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| POLICY NAME: | **510.01: Safety and Security** |
| EFFECTIVE: |  April 8, 2020  |
| SUPERSEDES: |  |
| SOURCE: | [*Code of Alabama 16-60-111.4*](https://codes.findlaw.com/al/title-16-education/al-code-sect-16-60-111-10.html) |
| CROSS REFERENCE: |  |

Education requires a safe environment for success. The Alabama Community College System is strongly committed to the safety of its students and employees. Each college shall strive to provide a safe environment for students, faculty, staff, and other campus visitors.

Each college shall adopt and continuously update an Emergency Operations Plan (EOP) and shall hold active drills and exercises at each campus. Safety and security training shall be included in new student and employee orientation, and faculty and staff shall participate in safety and security training annually. Each college shall complete annual safety and security reports in compliance with state and federal law.

The Chancellor shall adopt appropriate guidelines and procedures for implementation of this policy.