

## **SEC15D32 / SEC15A004**

### **Brief report on matters raised at the Student Affairs and Student Safety Groups for February and March 2016.**

**Safety and security:** Norfolk Constabulary (NC) continue to report the monthly statistics of recorded crimes and in general the numbers are either down or the same as the previous year. However, the nature of the crimes are more concerning.

There has been ongoing discussion regarding the numbers of thefts from residences and the continuing problem of students leaving their rooms unsecured. One of the UEA Security officers conducted a review of the Terraces and the findings are being considered.

#### **Accommodation**

Accommodation preference forms are coming in. There are a reasonable proportion from returning undergraduate students.

#### **UMS**

The University Physician came to Student Affairs Group on 8 March to deliver the UMS Report for 2014-2015. A lot of work is taking place looking at the intercalation and return to study processes, along with DOS and LTS colleagues. The use of medical certificates is something else that needs reviewing ahead of the new academic year.

#### **SU/MFC/DOS**

Colleagues in the Students' Union, the Multifaith Centre and DOS noted a rise in the number of students reporting stress and anxiety.

#### **DEPARTMENT OF UEA SPORT**

Sport Relief came to the Sportspark in March. There have been a number of objections to the proposed changes around the Colney Pavilion. The decision on the planning application will be made in May.