



ROBERTS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

Timely Warnings

Timely Warnings are required to be issued for all Clery Act crimes that occur on the University's Clery Act geography that are reported to Campus Security Authorities or local law enforcement and considered by the University to represent a serious or continuing threat to students and employees.

Students, faculty, staff, community members and guests are encouraged to report all crimes and public safety-related incidents to Campus Safety in a timely manner to aid in providing accurate and timely warning notices to the community when appropriate, and to ensure inclusion in the annual crime statistics. In the event of a serious incident which may pose an on-going threat to members of the University community, a Timely Warning in the form of a Security Alert is sent to all affected students and employees on campus. The alerts are generally written and distributed to the campus community by the Director of Campus Safety or the Vice President for Student Organization & Development.

Alerts and updates to the University community about any particular case may be distributed via blast email or text message, and posted on the Roberts Wesleyan University website. Security Alert posters may also be posted by Campus Safety in campus buildings when deemed necessary. When Security Alerts are posted in campus buildings, they are posted in the lobby/entrance area of affected building(s) for at least seven days.

The issuance of a Timely Warning will be decided on a case by case basis. Factors to be taken into consideration are the nature of the crime, whether there is a continuing danger to the campus community and the possible risk of compromising law enforcement efforts.