This bulletin is in Compliance with 20 U.S.C. Section 1092 (f), the "Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act" ("Clery Act"), and the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). The purpose of this notice is to inform the campus community about crimes that have come to the attention of the UC Merced Police Department and have occurred on campus, in certain off-campus buildings leased by UC Merced, or on public property immediately adjacent to and accessible from the campus and pose an ongoing threat to students and employees.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, MERCED POLICE DEPARTMENT



Campus Safety Bulletin

Incident Date: October 21, 2023 – October 26, 2023

Location: UC Merced- Summits Residence Halls

Case #: UCMPD # 23-490

Suspect(s): Unknown

Incident: The UC Merced Police Department has received information about three (3) separate incidents of an unknown male subject entering the Summits Residence Halls without authorization between October 21, 2023 and October 26, 2023. The subject is described as an older man wearing all black clothing, a backpack, a beanie, and he had a long reddish beard. He may also have blue eyes and reddish-brown hair.

The male got into elevators and followed residents. He made inappropriate comments that made the residents feel uncomfortable. These incidents are under investigation by the UC Merced Police Department. Please contact the UC Merced Police Department if you have information on this person or see him on campus.

Safety Tips:

- Remember to lock your doors and windows. Do not open your door to anyone you do not know or feel comfortable with.
- Make sure that someone knows where you are going, who you will be with and when you expect to return.
- If you start to feel uncomfortable about a person or a situation, try to remove yourself as quickly as possible from the situation.
- If you see anything suspicious or of a safety concern, please report it to Student Housing or UC Merced Police Department.
- Be aware of your surroundings and do not let others follow you into the residence halls or other secure buildings.
- If you need a safety escort and are on university owned, leased, or maintained property, please call the UC Merced Police Department to request a safety escort. Police staff will respond to your location and provide you with a safety escort.

Report all suspicious persons and activity or information regarding this case to the UC Merced Police Department immediately at CAT-COPS (209-228-2677)

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Report in progress crimes by calling 9-1-1 Non-Emergency – CAT COPS (209-228-2677)