



To: Members of the Fraternity/Sorority Community

From: Dr. Larry Lunsford, Vice President for Student Affairs

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Re: Expectations of our Greek Community

Florida International University values a safe, educational, and positively impactful fraternity and sorority community. As members of our Greek community, it is your responsibility to be committed to these values.

Over the past few months, our campus has seen an increase in undesirable behaviors that have impacted our university and student body. This memo serves as an official reminder that any type of reckless or dangerous behaviors of individual members or chapters will not be tolerated. As a member of the Greek community, it is your responsibility to value an enriched, well-rounded experience, both academically and socially. It is also your responsibility to not jeopardize others' lives or well-being throughout your experience.

It is also important to remember that any action or function that violates the student code of conduct will be subject to sanctioning by the Office of Student Conduct and Conflict Resolution, regardless of location. Additionally, all reports submitted will be fully examined, and any violations of federal and state laws will be subject to police investigation.

The well-being and safety of our students is our highest priority. It should also be a value that you uphold. Our FIU is a caring community that has a shared set of values that govern who we are as individuals and as an institution. Each of you are responsible for creating a healthy, safe, and inclusive environment while holding yourself to a higher standard of civility, integrity, and respect.

We expect that each of you will look out for one other and speak up when you see something. If you are aware of an incident involving threatening and intimidating behavior, you may report it [anonymously](#) or you may call my office, 305-348-2797. If an emergency should arise, you should not hesitate to call 911 for assistance.

Through living higher standards and fostering a spirit of accountability, each of you will contribute to the growth and strength of the Greek community for generations to come.