FIRE PREVENTION

The best way to prevent fire is to minimize its potential through the observation of safe work practices and housekeeping.

You should observe the following basic rules:

- ✓ Keep storage areas neat and clean.
- Avoid accumulating excessive paper products.
- Do not store combustible items such as paper and cardboard against electrical panels, in telephone closets, stairwells, and corridors.
- Do not store flammable or combustible fluids or gases without permission from the building manager.
- Keep lunch rooms and kitchens clean.
- Maintain electrical appliances in good working order. Periodically check for potential electrical hazards such as frayed cords, broken plugs and overloaded electrical outlets. Avoid using extension cords.
- Make sure all electrical appliances and cords are approved by the Underwriters Laboratory (UL).
- ✓ Use timers to automatically shut off coffee makers.
- ☑ Do not block or hamper passageways or exit doors.
- Refrain from stacking items too high or close to the ceiling where they may hamper the operation of sprinkler devices. Nothing should be hung from sprinkler heads or sprinkler piping.
- ☑ Do not use space heaters. These units are a major cause of building fires and their use is not authorized within the building.

EMERGENCY

CONTACT INFORMATION

FIRE/MEDICAL EMERGENCY	911
HARVARD UNIVERSITY POLICE PUBLIC SAFETY	(617) 495-1212
UNIVERSITY OPERATIONS CENTER ALL OTHER EMERGENCIES	(617) 495-5560
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ADMINISTRATION BUSINESS HOURS	WENDY HEALY AREA MANAGER 617-496-8553
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EMERGENCY PROCEDURES





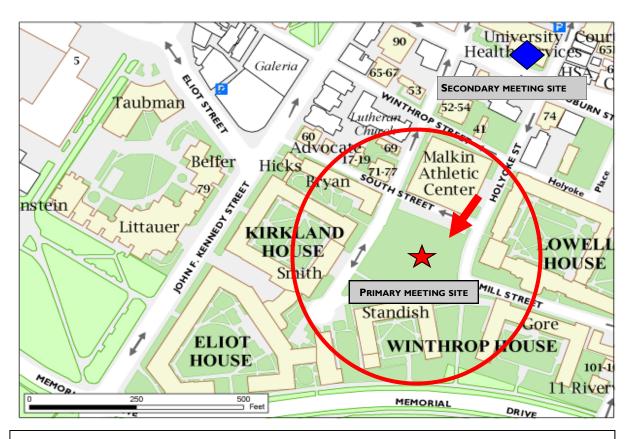
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GENERAL EVACUATION GUIDELINES

- ☑ If the fire alarm is activated **STOP** all activities and immediately initiate an evacuation.
- ☑ If it is safe to do so, close doors behind you as you exit.
- If you encounter visitors or guests assist as necessary to the closest emergency exit.
- ✓ Follow **EXIT** signs to the nearest fire stairwell.
- Do not use elevators.
- ☑ Go to your designated meeting site.
- ✓ Please wait for further instructions.
- ☑ Do NOT re-enter the building until authorized by HUPD or the CFD.

FIRE/MEDICAL EMERGENCY	911
	FRONT DESK
AED	POOL DECK
	✓ 4TH FLOOR
STERROR DETERMS, HOMBIGARINE	SOUTH EAST
3 LOCATIONS	CORNER



IF YOU DISCOVER A FIRE

RELOCATE - If safe to do so, relocate people in immediate danger. Beware of persons who may need assistance.

ALARM - Pull the building fire alarm to alert others. Fire pull stations are typically near the fire exits and main exits

CONFINE - Close all doors as you exit your office, if safe to do so.

EVACUATE - Evacuate the building. Do not use elevators. Report to your designated meeting site.

PLAN AHEAD

- ☑ Learn the location of alternative exits from all work areas.
- ☑ Know the location of the nearest fire alarm and learn how to use it.
- ☑ Know the location of your buildings/departments meeting site.
- If you have a disability that may delay your escape communicate your needs with your building manager or the Accessible Education Office.

