Eastern Michigan University Emergency Response

ACADEMIC PROGRAMS ABROAD
Office 734.487.2424
*Emergency Number: 734.487.1222
*Will connect you to an EMU DPS. Available 24/7

Emergency Protocol

Medical Emergency:
- Seek immediate medical attention at the nearest medical facility.
- Notify the program director/coordinator about any medical emergency.
- The program director/coordinator will contact APA.

This information will be treated confidentiality, and will be shared by the program director/coordinator on a “need to know” basis only. If the crisis involving the student is grave enough to jeopardize your safety or wellbeing, the emergency contact you have provided at the time of registration will be informed.

Non-Medical Emergency Protocol:
- Seek immediate safety.
- Contact the program director/coordinator. Their responsibility is to make sure that you are safe.
- The program director/coordinator will be in touch with APA and will recommend appropriate steps depending on the situation.
- Follow the program director/coordinator's instructions.

During a political crisis or some other emergency during which foreigners in general or U.S. citizens in particular may be at risk, keep a low profile; avoid demonstrations, confrontations or situations where you could be in danger; avoid behavior that could call attention to yourself; avoid locales where foreigners or U.S. citizens are known to congregate; and take down signs, avoid using luggage tags and wearing clothes that would label you as a U.S. citizen.

If separated: If you are unable to make your departure flight, contact APA at 734.487.2424 as soon as possible. APA will be in contact with your program director/coordinator to let them know of any new arrangements. If separated from program itinerary; it is recommended that you proceed to the next planned program location and wait for your group. If this is not an option, you should return to your accommodations and contact program director/coordinator.