



## REGULATION: FGCU-PR9.005

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### Possession of Firearms and Weapons

8/2/98

#### On University Property

- (1) Scope: This rule applies to all students, faculty, staff, invitees and guests of Florida Gulf Coast University.
- (2) Possession of Firearms on University Property:
  - (a) The possession of firearms, fireworks of any description, explosives, chemical weapons, or any lethal weapon other than a common pocket knife with a blade length of no more than three (3) inches, is prohibited on University property or property under the control of the University. Personal chemical protection devices with 10% or less active ingredients are exempt from this rule.
  - (b) Sworn peace officers who are required by their employment to be armed, and are in uniform, are exempt from this rule.
  - (c) Persons possessing concealed weapon permits are NOT exempt from this rule and may not possess a firearms or other weapon on University property except as permitted by Section 790.06(12), ES.
- (3) Any student or employee found to be in violation of this rule shall be subject to discipline under Regulation FGCU-PR4.003 and/or prosecution under Section 790.06(12), F.S. Any other person found to be in violation of this rule shall be subject to arrest and prosecution under Section 790.06(12), F.S.

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*Specific Authority:*

240.227(1) F.S.

*Law Implemented:*

240.261, 790.06(12) F.S.

*History:*

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