



WELFARE CAMPAIGNS REP (CHELMSFORD)

For the attention of:	Executive Committee	Taking place on:	09/12/15
Name:	Emma Houghton	Action:	To note

Summary: *This paper provides an update on the priority campaign(s) of the Executive Committee member*

Priority campaign(s) and objective(s)

Drugs awareness campaign in response to a research paper for Health Promotion within universities entitled 'What Students Want' and also in response to requests for assistance with this from Accommodation.

Progress on priority campaign(s)

Survey Monkey – for students to complete about welfare issues within university - Email sent to mentor/coach with survey to request this sent by student services

Campaign for this issue to be a part of Fresher's Fayre, biannually to help new intake of students

Discussion about leaflets to be designed – to include information about Student services counselling service, and other contact details for help/advice e.g. FRANK <http://www.talktofrank.com/> with regards to any issues

Discussed contacting the Drug and Alcohol health team - Request whether they can attend Freshers either in September and/or February <https://www.eypdas.org.uk/>

Have been told by Sarah Blackford that the Student Officers would organise these things not representatives

Flyers created to be distributed to halls giving a 'Drugs warning' – designed by Debbie and Leigh (wasn't involved with this) following a Support request to SU from Accommodation

Emailed Counselling service for Self help advice sheets related to Drugs Awareness and sources of help
Leigh attended a meeting and requested a clearer pathway for people who need to access help

Political awareness of students and welfare issues at Anglia Ruskin University, Chelmsford Campus
- Written letter to Simon Burns, MP for Chelmsford requesting plans for constituency and also showing willingness to discuss matters that students have been campaigning about in the run up to the election

Possible to attend a MP surgery

An update on engagement with coach and mentor/mentee(s)

Have met with both coach and mentor and discussed the campaign.

At a stand-still at present. There is nothing more that I can do.

Furthermore, considering the shortness of the term for campaign representative office with re-structuring, have done well with what has been achieved

Further support required from the Executive Committee/Students' Union

Comment/approval about welfare survey to be sent to students

Views of having welfare charities and support services attending at Fresher's week

Will the SU consider talks with local MP to discuss political issues and students matters?

1. Are you aware of the Support Services available to you?

- Counselling and Wellbeing
- Study Support
- Money Advice
- Faculty Student Advisors
- Anglia Ruskin Students' Union Advice Service
- Other (please specify)

2. What behaviours would you like more help or advice about most?

	Never	Rarely	Often	Very often	Always
Drinking alcohol	<input type="radio"/> Drinking alcohol Never	<input type="radio"/> Drinking alcohol Rarely	<input type="radio"/> Drinking alcohol Often	<input type="radio"/> Drinking alcohol Very often	<input type="radio"/> Drinking alcohol Always
Taking drugs	<input type="radio"/> Taking drugs Never	<input type="radio"/> Taking drugs Rarely	<input type="radio"/> Taking drugs Often	<input type="radio"/> Taking drugs Very often	<input type="radio"/> Taking drugs Always
Sexual health	<input type="radio"/> Sexual health Never	<input type="radio"/> Sexual health Rarely	<input type="radio"/> Sexual health Often	<input type="radio"/> Sexual health Very often	<input type="radio"/> Sexual health Always

Other (please specify)

3. How could the student experience at this university be improved?

4. How safe do you feel on campus?

- Extremely safe
- Very safe
- Moderately safe
- Slightly safe
- Not at all safe

5. Do you know who to contact if you have concerns about your safety on campus?

- Yes
- No

6. Do you have any other comments, questions, or concerns?