

METROPOLITAN STATE UNIVERSITY REGULATIONS



Behavioral Intervention Team

University Policy #3040

Section 1. Policy

The safety and security of the Metropolitan State University campus and community are critical to the ability of our students, faculty, staff, and visitors to pursue their educations, work, and other activities in a safe, non-threatening environment. Metropolitan State University will maintain a Behavioral Intervention Team (BIT) whose goal is to provide a proactive, coordinated, and planned approach to the identification, prevention, assessment, management, and reduction of student behaviors of concern. This objective of this goal is to best serve the individual student of concern and to enhance their opportunities for success, as well as to promote the safety and wellbeing of the entire University community. The BIT's mandate is to use reasonable discretion, based on a record of relevant materials, in order to make informed decisions that are in the best interest of the student involved and the entire University community.

Section 2. Authority

This policy is issued pursuant to the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (MnSCU) rules and regulations.

Section 3. Effective Date

This policy shall become effective upon signature by the President, and shall remain in effect until modified or expressly revoked.

Section 4. Responsibility

The responsibility for implementation of this policy is assigned to Vice President for Student Affairs.

Section 5. Structure

This policy shall be implemented by Behavioral Intervention Team Procedure #304.

Section 6. Review

This policy will be reviewed biannually.

Section 7. Approval

Issued on this 24th day of May, 2012

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sue K. Hammersmith".

Sue K. Hammersmith, President