

# **Campus Hazing Transparency Report**

July 1, 2025 - December 15, 2025

#### FEDERAL STATE AND ANTI-HAZING LAWS

<u>The Stop Campus Hazing Act (SCHA)</u> is federal legislation that became law in December 2024. It requires each institute of higher education to disclose hazing incidents. <u>Connecticut Anti-Hazing Law</u> defines hazing as, "any action which recklessly or intentionally endangers the health or safety of a person for the purpose of initiation, admission into or affiliation with, or as a condition for continued membership in a student organization."

# CENTRAL CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY HAZING POLICY AND PROCEDURE

Central Connecticut State University's policy regarding hazing and the procedures used to prevent it can be found <a href="https://example.com/here">here</a>. The policy was adopted and published on June 26, 2025.

#### HAZING PREVENTION AND AWARENESS PROGRAMS

The university provides hazing prevention training to all club and organization leaders, as well as with all student-athletes. This training is designed to bring awareness to hazing with the goal of preventing hazing behaviors. Student club and organization leaders participate in training that discusses the definition of hazing and makes clear that hazing is prohibited in all university clubs and organizations. They also participate in the university's bystander intervention training, which teaches participants to identify hazing behaviors, understand that hazing is a problem, recognize their responsibility to intervene, and take action by reporting such behaviors.

Throughout the Fall 2025 semester, there were three club and organization leader trainings that discussed hazing; these took place on September 4, 2025, September 8, 2025, and October 23, 2025. In addition, leaders and members of new clubs engaged in a training on December 5, 2025 that discussed the topic of hazing and how to avoid hazing behaviors in their clubs and organizations. Hazing was also addressed during the opening year meeting with all student-athletes. In addition, Central's Inter-Greek Council hosted a "Stop Hazing" campaign from September 23-25, 2025. This was a digital program that provided information and resources to students about hazing and how to prevent its occurrence.

#### REPORTING PROCESS

Central Connecticut State University encourages the reporting of incidents of hazing and takes each report seriously. The university diligently and thoroughly investigates all reports, in accordance with the *CSCU Hazing Prevention and Reporting Policy* and the *CSCU Interim Student Code of Conduct*. Any person may report an incident of hazing in person, by mail, by telephone, or by email, using the contact information listed for the university's Office of Student Rights and Responsibilities or by utilizing Central Connecticut State University's reporting electronic system, <a href="https://ccsu-advocate.symplicity.com/public report/index.php/pid797764">https://ccsu-advocate.symplicity.com/public report/index.php/pid797764</a>.

## REPORTS OF HAZING

Per the SCHA, Central Connecticut State University compiles and publishes relevant and pertinent information<sup>1</sup> regarding each incident of hazing for which a recognized student organization was found responsible.

Beginning July 1, 2025, this information is collected and subsequently published (and updated) twice a year<sup>2</sup>. As indicated below, there were no reports of hazing reported to the university during this reporting period.

| Name of<br>Student<br>Organization | Description of Violation | Abuse/Misuse<br>of Alcohol<br>and/or Drugs<br>[Y/N] | Sanctions/Remedies<br>Assigned | Date<br>Incident<br>Occurred | Date<br>Investigation<br>Initiated | Date of<br>Responsible<br>Finding | Date<br>Organization<br>Notified of<br>Finding |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------|---|--------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| N/A                                | N/A                      | N/A   | N/A                            | N/A                          | N/A                                | N/A                               | N/A  |

## **GENERAL STATISTICS**<sup>3</sup>

| How many incidents were reported to MUNICIPAL law enforcement?  |  |  |  |
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| How many incidents were reported to CAMPUS law enforcement?   |  |  |  |
| How many reported incidents warranted a TIMELY WARNING to the campus community?   |  |  |  |
| How many reports occurred on CAMPUS PROPERTY, including but not limited to, ON-CAMPUS STUDENT HOUSING?                    |  |  |  |
| How many reports occurred on PUBLIC PROPERTY?   |  |  |  |
| How many reports occurred on NON-CAMPUS BUILDINGS AND PROPERTY, including but not limited to, OFF-CAMPUS STUDENT HOUSING? |  |  |  |
| How many reports occurred at an UNKNOWN LOCATION?   |  |  |  |
| How many reported incidents were investigated?  |  |  |  |
| How many reported incidents did NOT RESULT IN A RESPONSIBLE FINDING?  |  |  |  |
| How many reported incidents resulted in RESPONSIBLE FINDING?  |  |  |  |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Institutions may add other information to this report that they find necessary, appropriate, and/or required by local and/or State law, so long as it does not include personally identifiable information.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> It is not required to post an updated report if no hazing incidents with a responsible finding occurred.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> This is for Clery reporting, and does not require inclusion in the Transparency Report, however these statistics must be publicly available and linked.