Timely Warnings - CRIME ALERTS

In order to keep the UTEP community informed about serious crimes and security issues, Timely Warnings may be issued in the form of a Crime Alert. Crime Alerts are issued on a case-by-case basis in a manner that will provide notification to the campus community about certain reportable criminal incidents that occur on or very near the campus. The institution must also believe the criminal incident poses a continuing threat to the community and the alert will aid in the prevention of similar crimes in the future. In the event that a situation arises, either on or off campus, that, in the judgment of the Chief of University Police, constitutes an ongoing or continuing threat, a campus wide “timely warning” will be issued. The warning will be issued through the UTEP e-mail system to students, faculty, and staff. Depending on the particular circumstances of the crime, especially in situations that could pose an immediate threat to the community and individuals, the University Police Department may also post a notice on the campus wide electronic bulletin board on the University Police Web site, and work with University Communications in providing the university community with more immediate notification. Anyone with information warranting a timely warning should report the circumstances to University Police Department, by phone (915) - 747-5611 or in person at our office at 3118 Sun Bowl Drive.

The subsequent pages comprise the most recent timely warnings that have been issued. They are listed in reverse chronological order.
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Arson:

During the below time frame, pieces of paper attached to magnets at the front entrance of two apartment doors were set on fire. As a result, the doors sustained minor damage consisting of scorch marks.

Suspect Description: Unknown

Date reported: August 25, 2014

Occurred: August 24, 2014, 11:00 p.m. to August 25, 2014, 6:00 a.m.

Location: Miner Village – Franklin Hall – 2501 N. Oregon, El Paso, TX 79968

If you have questions or information regarding these incidents please contact: Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or- Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

Safety tips:

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• Report any unusual circumstances to your RLA or to the UTEP Police
• Emergency Dial 9-1-1 (Police, Fire & Ambulance)
Man with a Gun
At about 3:15p.m. Today, the UTEP Police Department has received a report of a man with a gun that was seen at Miner Heights and walking towards Schuster Ave.

Suspect Description:
White or Hispanic male, light complexion, tall, slender build, 20-25 years of age, short blondish hair (GI. style) wearing a dark or charcoal grey t-shirt. The t-shirt had a distinctive light green pocket with a palm tree logo, wearing blue jeans. In possession of a dark colored semi-automatic handgun.

He was seen with a Hispanic female, 18-20, slender build, light brown shoulder length hair, last seen wearing a fitted white V-neck blouse or t-shirt and possibly black denim pants.

They were in the company of two males:
The first male is described as a white or Hispanic male, wearing a yellow neon hoodie, 20-25 yrs of age, 5’7” tall, medium build and brown hair.
The second male is described as a Hispanic male, 6’ ft. tall, heavy build, 20-25 yrs. of age with a slight brown beard wearing a baggy white T-Shirt and dark pants.

If you see someone matching this description, please contact the University Police immediately at 5611 or 747-5611.

If you have questions or possess information regarding these incidents please contact;

Detective Armando Fonseca
747-6639

Detective Earl Arbogast
747-6236
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Arson:
During the below time frame, a piece of paper attached to a clip at the front of an apartment door was set on fire. As a result, the door sustained minor damage.

Suspect Description:
Unknown

Time and Location of occurrence:
Date: December 9th, 2013
Occurred: from December 6th to December 9th
Location: Miner Heights - Cottonwood Hall – 400 W. Schuster, El Paso, TX 79901

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other incident please contact: Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or- Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

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Arson:

During the below time and location, papers attached to a clip on the front doors to five apartment doors were set on fire. As a result, some of the doors sustained minor damage.

Suspect Description:

Unknown

Time and Location of occurrence:

Date: November 26th, 2013

Occurred: from 0230 to 0800

Location: Miner Village - Sacramento Hall - 2441 N. Oregon, El Paso, TX 79902

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other incident please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or- Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

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**Class A Assault - Harassment:**

Two female students were walking on Oregon St. by the Glory Road Transit Terminal when an unidentified male individual started following them. The females entered Miner Village and upon entering the gate they turned to close it. The male then pushed and kicked the gate in an attempt to open it. The male then left the area when he could not enter the gate. One student reported she hurt her hands as she was pushing back on the gate to lock it, hence the assault charge.

**Time and Location of occurrence:**

September 24, 2013 at approximately 11:25 A.M.
100 block of W. Robinson @ Miner Village

**Suspect Description:**

- Hispanic male approximately 5’3 to 5’5 in height, medium build, tan complexion. Short, dark hair last seen wearing black running pants, black hoodie, black tennis shoes (possibly “skater” shoes), with white earring “gauges” in both ear lobes. If you have questions or information regarding this or any other incident please contact:

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**Robbery:**

El Paso PD report a male student filed a report that while he was walking by Mundy Park (500 block of Porfirio Diaz), he was approached by an unknown Hispanic male who demanded a ride or he would shoot the victim. The victim stated he did not observe a weapon but he did comply with the request and took the suspect to the intersection of Piedras St. at Magoffin St. in central El Paso. The suspect took the student’s laptop and cell phone and fled on foot westbound on Magoffin St.

**Time and Location of occurrence:**

September 23, 2013 at approximately 4:37 P.M.
Mundy Park

**Suspect Description:**

- Hispanic male approximately 6`3 in height and weighing approximately 260 pounds. Last seen wearing a brown t-shirt, black “Dickies” pants with white tennis shoes. The suspect also had several visible tattoos all around his neck.

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Disorderly Conduct:

A female student reported that while using the restroom on the 1st floor of the College of Business Administration she observed an unidentified male peek into her stall through the gap in the door. He fled the area immediately and prior to arrival of responding police officers.

Time and Location of occurrence:

July 16, 2013 at approximately 10:17 A.M.
College of Business Administration, 1st floor, women’s restroom

Suspect Description:

- Unidentified male, with a light colored moustache.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other incident please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or-
Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

Safety tips:

- If possible check all stalls as you enter the restroom.
- Do not attempt to confront/make contact with the individual if seen in the restroom.
- Be alert and try to obtain a good description of the individual if seen.
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Robbery:

UTEP PD units responded to the area of Parking Lot P-12 on a call of a Robbery. Upon arrival it was determined that a non-UTEP affiliated individual had been jumped by three unknown offenders. The offenders were unsuccessful in taking the victim's wallet but were able to take his shoes. The victim suffered minor facial injuries during the altercation. Attempts to locate the suspects and their vehicle were unsuccessful.

Time and Location of occurrence:

May 25, 2013 at approximately 12:42 A.M.
Parking Lot P-12, corner of N. Oregon @ Robinson

Suspect Description:

1. Hispanic male, early -mid 20's in age, approximately 5'8" tall, weighing over 200 lbs. Heavy set, with long curly hair. Clean shaven. Last seen wearing black shirt and jeans.

2. Hispanic male, mid to late 20's in age, approximately 5'0" tall - 120-140 lbs. Dark complexion. Shaved head and clean shaven. Last seen wearing black shirt and jeans.

3. Hispanic male, mid to late 20's in age, approximately 5'0" tall - 120-140 lbs. Dark complexion. Shaved head and clean shaven. Last seen wearing black shirt and jeans.

Vehicle Description:

- Late model silver Honda Civic with unknown Texas license plates.

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Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or- 
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Campus Crime Advisory November 29, 2012

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Assault by contact

A female student was at the parking lot of the Taco Bell located at 2103 N. Mesa when the below described suspect grabbed her buttocks and crotch area with his hand. The victim was not injured. The suspect was last seen running southbound towards Providence Memorial Hospital.

Time and Location of occurrence:

November 28, 2012 at approximately 9:40 P.M.
Taco Bell parking Lot – 2103 N. Mesa @ Blanchard

Suspect Description:

Hispanic male, mid 20’s in age, approximately 5’8” tall, weighing 170 lbs. He was last seen wearing a gray “hoodie” sweatshirt, blue jeans, carrying a camouflaged backpack with a “Go Army” logo.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

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Campus Crime Advisory November 7, 2012

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Assault by contact

A female student was walking at the first floor of Parking Garage – 1 (Sun Bowl Parking Garage) when the below described suspect grabbed her buttocks with his hand. The victim was not injured. The suspect was last seen running away from the Sun Bowl Parking Garage.

Time and Location:

November 7, 2012 at approximately 9:45 A.M.
1st floor - Sun Bowl Parking Garage

Suspect Description:

Medium complexioned male, hair combed back as if using gel, short sideburns, slim build, approximately 5’8” tall, last seen wearing a white t-shirt with blue embroidered letters, blue jeans and he was also carrying books. The suspect may be wearing blue contact lenses.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

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Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

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**Campus Crime Advisory**

**October 22, 2012**

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**Sexual Assault**

A female student was with an acquaintance she recently met a couple of weeks prior. It was reported by the female student that she was sexually assaulted by the acquaintance while they were in a vehicle parked behind the Education building.

**Time and Location:**

Monday, October 22, 2012 at approximately 2:00 p.m.
Parking Lot IC-3, behind the Education Building.

**Suspect Description:**

Hispanic, male, 20 years of age. 5’5”, 150lbs, acne on face, no facial hair, black crew cut type hair, last seen wearing a white t-shirt and blue jeans, no other description.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or- Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

**Safety tips:**

- Know acquaintances by full name and be alert as to identifying information (moles, tattoos, what car they drive etc....)
- Use well-lit walkways and buildings
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Assault by contact

A male student was entering Hueco Hall at Miner Village when the below described suspect grabbed the male in the groin area. The victim was not injured. The suspect then fled the scene in an unknown direction of travel.

Time and Location: August 2, 2012 at approximately 7:00 P.M. Hueco Hall at Miner Village

Suspect Description:

White male, late 20's to early 30's, bald, tall, heavy set, wearing a grey shirt and unknown color pants. The victim reported that the subject was carrying an old style flip cell phone when the incident occurred.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or-
Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

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Assault by contact

A female student was at the intersection of Hawthorne and Schuster waiting to cross the street when the below described suspect grabbed the female's buttocks with his hand. The victim was not injured. The suspect was last seen running eastbound on Schuster Ave. The victim contacted police to report the incident after seeing the Timely Warning issued yesterday regarding a similar offense.

Time and Location: March 27, 2012 at approximately 12 noon. Intersection of Hawthorne and Schuster

Suspect Description:

Hispanic male approximately in his 20s with short black hair, about 5`8 with a slim build. He was wearing a white t-shirt and jeans.

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UTEP PD Detectives have announced that this case has been cleared by arrest. One suspect was identified through case investigation and the identification of him by witness/victim. The suspect, a non-UTEP affiliated individual, was also issued a criminal trespass warning barring him from all UTEP property. It is believed this individual is responsible for the “assault by contact” cases resulting in Timely Warnings dating: Nov 29, 2012 / Nov 7, 2012 / Apr 4, 2012 / Jan 25, 2012 / Dec 8, 2011 / Nov 4, 2011

Assault by contact

A female student was entering the Fox Fine Arts Building when the below described suspect grabbed the female’s buttocks with his hand. The victim was not injured. The suspect was last seen running westbound down the ramp towards the Sun Bowl Parking Garage.

Time and Location: April 2, 2012 at approximately 5:15 P.M.
3rd level of the Fox Fine Arts complex.

Suspect Description:

Hispanic or Middle Eastern male approximately 30 years old, hair combed back as if using gel, slim build, 5`8, wearing a blue jacket with brown elbow patches and black pants.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

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Campus Crime Advisory January 25, 2012

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Assault by contact

A female student was walking on the sidewalk southbound between Miner Village and the parking lot behind the Education Building when the below described suspect grabbed the female’s buttocks with his hand. The victim was not injured. The suspect was last seen walking towards Oregon Street from the south parking lot of Miner Village.

Time and Location: January 25th, 2012 at approximately 9:00 A.M. Sidewalk between Miner Village and the parking lot behind the Education Building.

Suspect Description:

Hispanic Male, light complexion, thin build, approximately 6'0" tall last seen wearing a beige colored baseball cap, green/blue plaid top, blue khaki type pants, white tennis shoes. He was also carrying a white and blue plastic bag.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

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Assault by contact

The El Paso Police Department is investigating an incident in which a female student was at the Sun Metro Transit Terminal (Glory Road Garage) and experienced an unidentified male brushing his hand against her buttocks as they passed each other on the sidewalk. The victim was not injured. This occurred December 7, 2011, @ 10:39 AM.

Suspect Description:

Hispanic Male, dark complexioned, last seen wearing a brown “letterman” type jacket (with no scholastic affiliation) and a white baseball cap with dark colored brim.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

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Assaults by contact

The El Paso Police Department is investigating incidents near the UTEP campus where females are being followed by unknown male who either grabs their buttocks or lifts up their skirts. The victims are not injured.

Times and Locations:

1. September 30, 2011 @ 12:15PM, at the Glory Road Transit Terminal / Garage
2. November 1, 2011 @ 4:20PM, at the intersection of N. Campbell and Kerbey
3. November 2, 2011 @ 4:50PM, at the 900 Block of Upson

Suspect Description:

Hispanic Male, early 20’s, described anywhere from 5'6" to 6'0" in height, bald head, thin build.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

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**Aggravated Robbery**

Received information from the El Paso Police Department on October 17, 2011, that a victim was approached from behind in the 100 block of East Kerbey near Oregon St. on Saturday, October 15, 2011 at approximately 6:22 a.m. An unknown male used a knife and demanded money. The suspect fled north through a nearby alley.

**Suspect Description:**

- The suspect is described as a white male, possibly Hispanic, standing approximately 5’8” and weighing 200 pounds. The offender spoke Spanish and possessed strong body odor. No other description is available at this time.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

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**What to do in case of robbery:**

- Do not risk personal injury
- Make a mental note of the suspects appearance including height, weight, hair color/style and clothing
- If possible, take down the vehicle license plate number, a description of the vehicle and the direction the suspect is fleeing
- **Call 9-1-1 or the UTEP Police at 747-5611 immediately!**

For more information, call The University of Texas at El Paso Police Department at 747-5611.
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Aggravated Assault

On May 10, 2011 at approximately 11:15 PM, in the arroyo tunnels on the east side of Liberal Arts (the 400 block of W. University) an aggravated assault occurred where the victim was assaulted by the below listed subjects. The victim suffered several severe facial injuries and the subjects had fled the area before police officers arrived. It appears the involved parties are transients.

Suspect Description:

#1: Hispanic Male, approximately 23 years old, 5'8", 150 pounds, medium build, short dark hair combed, clean shaven, last seen wearing dark pants and white t-shirt.

#2: Hispanic Male, approximately 23 years old, 5'7", 135 pounds, skinny build, short dark hair, unshaven. No clothing description provided

If you see someone matching this description, please contact the University Police immediately at 747-5611.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or-
Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

Crime Tips

The University of Texas at El Paso Police Department takes an approach in promoting the safety and well being of the university community and visitors. The following prevention tips are offered as a way for everyone to work and study.

Avoid Walking Alone On the Street at Night

- Use well-lit roads or streets
- When walking at night, use the “Buddy System”.
- Call University Police for a Public Safety Escort Service 24 hours a day
- Walk against traffic, so that cars cannot surprise you from behind
- Keep an arm’s length away from strangers
- If you think someone suspicious is approaching you or following you, cross to the other side of the street and head for the nearest public place
- Report suspicious activities to University Police at 747-5611
Don’t Make It Obvious That You’re in Unfamiliar Territory

- Giving the appearance of not paying attention and not being alert is what suspects look for in a victim.
- Be alert of your surroundings
- Know your campus
- Walk briskly and with confidence

At Night, Avoid Public Parks, Vacant Lots, Alleys and Areas with Excessive Trees and Bushes

- Know which buildings and other public places are open along your route
- Don’t hesitate to run back to where you came from to get help
- Look for anyone "hanging" around your car or the path to your car
- Have your keys in your hand and be ready to open the car door
- Then call 9-1-1 immediately!

Campus Crime Advisory March 28, 2011

Burglary of Vehicles

The University Police department has seen an increase in burglary of vehicles in March on the university campus. This information bulletin is a reminder to keep you and your vehicle safe.

Vehicle burglary is most often a crime of opportunity. *Hide* your valuables, *Lock* your car and *Take* your keys.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or-
Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

Secure Your Vehicle:

- **Hide valuables** – Never leave keys or valuables in plain view; (cell-phones, computers, backpacks, purses, i-pods, garage door opener or money) Don’t leave the registration or title in your vehicle
- **Lock your car** – always close all windows and sunroofs completely and lock your trunk, hatchback or tailgate. Invest in a car alarm and use it correctly.
- **Take your keys** – never leave your keys in your car
- Report suspicious activities or person(s) to University Police immediately. Dial 9-1-1 or (915) 747-5611
Park Safely:

- Park in a well-lighted area
- Check to see that your vehicle is visible to other pedestrian and vehicle traffic
- Avoid parking in alleys
- If you drive a small car, avoid parking between large cars and trucks
- Use the “Buddy System” when walking alone at night

For more information, call The University of Texas Police Department at (915)747-5611.

Campus Crime Advisory February 18, 2011

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Indecent Exposure

On February 18, 2011, the UTEP Police Department received a report of an indecent exposure in the COBA building at 701 W. Rim Road. The victim was studying when the below described suspect exposed his genitals to the victim. The suspect was not located in the area.

Suspect Description

Unknown African-American male, clean shaven, approximately 5'6" in height, mid twenties, thin build, last seen wearing a navy colored sweater or jacket, tan khaki pants.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or-
Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

Personal safety tips:

- Be aware of your surroundings
- Use well-lit walkways and buildings
- Use the buddy system and walk with someone you trust
- Call University Police for a Public Safety Escort Service 24 hours a day
- Walk near the curb and away from shrubbery where someone could be hiding
- Walk against traffic so that cars cannot surprise you from behind
- Keep an arm’s length away from strangers
- When walking to your vehicle, have your car keys in hand
**What to do in case you witness an indecent exposure:**

- Do not risk personal injury
- Make a mental note of the suspect’s appearance including height, weight, hair color/style and clothing.
- If possible, take down the vehicle license plate number; a description of the vehicle and the direction the suspect is fleeing.
- Call 9-1-1 or the UTEP Police at 747-5611 immediately!

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**Campus Crime Advisory**

**Campus Crime Advisory**  
**August 22, 2010**

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**Investigation of shots fired**

UTEP Police are investigating the discovery of a single bullet that struck a campus building (Bell Hall) sometime on Saturday evening, August 21, 2010. Between 6:10 and 6:40 that evening, there was an exchange of gunfire in Juarez, Mexico, which resulted in the closure of Paisano Drive from Executive Center to Santa Fe Street. UTEP Police believe that the bullet may be related to this incident.

The investigation revealed that a single bullet struck the south door of Bell Hall, went through the glass panel in the door and was found embedded in an office doorframe. There were no reported injuries. This appears to be the only stray bullet to have struck the campus, and there is no evidence to suggest that UTEP was specifically targeted.

UTEP will continue to pursue the investigation of this incident and consult with appropriate law enforcement officials and other governmental entities concerning risk assessment strategies and possible further security precautions.

*For more information, call The University of Texas at El Paso Police Department at (915) 747-5611.*
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**Aggravated Assault**

During the early morning hours of Wednesday, June 9th and again on Saturday, June 12th, about 2:00 AM each day, two separate cases of assault took place. These offenses occurred in the vicinity of the 2300 to 2400 blocks of North Oregon. In both instances, approximately 6 male individuals assaulted individual victims for no apparent reason.

**Suspect Description:**

A group of approximately 6 individuals, all males, no other information.

If you have any information on this case, please contact University Police immediately at (915) 747-5611 or in person at 3118 Sun Bowl Drive.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or-
Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

**Personal safety tips:**

- Be aware of your surroundings
- Use well-lit walkways and buildings
- Use the buddy system and walk with someone you trust
- Call University Police for a Public Safety Escort Service 24 hours a day
- Walk near the curb and away from shrubbery where someone could be hiding
- Walk against traffic so that cars cannot surprise you from behind
- Keep an arm's length away from strangers
- When walking to your vehicle, have your car keys in hand

**What to do in case of an assault:**

- Make a mental note of the suspect(s) appearance including height, weight, hair color/style and clothing
- If safe to do so, take down the vehicle license plate number, description of the vehicle and the direction the suspect is fleeing
- Call 9-1-1 or the University Police at (915) 747-5611 immediately!

For more information, call The University of Texas Police Department at (915)747-5611.
UT PD Detectives have announced that these cases have been cleared by arrest. Two suspects have been identified through case investigation. These non-UTEP affiliated individuals have also been involved in several Westside vehicle burglary cases.

UT PD reminds all faculty, staff, and students to always be vigilant in securing your belongings and vehicles at all times.

**Burglary of Vehicles**

Several vehicles were burglarized in the parking lots off Schuster Street on 6/3/10 and 6/4/10. Entry was made by inserting an unknown instrument in the door lock and breaking it. Once inside, the perpetrator(s) stole various items from the vehicles.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or-
Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

**Secure Your Vehicle:**

- **Hide valuables** – Never leave keys or valuables in plain view; (cell-phones, computers, backpacks, purses, i-pods, garage door opener or money) Don’t leave the registration or title in your vehicle
- **Lock your car** – always close all windows and sunroofs completely and lock your trunk, hatchback or tailgate. Invest in a car alarm and use it correctly.
- **Take your keys** – never leave your keys in your car
- Report suspicious activities or person(s) to University Police immediately. Dial 9-1-1 or (915) 747-5611

**Park Safely:**

- Park in a well-lighted area
- Check to see that your vehicle is visible to other pedestrian and vehicle traffic
- Avoid parking in alleys
- If you drive a small car, avoid parking between large cars and trucks
- Use the “Buddy System” when walking alone at night

For more information, call The University of Texas Police Department at (915)747-5611.
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Robbery

The UTEP Police Department has received a report of a robbery that occurred in the 2400 block of North Oregon Street, by Miner Village, during the afternoon hours of April 28, 2010. The female victim was walking on the sidewalk when an unidentified individual approached her from the rear and attempted to grab her purse. The victim held on to her purse and the suspect then fled the area. He was last seen running towards Mesa Street.

Suspect Description:
Due to several tips received already and through case investigation, the following descriptions are provided:

- Hispanic/White Male, 5'10" to 6'0, medium build, last seen wearing sunglasses, a blue sweatshirt (or sweater) with a hood, and dark tennis shoes. He was unshaven (had shadow on face from not shaving).
- The above suspect has been seen with another individual in a time frame shortly before the crime occurred. This individual was described as a White male, 5'8", thin build, reddish hair that was just below the ears, last seen wearing a white t-shirt and jeans.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or- 
Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

Personal safety tips:

- Use well-lit walkways and buildings
- Use the “buddy system” and walk with someone you trust
- Call UTEP Police for a Public Safety Escort Service during the evening or nighttime hours
- Walk near the curb and away from shrubbery where someone could be hiding
- Walk against traffic so that cars cannot surprise you from behind
- Keep an arm’s length away from strangers

What to do in case of robbery:

- Do not risk personal injury
- Make a mental note of the suspects appearance including height, weight, hair color/style and clothing
- If possible, take down the vehicle license plate number, a description of the vehicle and the direction the suspect is fleeing
- **Call 9-1-1 or the UTEP Police at 747-5611 immediately! In this case, the victim waited 8 hours to report the incident.**
For more information, call The University of Texas Police Department at 747-5611.

Campus Crime Advisory April 27, 2010

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Aggravated Robbery

The UTEP Police Department has received a report of an aggravated robbery that occurred in Parking Lot P-2 (1500 block of Lawton Street at Schuster Avenue) during the afternoon hours of April 19, 2010. The victim was walking through the Parking Lot and was approached by two assailants. The victim was assaulted and had personal property taken from him. Since the victim’s injury required surgery, this offense is regarded as an Aggravated Robbery.

Suspect Descriptions:

- Hispanic/Male, 35-40 years of age, 5’8”, medium build, with short black hair. He was last seen wearing: white shirt and dark blue pants and work boots. No other description.

- Hispanic/Male, unknown age, 5’6’, short black hair with a moustache. Unknown clothing description but also wearing some type of work boots. No other description.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or- Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

Personal safety tips:

- Use well-lit walkways and buildings
- Use the “buddy system” and walk with someone you trust
- Call UTEP Police for a Public Safety Escort Service during the evening and nighttime hours
- Walk near the curb and away from shrubbery where someone could be hiding
- Walk against traffic so that cars cannot surprise you from behind
- Keep an arm’s length away from strangers

What to do in case of robbery:

- Do not risk personal injury
• Make a mental note of the suspect's appearance including height, weight, hair color/style and clothing
• If possible, take down the vehicle license plate number, a description of the vehicle and the direction the suspect is fleeing
• Call 9-1-1 or the UTEP Police at 747-5611 immediately! In this case, the victim waited 8 days to report the incident.

For more information, call The University of Texas Police Department at 747-5611.

Campus Crime Advisory March 25, 2010

Burglary / Thefts of Computers

UTEP PD Detectives have announced that these cases have been cleared by arrest. One suspect has been identified through case investigation.

There has been a recent rash of computer/laptop thefts on campus. Some of these thefts have occurred when owners left their property unattended in public areas and classrooms. Other thefts have occurred where unauthorized individuals have accessed unsecured areas and offices.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or- Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

Safety Tips for your property

Report suspicious activities or persons immediately. Dial 9-1-1 or (915)747-5611
• Never leave your office unsecured and unattended
• Secure your office at all times when unoccupied. This is one of the easiest theft targets.
• Never prop open a door that should be locked
• Never leave property such as your purse, wallet, or valuables unattended. Store them out of sight.
• Mark your personal property and/or write down serial numbers of valuable items. If it has a serial number, then it is valuable enough to record. The chances of recovering such stolen items are greatly enhanced if police know the serial number of the item.
• Inventory and insure that all university property is properly identified by barcodes or serial numbers.
Auto Thefts

Outer Campus Areas:

The UTEP Police Department has received two reports of auto thefts in the past week occurring in the parking lots along Sun Bowl Drive. A white 1998 Chevy Silverado pickup was reported stolen from Parking Lot S-3 on February 2 and a red 2008 Hyundai Elantra 4 door was reported stolen from Parking Lot R-2 on February 1. There is no particular target as to the type of vehicle or body style. The UTEP Police Department asks that everyone take precautions in securing your vehicle when leaving for class or office.

Suspect Description:

None.

If you have questions or information regarding these incidents please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or-
Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

Auto Theft Prevention Tips

Auto theft, more often than not, is a crime of opportunity. Don't be an easy target. You can reduce your risk of becoming a victim of auto theft if you make these simple rules a part of your driving routine.

- Lock your car.
- Take your keys.
- Don't hide spare keys on your vehicle. If you can find them, so can a thief.
- Roll your windows up all the way, even in hot weather.
- Park in well-lit areas.
- Don't leave valuables in open sight; lock them in the trunk.

For more information, please contact the University of Texas at El Paso Police Department at 747-5611, or go online to www.utep.edu/police
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Aggravated Robbery

The UTEP Police Department has received a report of an aggravated robbery in the 2400 block of N. Oregon that occurred during the early morning hours of June 27, 2009. The victim was in Parking Lot M-1 of the Miner Village Apartment complex when he was approached by a group of assailants. The victim was assaulted and had property taken from him at the time of the offense. No weapon was used in the offense; however the victim does have a disability that makes this offense an Aggravated Robbery.

Suspect Descriptions:
-White/Male, 17-18 years of age, 5’8”, 150 pounds, short blond hair, blue eyes, last seen wearing: White baseball cap, White t-shirt, baggie blue jeans. No other description (NOD).

-Black/Male, approximately 19 years age, 5‘10”-6’, 160-170 pounds, short black hair, brown eyes, last seen wearing: White tank top shirt, Blue jeans, NOD.

-Possible Hispanic/Male, 18-21 years of age, 5’8", 185-190 pounds, short hair slicked back, last seen wearing: Dark t-shirt, baggie blue jeans. NOD.

-Possible Hispanic/Male, 18-21 years of age, 5’9”-5’11”, 185 pounds, last seen wearing: Dark t-shirt, baggie blue jeans. NOD.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or- Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

Personal safety tips:
- Use well-lit walkways and buildings
- Use the “buddy system” and walk with someone you trust
- Call UTEP Police for a Public Safety Escort Service during the evening and nighttime hours
- Walk near the curb and away from shrubbery where someone could be hiding
- Walk against traffic so that cars cannot surprise you from behind
- Keep an arm’s length away from strangers

What to do in case of robbery:
- Do not risk personal injury
- Make a mental note of the suspects appearance including height, weight, hair color/style and clothing
If possible, take down the vehicle license plate number, a description of the vehicle and the direction the suspect is fleeing.

- Call 9-1-1 or the UTEP Police at 747-5611 immediately!

For more information, call The University of Texas Police Department at 747-5611.

**Campus Crime Advisory**

**April 1, 2009**

**Aggravated Assault / Theft of Property**

On March 30, 2009 at about 9:00 PM the below listed subject committed a theft at Memorial Gym. The subject got into the below listed vehicle and while attempting to leave, struck a parked vehicle and also one of the property owners.

**Suspect Description:**

Suspect was described as a Hispanic male, thin build, light skin, short hair "buzz cut," and he spoke with a Mexican accent. Suspect was wearing a white t-shirt, blue windbreaker warm-ups, and white tennis shoes at the time of the offense.

**Vehicle Description**

The suspect vehicle was described as a red Chevrolet pickup truck, single cab, 90's body style. Vehicle had temporary paper tags (buyer) with 03/23 on the back end and no front end plates.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or-
Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

**Crime Tips**

**Protect Your Valuables:**

- Do not leave property unattended in public places.
- Do not leave valuable property on or in your desk at work.
- Do not leave property in your school/gym locker without a lock.
- If you leave property in your car, lock it in the trunk.
- Be wise about where you choose to use laptops and portable property.
- Keep a record of all of your credit card numbers in case your wallet/purse is stolen.
- Report lost or stolen items to University Police.
- Report all suspicious activities to University Police- 747-5611
- Keep valuables in a safe place in public areas.
- Engrave your valuables.
- Write your name or student ID number in places known only to you in each of your textbooks.
- Do not keep large amounts of money in your wallet or purse.
Do not overload yourself with books or packages.
Do not leave your valuables unattended while at the library, coffee house or other location.
Do not engrave or mark your personal property with your social security number.
Contact the Office of Special Services for Lost and Found Property (915) 747-6338 or (915) 747-6635

Campus Crime Advisory

February 23, 2009

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Indecent Exposure

The UTEP Police Department has received a report of an indecent exposure in the 2400 block of Oregon on the evening of February 23, 2009. The victim was doing laundry when the subject came up to a window and exposed his genitals. The victim left the laundry room without seeing where the subject went.

Suspect Description

Unknown male, approximately 6 feet tall. No other description.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or-
Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

Personal safety tips:

- Use well-lit walkways and buildings
- Use the "buddy system" and walk with someone you trust
- Call UTEP Police for a Public Safety Escort Service during the evening and nighttime hours
- Walk against traffic so that cars cannot surprise you from behind
- Keep an arm’s length away from strangers

What to do in case of exposure:

- Do not risk personal injury
- Make a mental note of the suspects appearance including height, weight, hair color/style and clothing
- If possible, take down the vehicle license plate number, a description of the vehicle and the direction the suspect is fleeing
- Call 9-1-1 or the UTEP Police at 747-5611 immediately!
Bicycle thefts

The University of Texas at El Paso Police Department is investigating an incident involving the theft of three bicycles during January 2009. The UTEP Police Department asks UTEP faculty, staff, students and visitors to take precautions in securing their bicycle to designated racks when leaving them unattended.

Information on a possible suspect has been developed. The suspect is described as a white male in his mid-30’s, 5’11”, and with a medium build. He was last seen wearing a black shirt, black jeans, black baseball cap and a black backpack. He may also have a goatee and numerous tattoos on his arms.

If you see someone matching this description, please contact the University Police immediately at 747-5611.

If you have questions or information regarding these incidents, please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or-
Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

The UTEP Police Department encourages all UTEP community members to follow these bicycle security tips:

- Use a quality case-hardened steel U-bolt lock to secure your bicycle
- Secure the bicycle to a rack through the frame and rear wheel
- Engrave your driver's license number on the frame of the bicycle
- Register your bicycle with the UTEP Police Department
- Report suspicious behavior around bicycle racks by using one of the emergency phones or by calling the UTEP Police Department at 747-5611

For more information, contact The University of Texas at El Paso Police Department at 747-6636 or 747-5611, or visit www.utep.edu/police.
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Robbery

The UTEP Police Department has received a report of a robbery in the 1500 block of Hawthorne on the evening of Dec. 2, 2008. The victim was approached from behind by an unknown male suspect who demanded money. The subject then fled south into an alley.

Suspect Description:
Unknown male. The individual who was robbed could not obtain a description of the perpetrator.

If you have questions or information regarding this or any other of these incidents please contact:

Detective Armando Fonseca @ 747-6639 -or-
Detective Earl Arbogast @ 747-6236

Personal safety tips:

- Use well-lit roads or streets
- Use the “buddy system” and walk with someone you trust
- Call UTEP Police for a Public Safety Escort Service during the evening and nighttime hours
- Walk near the curb and away from shrubbery where someone could be hiding
- Walk against traffic so that cars cannot surprise you from behind
- Keep an arm’s length away from strangers
- If you think someone suspicious is approaching you or following you, cross to the other side of the street and head for the nearest public place

Protecting your property:

- Avoid carrying a purse and keep a wallet in your pocket instead
- If you must carry a purse, don’t wear it loosely around your shoulder
- Keep cash in a separate money clip or pouch so you can hand it over without sacrificing your credit cards, identification, and personal papers
- Never wrap a purse strap around your wrist; forcible removal could result in serious personal injury

What to do in case of street robbery:

- Obey the robber’s instructions
- Release your purse or wallet. Do not risk personal injury
- Make a mental note of the robber’s appearance including height, weight, hair color/style and clothing
• If possible, take down the vehicle license plate number, a description of the vehicle and the direction the robber is fleeing
• **Call 9-1-1 or the UTEP Police at 747-5611 immediately!**