

Personal Safety Tips

for Yale New Haven Health Employees and Volunteers

- + Adopt a prevention mindset at all times!
- + Protecting yourself requires you to be aware of a situation and how you interact with it.

If you see something or someone suspicious, take evasive action and **CALL FOR HELP**.

For Emergencies

Offsite Campus Locations
with No Security:

CALL 911

Hospital or Offsite Campus
Locations with Security:

CALL 155

For Non-Emergencies

Contact Security at:

YNHH YSC: 203-688-2500 or ELERTS See Say Now App

YNHH SRC: 203-789-3800 or ELERTS See Say Now App

BH: 203-384-3466 (including Milford)

GH: 203-863-3230

L+M: Main Hospital Number: 860-442-0711 ext. 2086

WH: 401-656-4324



When walking to/from or between any Yale New Haven Health locations:

- Avoid walking alone. Use a buddy system, shuttles, or request a security escort.
- Know your route(s). Be aware of your surroundings.
- Do not be preoccupied with your cell phone. Remove your earbuds.
- Protect your belongings. Avoid carrying large handbags/totes and keep jewelry out of sight.
- If confronted by an individual who is threatening or demanding your possessions, hand the items over for your safety. Do not further engage the individual.



When arriving/leaving by vehicle:

- Whenever possible, park in well-lit areas. Use available emergency stations in parking garages to call for help.
- Always have your car keys ready so that you can enter your vehicle quickly. Once inside your vehicle, immediately lock your doors.



While at work:

- Use caution inside all Yale New Haven Health facilities especially in stairwells and elevators. When alone in an elevator, position yourself at the front and near the control panel.
- When inside a Yale New Haven Health facility, always wear your employee ID above the waist and have it visible at all times.

At Yale New Haven Hospital, the following safety resources are available:

- Shuttle service. Use when going to and from your vehicle from area surface lots or between campuses.
- ELERTS See Say Now App
 - Ride Systems app