

Sleeper Hall

SUMMER DORMITORY FIRE SAFETY

PROHIBITED IN DORM ROOMS

- Hot plates
- Space heaters
- Candles
- Incense
- Smoking
- Halogen Lamps
- Storage of any flammable material/chemical
- Grill
- Firearms
- Fireworks



FIRE SAFETY REMINDERS

1. Check that your room has a smoke alarm
2. Do not hang anything off Sprinkler heads
3. Know the evacuation plan
4. When cooking watch for loose fitting clothing and do not leave appliances unattended
5. Do not overload extension cords or run them under doors or rugs

How to Properly Use a Fire Extinguisher



While the specifics may vary depending on the model you own, most fire extinguishers operate the same basic way. Stand six to eight feet away from the fire and remember to **PASS**:

P_{ULL}



1. Pull the pin at the top to break the tamper seal.

A_{IM}



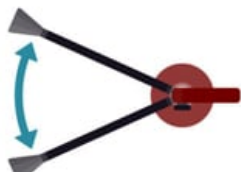
2. Aim the extinguisher low, pointing the nozzle at the base of the fire. Do not aim at the flames themselves.

S_{QUEEZE}



3. Squeeze the handle to release the extinguishing agent.

S_{WEEP}



4. Sweep the extinguisher from side to side, continuing to aim at the base of the fire until it appears to be out.



Fire Alarm Types:

<https://www.bu.edu/ehs/residential-safety->



EVACUATION PROCEDURE

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Fire Evacuation Plan for 275 Babcock St., Sleeper

SEE FIRE OR SMOKE?

Follow the R.A.C.E. FIRE PLAN

Rescue/Remove

person(s) from the immediate fire scene/room.

Alert/Activate

the nearest fire alarm pull station, alert staff, call out "CODE RED", then dial 911 and 617 353-2121 (BUPD) once outside safely.

- State the exact location of the fire and any details.
- Fire alarm pull stations are located at each exit.

Confine

fire and smoke by closing ALL doors to rooms and areas.

- Never leave fire doors open
- Never block egress routes

Extinguish/Evacuate

a small fire by using a fire extinguisher or use to escape large fires.

Evacuate building immediately; report to supervisor, resident assistant or other appropriate person.

- Those requiring assistance, position at nearest stairwell and report location to Incident Command personnel, Public Safety Officer, or Fire Department personnel.
- Do not use elevators
- When possible, carry your keys and Terrier Card (BU ID)
- Fire escapes may be used as a secondary egress, do not use balconies

This Buildings Rally Point:

New Balance Field

Important Numbers:

- BU Police: **617-353-2121**
 - Fires, medical emergencies, security issues
- BU Control Center: **617-353-2105**
 - Building or facilities-related issues,
- BU EHS: **617-353-4094**
 - EHS Emergencies (Floods, spills, Odor, etc.)
 - <https://www.bu.edu/ehs>

HOT FACTS ABOUT CAMPUS FIRES

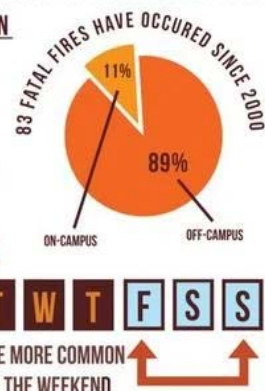


ANNUAL DAMAGE FROM FIRES AT U.S. COLLEGES



NUMBER OF FIRES ANNUALLY ON U.S. COLLEGE CAMPUSES SINCE 2003

3,350 - 4,220



Paths Of Egress

- All paths of egress must be unobstructed at all times

KEEP EMERGENCY EXITS CLEAR AT ALL TIMES



LEGEND

E	FIRE EXTINGUISHER
A	ALARM PULL BOX
■	EGRESS
●	YOU ARE HERE

