Social Sciences Building Emergency Information

Social Sciences Building has a trained Building Emergency Response Team. This team of volunteers has been trained to help everyone in the building respond to any emergency, whether it be fire, earthquake, or evacuation. Each team member is equipped with a brightly colored emergency vest identifiable by building occupants and emergency services such as the Fire Department.

Reporting Emergencies

To report an emergency:
Call 213-740-4321
Address: 3520 Trousdale Parkway, Los Angeles, CA 90089
Royal Street Entrance (formerly Entrance #2) is closest to the building

Emergency Supplies

The emergency kits are located in SOS 153.

Social Sciences Building BUILDING EVACUATION ASSEMBLY AREA

In the event of an evacuation, the building team will guide all occupants to McCarthy Quad.

BASIC EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

- In the event of any emergency (fire, earthquake, medical, power outage), for assistance call Department of Public Safety (DPS) at (213) 740-4321.

- In the event of a fire, sound the alarm by pulling the nearest pull station, leave the building immediately, call for help (213-740-4321), and meet at assembly area (See Above).

- During an earthquake, Drop, Cover, and Hold on. Take shelter under a sturdy table, or near an interior wall away from windows and heavy objects. If outside, move away from structures and other hazards. Report any injuries to DPS at (213) 740-4321.

- In the event of an Active Shooter follow Run, Hide, Fight.
  Run: Escape the area of danger
  Hide: (also known as Shelter in Place) – silence phones, close blinds, turn off lights, block/barricade doors
  Fight: If cornered band together to attack and immobilize shooter

- TrojansAlert is USC’s Emergency Notification system. Update your cell phone in WorkDay to receive critical information

- For USC information in a major emergency, call (213) 740–9233 or go to http://emergency.usc.edu