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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” and “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 people 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.



App Store



Google Play

PERSONAL SAFETY

Generally speaking, Winnipeg is a safe place to live. Nonetheless, whether at home, on campus, or around the city, everyone should be aware and consider their personal safety.

SAFETY TIPS

- » Plan to use the safest and most direct route when travelling to your destination while on campus. Walk with a friend or consider contacting the University of Manitoba Security Services for a SAFEWALK.
- » Avoid isolated areas, alleyways, and places with low visibility at night.
- » When walking, ensure that you are not wearing headphones or electronic devices that can distract you.
- » Avoid being intoxicated or under the influence of drugs.
- » When walking, appear confident and always be aware of your surroundings.
- » When walking around the city, be conscious of the weather and dress and prepare accordingly.



- » If it appears that you are being followed or you feel threatened for any reason, immediately run away and scream and shout to attract attention. Be sure to contact Security Services on campus or 911 off campus immediately.
- » Refrain from carrying an excessive amount of cash and ensure your personal belongings, such as your purse, backpack, and laptop, are always close to you.
- » When at home, ensure that your doors and windows are always locked, including your vehicle doors, to prevent someone from breaking in.
- » When working alone on campus, use the UM Safe App and ensure your unit has a working-alone plan.

CAMPUS SECURITY STATISTICS MAY 2024



Suspicious

It is essential 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 60 Suspicious Calls

Safe Walk/Safe Ride

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

21 Safe Walks Completed / 0 Safe Ride Completed

Medical Emergencies

Security Services responds to all medical emergencies on campus. Sometimes Security Services staff are the first to respond to an emergency. They also play a key role in guiding the emergency responders to the correct building and room. **10 Medical Emergencies**

Parking Services

Security Services works closely with Parking Services at the University of Manitoba. Security Services staff helped Parking Services in the following way:
2 Calls for service

Access

Everyday Security Services helps students and staff who want access to buildings or rooms. Security Services staff must alter daily operations to assist with unscheduled door openings. **221 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.

Response to 212 Alarms

University of Manitoba Fort Garry Campus - May 2024 Incidents

Theft

May 08	St. Paul's College	Theft of a bicycle
May 09	ALC	Theft of personal items
May 10	ALC	Theft of a bicycle
May 13	Plant Science Field Station	Theft of a vehicle
May 13	J.H. Ellis Building	Theft of a bicycle
May 13	ALC	Theft of personal items
May 15	Fletcher Argue Building	Theft of cash
May 16	ALC	Theft of a bicycle
May 18	EITC E1	Theft of a bicycle
May 21	K Lot	Theft of a vehicle emblem
May 21	ALC	Theft of personal items
May 23	ALC	Theft of a bicycle
May 24	Elizabeth Dafoe Library	Theft of a passport
May 24	Mary Speechly Hall	Theft of a bicycle
May 24	Physical Plant	Theft of a wallet
May 24	ALC	Theft of a bicycle
May 28	Physical Plant	Theft of a credit card
May 28	EITC E2	Theft of a bicycle

Public Order

May 07	On Campus	Individual causing a disturbance
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Assault

May 24	Tache Hall	Assault
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Mischief

May 08	Stanley Pauley Centre	Vandalized window
May 11	Tier Building	Graffiti on wall
May 12	ACW Lot	Forced entry of a vehicle

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Trespassing

May 10	On Campus	Individual trespassing
May 15	On Campus	Individual trespassing
May 21	University Centre	Individual trespassing
May 23	EITC E3	Individual trespassing

Highway Traffic Act

May 01	On campus	Dangerous driving
May 04	Roadways	Motor vehicle accident
May 06	Roadways	Vehicle hit and run
May 14	Q Lot	Motor vehicle accident
May 23	Roadways	Dangerous driving
May 24	B Lot	Damaged vehicle
May 25	ALC	Dangerous driving

University of Manitoba Bannatyne Campus - May 2024 Incidents

Mischief

May 27	Lot E	Attempted forced entry of a vehicle
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Theft

May 06	Brodie Centre	Theft of a bicycle
May 07	Lot H	Theft of a laptop
May 22	Brodie Centre	Theft of a cell phone
May 27	Dentistry Building	Attempted theft of a bicycle
May 30	BMSB	Theft of tools

Smoking By-Law

May 06	BMSB	Individual smoking in building
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