

## Statement of Policy Regarding Firearms and Weapons

Guns and ammunition of all kinds are prohibited on the UMM campus. This includes, but is not limited to: hunting rifles, airsoft guns, paintball guns, pellet guns, BB guns, bows and arrows, hunting knives, martial arts weapons, and ammunition.

## Missing Student Notification Policy

If a member of the University of Maine at Machias campus community has reason to believe that a student who resides in on-campus housing is missing notify the professional on-call at (207) 263-4371 or Campus Safety at (207) 263-9315 immediately.

In addition to registering an emergency contact, students residing on campus have the option to list confidentially, a second individual they wish to be contacted by the Dean of Students in the event the student is determined to be missing for more than 24 hours. Students who wish to identify a confidential emergency contact can do so at the Student Affairs Office located on the second floor of Powers Hall. This contact information will not be disclosed to anyone except law enforcement in connection with a missing person's investigation.

After receiving a report of a missing student, the Dean of Students will work with other offices/departments on campus to determine whether or not a student is missing. Should the University determine that the student is missing and has been missing for more than 24 hours, the Dean of Students will notify the Machias Police Department and Washington County Sheriff's Office to facilitate the entry of that individual into the National Crime Information Center computer system. The student's emergency contact or the confidential contact will be notified no later than 24 hours after the student is determined to be missing.

If the missing student is under the age of 18 and is not emancipated, the Dean of Students will notify the student's parent or legal guardian immediately after the University has determined the student has been missing for more than 24 hours and will also make a report to local law enforcement.

Contact Information:

- UMM Campus Safety (207) 263-9315
- UMM Professional On-Call (207) 263-4371

### **Definitions:**

**Missing Student:** A student is determined to be missing when the University of Maine at Machias or other law enforcement agency determines that the student has been missing for more than 24 hours, without any known reason, that the reported information is credible, and that circumstances warrant declaring the person missing.

**On-Campus Housing:** A residence hall for students that is located on UMM's campus. Dorward Hall is the residence hall for the University of Maine at Machias.