall

Gary, IN 46408

Ph: 219-980-6501

Office Hours: Monday–Friday on an abbreviated part-time schedule.

Vehicle Assistance

This service is the responsibility of the IUPD. Simply call 219-980-6501 and officers will be there to help you. This service is free.

Building Access Policy and Facility Safety on the IU Northwest Campus

The University is open to the public. However, there are areas where access is restricted and not permitted without permission from a University representative. University departments can be contacted individually regarding areas of restricted access. When a building is closed, only faculty, staff, and students with specific authorization are permitted inside. Numerous academic, cultural and social activities take place on the IU Northwest campus throughout the year, and individual building hours may vary.

Facility Safety and Access Policy

During business hours, the Indiana University Northwest campus will be open to students, parents, employees, contractors, guests, and invitees. During non-business hours, access to all Indiana University's Northwest campus facilities is by key or card access if issued, or by admittance via the IUPD staff. In the case of periods of extended closing, the Indiana University Northwest campus will admit only those with prior approval to facilities.

Some facilities may have individual hours, which may vary at different times of the year. Examples are the Savannah Hall, SRSC (Student Recreation and Sports Center) and the IUN Library. In these cases, the facilities will be secured according to schedules developed by the department responsible for the facility.

Emergencies may necessitate changes or alterations to any posted schedules. Areas that are revealed as problematic have security surveys conducted. Administrators responsible for Public Safety and other concerned areas review these results. These surveys examine security issues such as landscaping, locks, alarms, lighting, and communications. Additionally, during the academic year, the representatives from the Dean of Students Office, Housing, Residence Life, IU Police, and Transportation discuss issues of pressing concern.

Physical Plant staff maintains and inspects the campus lighting system every two weeks. Call the Plant Operations Center at 219-980-6710 to report a broken or otherwise ineffective light. Although the Operations Center is open 24 hours a day, only emergency repairs will be made on evenings or Physical Plant staff maintains and inspects the campus lighting system every two weeks. Call the Physical weekends.

Tobacco Free Campus Policy

[Indiana University is a tobacco-free campus.](#) In February 2007, the Trustees mandated that smoking and the sale of tobacco products would be prohibited on all university property no later than January 1, 2008. The policy for all campuses can be found at: <http://www.indiana.edu/~uhrs/smoke-free/index.html>

Indiana University is concerned about the toll that smoking and tobacco use has on the health and well-being of the university community. As a public institution of higher education with units that research and treat the effects of smoking and tobacco use, IU believes it has an obligation to exercise leadership by promoting a healthy, smoke-free environment for its students, employees, and visitors.

Since January 1, 2008, all IU campuses have had an individually tailored policy that provides for a smoke- or tobacco-free campus.

Civility and respect are expected by all members of the university community in regards to this mandate. Violations of the policy will be addressed through existing processes in place for students, faculty and staff.

Alcohol and Drugs

Indiana University policy prohibits unauthorized possession or use or sale of alcoholic beverages, and other illegal drugs or controlled substances, or their use or possession contrary to law. IU's Northwest campus enforces compliance with state and federal laws governing alcohol and other illegal drugs. A violation of any Indiana or federal criminal law pertaining to alcohol and other illegal drugs is also a violation of the University [Code of Student Rights, Responsibilities, and Conduct](#). Such violations will be referred to the office of Judicial Affairs and may be subject to additional sanctions. Students may obtain information regarding drug or alcohol counseling, treatment, or rehabilitation programs from Indiana University's Alcohol-Drug Information Center, Student Health Center, Counseling and Psychological Services, or Dean of Students Office. University policies pertaining to alcohol and other illegal drugs are outlined in the university's Drug-Free Workplace Policy statement, and in the I.U. [Code of Student Rights, Responsibilities, and Conduct](#). Statements of policy are contained in the University's Personnel Policies manual, and notices addressing the U.S. Department of Education Regulations regarding Alcohol and Drug Use.

Crime Prevention

The IU Police Department's Northwest Division utilizes a variety of media in order to provide information and promote safety on campus. Brochures on different subjects are made available throughout the year. The IU Police Department's Northwest Division offers [crime prevention tips](#) on the Northwest campus during the academic year. IU police officers are available to present safety and security talks to campus community groups on the Northwest campus and the Gary, Indiana community. Crime prevention activities and programs include the following:

Many departments at IU offer programs that deal with alcohol awareness, personal safety, date rape, sexual assault and various other important topics. Members of the IU Police Department's Northwest Division are highly trained in their respective specializations and are available to speak at your request. For a sampling of programs we have presented in the past, please follow the links below.

If you are interested in having a representative of the IU Police Department's Northwest Division speak to your group on any one of a variety of topics, contact Sgt. Wayne James (219-980-6501). Sgt. James is the Community Programming Coordinator and will help assess your needs and arrange a speaker.

Sexual Assault Prevention and Response

If you are the victim of a sexual assault get help as soon as possible. Persons who are the victim of a sex offense on campus may report the incident to the IU Police Department's Northwest Division, or to the Gary Police Department. IU Police Department personnel can also assist you in contacting the appropriate law enforcement agency for crimes not occurring on university property.

It is the victim's choice whether or not to talk to police. A victim may choose to report the crime to any other community official, agency or Campus Security Authority; Division of Student Affairs

- Counseling a Psychological Services (CaPS)
- Office of Women's Affairs
- IU Police Department
- Student Ethics
- Sexual Assault Crisis Services (SACS)
- IU Health Clinic

The Vice Chancellor, Student Affairs or their designee are regularly informed of all serious incidents involving an IU Northwest student.

Victims of a sexual assault should seek medical attention because of the risk of sexually transmitted diseases, pregnancy, in order to determine the presence of physical injury, and to obtain evidence to help in the investigation. Not seeking medical attention could have physical and emotional consequences. IU Police Department personnel will assist a victim with transportation to a hospital, if necessary. Area hospitals have specially trained personnel to deal with sexual assaults. Before going to

the hospital do not change clothes, bathe, douche, or use the toilet. Such activities may result in evidence being lost.

If an offense involves another student, in addition to criminal prosecution, disciplinary action may be initiated within the university. The accuser and the accused are entitled to the same opportunities to have others present during a disciplinary proceeding. The outcome of the proceedings will be provided to both the accuser and the accused. Sanctions may include counseling, suspension or expulsion. Student victims may also request changes in university classroom and/or living arrangements, and those requests will be granted when such changes are reasonably available. Additional information regarding university procedures is contained in the [Code of Student Rights, Responsibilities, and Conduct](#). The IU Police Department's Northwest Division has information available regarding rape and date rape. If you are the victim of sexual assault you may be feeling a number of strong emotions and/or experiencing various physical problems. If you would like to talk to someone about what happened, you may contact the [Sexual Assault Crisis Service](#) at <http://www.iun.edu/~nwadmin/police/w/assaults/wheretohelp.shtml> . Other outside help agencies are also available.

Sex and Violent Offenders Registry

The Campus Sex Crimes Prevention Act of 2000 requires procedures to ensure that offender registration information is made available in a timely manner to law enforcement agencies with jurisdiction where institutions of higher education are located, and that it is entered into appropriate State records and data systems. Law enforcement agency information provided by the State concerning registered sex offenders may be found at the Indiana Sheriff's Association website located at <http://www.indianasheriffs.org>.

Emergency Response, Timely Warning and Evacuation Procedures

When a report of a potential emergency or other dangerous situation occurs appropriate University personnel will respond in order to assess the situation. If it is determined that an emergency or other dangerous situation involving an immediate threat to the health or safety of students or others on campus exists, immediate notification of the emergency or dangerous situation will be made to the campus community. Usually, such notification will be made by using the IU Notify emergency notification system. Notification can be accomplished using a variety of messaging methods that include text, telephone, electronic mail, television cable over-ride, sirens and/or public address systems. However, University personnel authorized to issue such notifications will use their discretion to determine the specific method(s) of notification.

If Public Safety or other campus officials confirm there is an emergency or dangerous situation that poses an immediate threat to the health or safety of some or all members of our community, the Public Safety officials and University officials, will collaborate to determine the content of the message and will use some or all of the systems described above to communicate the threat to the Northwest community or to the appropriate segment of the community, if the threat is limited to a particular building or

segment of the population. It should be noted that unlike the Timely Warning requirement, emergency notification isn't restricted just to Clery reportable crimes. Incidents such as a series gas leak, haz-mat spill, etc. could warrant the use of this protocol. University officials will, without delay and taking into account the safety of the community, determine the content of the notification and initiate the notification system, unless issuing a notification will, in the judgment of the first responders, compromise the efforts to assist a victim or to contain, respond to, or otherwise mitigate the emergency.

If the emergency information needs to be disseminated outside of the campus community this will be accomplished utilizing the campus [Emergency Preparedness](#) website at <https://www.iun.edu/~nwadmin/policenw/handbook/fire.shtml>, telephone information line, and by communicating with local news agencies.

Evacuation procedures may be found in the campus [Emergency Procedures Handbook](#), and [Emergency Action Plan](#). These documents may be found on the campus police webpage located at <http://www.iun.edu/~nwadmin/ehs/resources/programspoliciesplans.shtml>. Evacuation route maps are posted in hallways throughout all campus buildings.

Fire drills are scheduled annually to test the evacuation procedures for each building on the IU Northwest campus. A test of the IU Notify emergency notification system is conducted at least once per calendar year.

Notification to the IU Northwest Community Regarding Reported Incidents

Crime alerts, timely warnings and other information are disseminated on all incidents that in the judgment of the campus police could jeopardize the safety of university personnel, students, or visitors. This information is sent on a regular basis to the broadcast and print media outlets within and outside the Gary, Indiana area.

Police Daily Crime Logs for the most recent 60 days are open to the general public for inspection during normal business hours upon request to the IU Police Department's Northwest Division, 3400 Broadway, Gary, IN or by calling 219-980-6501. Portions of the log older than 60 days are available for public inspection within two business days of a request.

Missing Student Notification Policy and Procedures

IUPD will obtain a report and initiate an investigation. If IUPD determines that the student is missing and has been missing for more than 24 hours, IUPD will notify the appropriate Police Department. If the missing student is under the age of 18 and is not an emancipated person, IU Northwest officials will notify the student's parent or legal guardian immediately after IUPD has determined that the student has been missing for more than 24 hours.

Sexual Harassment

If you believe that you are being sexually harassed, contact the IU Affirmative Action Office. The Affirmative Action Office responds to all complaints. Sexual harassment may include any unwelcome sexual advance, request for sexual favors and other physical conduct of a sexual nature. Penalties range from warnings to dismissal and complainants are protected from retaliation by the alleged harasser. The Affirmative Action Office offers presentations and information on sexual harassment.

For more information, please contact:

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<http://www.iun.edu/~nwadmin/afaction/>