

Campus Safety Rev 2026

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<p>[Chief Burris] Hello, I'm Vaughn Burris, Director of public safety and Chief of Police for LSU Health Shreveport.</p>	<p>Tall man with short dark hair parted on the side wearing a black police officer's uniform standing in front of a wall of officer photos and a United States Flag.</p> <p>Text: Vaughn Burris Director of Public Safety Chief of Police</p>
<p>I have served in this capacity for the last five years and have been involved in law enforcement for 35 years.</p>	<p>Chief Burris standing at a podium in a classroom, speaking to a room full of people seated at tables</p>
<p>Prior to me being appointed Chief of police, I served with a large municipal police department where I had the opportunity of serving as an investigator for 20 years, being director of the Dignitary Protection team for 15 years, 15 years as a hostage negotiator and multiple trainings through the US Secret Service and FBI.</p>	<p>Chief Burris in front of wall of photos</p>
<p>It's an honor to be tasked with leading a team of police officers whose goal are to ensure the safety</p>	<p>Chief Burris at a podium in front of his officers seated at tables during roll call.</p>
<p>of those that frequent our campus day in and day out. Our police department is made up of 50</p>	<p>Two officers talking with students in front of a staircase as other students move behind them</p>
<p>commissioned police officers that have all been sent to various police academies and obtained Louisiana Post certification.</p>	<p>Photographs of all officers on a wall</p>
<p>Each officer is commissioned through the state and has arrest powers and the ability to carry guns.</p>	<p>Same two officers from ealier shaking hands with a student in front of a glass wall with a group playing basketball behind them</p>
<p>We are blessed that the officers bring a wide</p>	<p>University Police Department vehicle patrolling through a parking lot</p>
<p>variety of experience from various agencies prior to coming to the</p>	<p>Two different officers walking along a sidewalk</p>
<p>University Police Department, with most of our officers having 20 plus years of service.</p>	<p>Group of officers driving away in a motorized patrol vehicle (mule)</p>
<p>We're blessed to have the support of campus leadership and the investments required to make</p>	<p>Chief Burris on camera</p>

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this a safe campus. Such improvements have included the additions of added lighting,	Officers adjust a solar panel for portable lighting and cameras in a parking lot
video surveillance throughout the campus,	Video control room with officers seated at a desk in front of a wall of monitors
as well as motorized patrol vehicles that allow officers more freedom to patrol those areas frequented by staff and students.	Mule driving through different parking areas
The university police department believes in customer service.	Smiling student talking with an officer
We offer a wide variety of training to include self-defense and active shooter survival classes.	Officers demonstrating how to break a hold and another explaining ALICE training in front of a projector screen.
We also offer services such as after hours escorts to and from your vehicle.	Student stepping out of a mule in the parking lot and waving thanks to the officer driving.
Our campus offers a safety app called LSU shield.	Flyer promoting the L S U Shield app.
The unique features of the LSU shield app is that it is your own personal panic button while on campus.	Hand holding a phone, tapping the LSU Shield App, activating the emergency beacon and getting a screen saying an alert has been sent to security.
Other features the app would include maps, numbers of individuals you may need to speak with, and other things such as anonymous reporting to police. This is a free app that's available to anyone that is a member of the LSU Health Shreveport family.	Hands scrolling through the apps maps, emergency resources tab, and reporting tab. A pair of QR codes with links to the app from the Apple and Google Play stores
As you see, we take safety serious on our campus. This is evident in our	Chief Burriss on camera
crime data that can be seen on the LSU Health Shreveport website. Working together,	Scroll website with the University crime statistics Text: H T T P S colon slash slash w w l s u h s dot e d u slash crime dash stats
we will keep our campus safe. Because your safety is our priority.	Chief Burriss on camera
[Silence]	Purple box on black screen Text: L S U Health Shreveport University Police Department 24 7 365 days a year 3 1 8 6 7 5 6 1 6 5