EASTERN WEST VIRGINIA COMMUNITY & TECHNICAL COLLEGE

BOARD OF GOVERNORS

POLICY NO. BP- 6.8

TITLE: SAFETY AND LOSS CONTROL PREVENTION

SECTION 1. GENERAL

1.1	Scope -	This policy sets forth requirements to provide and maintain a safe College for all members of the campus community at Eastern West Virginia Community & Technical College (EWVC&TC) that complies with federal, state and Eastern West Virginia Community & Technical College requirements.
1.2	Authority -	Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) of 1974, Student Right-to-Know and Campus Security Act of 1990, Crime Awareness and Campus Security, and Occupational Health & Safety Administration Act of 1970.
1.3	Effective Date -	September 21, 2005

SECTION 2 STATEMENT

The safety and loss control prevention policy is intended as a guide to promote a safe and healthful environment for all individuals who study and work at Eastern West Virginia Community and Technical College. The purpose of the policy is to specify ways to prevent trauma, disease and property loss.

All levels of administrative and academic management have a responsibility to promote safety and health. Supervisors and instructors who have direct responsibility for working and teaching environments are responsible for ensuring their employee's and student's freedom from hazards. Ultimately, the individual worker or student must assume personal responsibility for ensuring health and safety for themselves and fellow employees or classmates.

A College safety program shall be developed. A Safety Committee shall be formed to establish, implement and maintain the College's safety program. A Safety Director shall be appointed to chair the Safety Committee.