

NKU COMMUNITY CARE TEAM
(Formerly Students of Concern Committee)

If an incident is an emergency, contact the Northern Kentucky University Police Department at 911 or 859-572-7777.

Purpose:

The NKU Community Care Team, formerly the Students of Concern Committee, is the behavioral intervention team for the Northern Kentucky University and is interdisciplinary in its makeup. The NKU Community Care Team members provide guidance to the Student Conduct, Rights & Advocacy (SCRA) staff on reports received related to students experiencing academically or socially disruptive situations and concerns. The NKU Community Care Team meets regularly during the academic year to provide guidance to SCRA staff on these reports and to advance collaborative solutions for the NKU campus community.

Charge:

- Maintain a safe campus environment that is conducive to student success while balancing its concern for individual students
- Use reasonable discretion, based on a record of relevant materials, in order to make informed decisions that are in the best interest of the student(s) involved and the NKU campus community
- Promote greater engagement of the University community with efforts to report and advocate for students in need of NKU community support

Membership Representation:

- Assistant Dean of Students (Chair)
- Student Conduct, Rights & Advocacy
- NKU Police
- NKU Health Services
- NKU Counseling Services
- Center for Student Inclusiveness
- Academic Affairs/Faculty
- Legal Affairs & General Counsel
- University Housing
- University Connect and Persist
- Additional faculty/staff may be consulted on a case by case basis

Membership Appointment: Members are appointed by the Vice President for Students Affairs, or designee

Membership Terms: Members serve based on the responsibilities of their University position.

Frequency of Meetings: Regularly through the Fall/Spring academic semesters

Expected Lifespan: Ongoing

Reporting Requirements:

Decisions and plan of actions from NKU Community Care Team meetings are documented in the Student Conduct, Rights & Advocacy confidential database.

Operating Procedures:

- Make recommendations to the Assistant Dean of Students on how to proceed with reports related to student behavioral health and issue.

Relationship to Other Committees: N/A

Typical Date of Membership Turnover: Varies

Responsible Office: Office of Student Conduct, Rights, & Advocacy

Administrative Contact Name & Position:

Bob Alston, Assistant Dean of Students/Director of Student Conduct, Rights, & Advocacy
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Website:

<http://scra.nku.edu>

Membership Roster

REPRESENTATIVES	DEPARTMENT
Assistant Dean of Students/Director	Office of Student Conduct, Rights & Advocacy
Director	Student Counseling Services
Associate Director of Residence Life	University Housing
Director	Student Health Services
Associate Dean	College of Arts & Sciences
Coordinator for Case Management	Student Conduct, Rights & Advocacy
Assistant Director for Student Conduct	Student Conduct, Rights & Advocacy
Chief of University Police	University Police
Deputy General Counsel	Legal Affairs & General Counsel
Coordinator	University Connect and Persist
Coordinator	Center for Student Inclusiveness

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