

 <p><b>MEHARRY MEDICAL COLLEGE</b>  <b>DEPARTMENT OF CAMPUS SAFETY &amp; SECURITY</b>  <b>GENERAL ORDERS</b>  <i>Serving with Integrity, Trust, Commitment &amp; Courage Since 1876</i></p>	ORDER TYPE: <b>G.O. 25-55 – MISSION AND VALUES STATEMENT</b>	
	EFFECTIVE DATE: 7/1/2025	REVIEW DATE: BIENNIAL
Recommended for Approval by the Chief of the Department  Hursak, Frank, Assistant Chief of Department Signature	Authorized by the Chief of Department  Quarles, Thomas, Chief of Department Signature	

## PURPOSE

The purpose of this General Order is to clearly define the mission and values of the Department of Campus Safety & Security at Meharry Medical College.

## GENERAL

The Department of Campus Safety & Security at Meharry Medical College is integral to the College's operations and overall success. Our mission is guided by a commitment to the unique heritage and healthcare-focused goals of a historically Black medical college. These mission principles and departmental values have been developed through a collaborative process involving all departmental members, reflecting our shared dedication to safety, integrity, and community engagement.

## MISSION STATEMENT

The Meharry Medical College Department of Campus Safety & Security is a professional organization dedicated to the protection and security of Meharry Medical College and its diverse community. We are committed to providing a safe, secure, and accessible campus for students, faculty, staff, patients, and visitors. To fulfill this mission, the Department pledges to deliver superior enforcement services with integrity and pride, safeguard and respect the dignity and rights of all individuals, demonstrate respect toward the people we serve and one another to maintain an environment of trust, develop partnerships with all segments of our community through effective communication and collaboration, carefully select and maintain a well-trained, educated, and professional staff, and accept individual responsibility and accountability for all actions taken in the performance of duty.

## VALUES

The Meharry Medical College Department of Campus Safety & Security consists of dedicated professionals committed to teamwork, accountability, and problem-solving. We believe in the value of human life, the courage to do what is right, fairness, compassion, and approachability in the performance of our duties, and striving for continuous improvement in service to our community.

## LOCATION AND CONTACT INFORMATION

The Department of Campus Safety & Security is located at 1005 D.B. Todd, Jr. Boulevard, Nashville, Tennessee, 37208. The Department operates seven days a week, twenty-four hours a day. Emergency services may be reached by calling 615-327-6666, and non-emergency services may be reached by calling 615-327-6254.

## IMPLEMENTATION AND REVIEW

This General Order is effective immediately and shall remain in force until amended or rescinded. The Chief of Campus Safety & Security shall ensure periodic review and updates to confirm alignment with the College's mission, institutional goals, and IACLEA Accreditation Standards.

## APPENDIX B – WRITTEN DIRECTIVE ACKNOWLEDGMENT FORM

**Directive Title:** G.O. 25-55 – MISSION AND VALUES STATEMENT\*\*

I acknowledge that I have received, reviewed, and understand the above-named General Order. I agree to comply with its content and understand that failure to do so may result in corrective or disciplinary action.

Printed Name	Employee ID	Title/Rank	Signature	Date Signed
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Completed forms shall be submitted to the Administrative Coordinator for secure storage and audit documentation by the Accreditation Manager.

**\*\*End of General Order\*\***