

**ST. CLAIR COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE
POLICY AND PROCEDURE**

Name: Student Mental Health Emergency Response
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1.0 INTRODUCTION

1.1 DEFINITION of Student Mental Health Emergency Response

Policy and procedures apply to any student who attends St. Clair County Community College.

1.2 PURPOSE

The purpose of this procedure is to provide a process for responding to student mental health crisis which may involve danger to self or others, including, but not limited to, suicidal ideation, attempts to harm self and/or attempts to harm, injure, or kill others as a member of the student body at St. Clair County Community College. The primary goal for all of our students is to keep each student safe within our campus community.

1.3 SCOPE

This procedure shall apply to all students at the college.

1.4 RESPONSIBILITY

It is the responsibility of the Director of Student Wellness to ensure that this procedure is followed and updated as needed, in collaboration with the Chief of Human Resources .

1.5 POLICY STATEMENT and ACTION STEPS:

- Students suspected of displaying homicidal thoughts or intent – contact 9-1-1 or PHPD Campus Resource Officer.
- Students suspected of wanting to harm themselves are immediately referred to any of the following resources for intervention as follows:
 - Director of Student Wellness at 810-989-5552.
 - Local Law Enforcement for a wellness check by calling 9-1-1.
 - St. Clair County Community Mental Health during normal business hours at 888-225-4447.
 - St. Clair County Community Mental Health Mobile Crisis Response Unit at 810-966-2575 (24 hours day/7 days a week).
 - McLaren Port Huron Hospital Emergency Room may be contacted at 810-989-3300 for community referrals for student psychiatric hospitalizations.

Additionally, SC4 Campus Patrol may also be contacted at 810-989-5757 for additional supportive services.

- Professional Counseling Center has a service agreement with the college and may be contacted at 810-984-4202 to provide mental health services during normal business hours.