What should I do in case of an emergency?

When an emergency situation arises, our priority is on contacting everyone promptly. According to the Lowy International School and The Student Life Team, students should acknowledge when they are struggling and seek help. We want to emphasize that seeking help is a sign of strength, not weakness. It takes courage to acknowledge when you are struggling and to ask for help. We are here to provide you with the support you need.

Please visit our Safety, Health and Security webpage for steps that should be taken should there be an emergency. Additionally, key emergency and mental health contacts can be found on this page.

What do I do if I hear a siren?

Sirens are part of the “Iron Dome” system in Israel, which alert and protect us at any given time. For all emergencies, there are secure areas across TAU’s campus and in the dorms. In the Einstein dorms, there is a siren. If you hear a siren, please proceed to the nearest secure area within 2 minutes. Once the siren stops, you should spend an additional 10 minutes leaving the area.

Proactive planning and preparation are crucial. The Student Life Team is here to assist regarding all day-to-day matters. The Student Life Team is on call 24/7 and is available to help students. We are following the government safety guidelines and instructions as they are in alignment with wider national security policies.

What should I do if I’m feeling anxious and scared?

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While we will always reach out to our international students and researchers directly, subscribing to the newsletter is otherwise one of the best ways to receive any updates on changes in protocol for safety. While Israel has experienced an unprecedented tragedy, we are also all very touched by the ways in which communities come together for support.

The Lowy International School maintains frequent contact with government security agencies to acknowledge when you are struggling and to ask for help. We are here to provide you with the support you need.

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