

As the 2023-2024 academic year gets under way our work to modernize our approach to campus safety and security continues.

The last year saw a significant re-imagining of our campus safety, security and health strategies begin to evolve. Beginning in the late summer of 2022 our teams began a long-term, comprehensive initiative to modernize our approach to campus safety and security focusing on three core areas of operation: – teams, tools and technology, and training.

Equipment upgrades include a multi-year effort replacing the 1980s-era blue light phones with the LiveSafe app – now branded CATSafe.

Coming soon are upgrades to display screens across campus that will communicate critical information during an emergency. Combined with CATSafe's geofencing feature—an optional but highly recommended feature of the app—our Emergency Management team will have the ability to deliver urgent safety messages specific to the area of campus where you are located and enable you to interactively text messages to first responders if necessary.

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