



University of Pittsburgh

Police Department

Public Safety Building
3412 Forbes Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15260
Emergency: 412-62(4-2121)
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<http://police.pitt.edu>

Crime Prevention Tips

TRUST YOUR INSTINCTS: If you feel uncomfortable in a place or situation, **LEAVE!!!
Notify the police if necessary.**

- Enter (412-624-2121) for Pitt Police in your cell phone using speed dial #9 or in your "Favorites"
- Report suspicious activity immediately
- Be aware of your surroundings
- Walk in well-lit areas
- Walk with a friend or in groups
- Walk with confidence
- Stay on main roads when possible
- Utilize the shuttle system or Safe Rider Service - (412-648-2255)

- Laptop Security – install CompuTrace/LoJack
Contact: Technology Help Desk – <http://technology.pitt.edu> or dial x4-HELP
- Avoid leaving valuables unattended
- Personalize your book on a page of your choice

- Use ATM machines during daylight hours
- Use Pitt Funds instead of cash

- Lock all doors and windows
- Become familiar with your neighbors and the neighborhood
- Avoid leaving valuables in plain site from a car or through windows

Use good judgment, passive behavior is acceptable.
If you feel threatened, give up your belongings.

- "Rob the robber" of their next crime "become a good witness"
 - ✓ Remain calm and be observant
 - ✓ Call the police immediately from a safe place
 - ✓ Give description and the direction of flight

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