

North Hills Church
ALIVE OVERNIGHT POLICY

Approved As Of: 2024



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Student Leadership University

Hotel Rooms

Rooms are assigned by birth gender. Students may share a bed, but an adult and child are prohibited from sharing a bed. No adult can room with students without permission from parent.

Changing Clothes

There should be no nudity in the hotel rooms. Changing can be done in the hotel bathroom.

Interaction with Students

Leaders should avoid all isolated circumstances with a student.

If a student wants to talk with you privately, make sure it is in an open setting where you can be observed but not heard, and you inform someone else where you will be.

Any team meetings must be held in the hotel lobby or another room the hotel provides. No meetings should be held in a hotel room.

Accident Report

Leaders should complete an Accident Report for any injuries that occur while the child is involved in an NHC class or activity. Give completed forms to the Director of Student Ministry. Leaders must also speak personally with a parent of the injured child to inform him/her of the situation.

Camper Medications

Teens are responsible for their own medications. Medications must be in their original container and clearly labeled. The student should only bring the amount of medication needed for the days they will be at SLU.

Child Abuse/Neglect

Any SLU leader who suspects a child is suffering from neglect or physical/sexual abuse must report that information to The Director of Student Ministry. For more information on North Hills Church's Child Safety Process, please read our child safety policy [here](#).



Winter Retreat

Guests

Speakers, musicians, and anyone else serving at camp in any capacity must be a member of a local church and child safety approved. Guests coming from another church will need to provide detailed information about their own child safety process and this will be reviewed by the NHC Child Safety Prevention Committee.

Lodging

Any member of NHC not currently serving in Alive will sleep in their own section of the cabin away from students or will stay off campus.

Any guest speaker, musician, etc. will sleep in their own section of the cabin away from students or will stay off campus

Changing Clothes

There should be no nudity in the cabins. Changing can be done in bathrooms, shower stalls, etc.

Interaction with Students

Leaders should avoid all isolated circumstances with a student.

If a student wants to talk with you privately, make sure it is in an open setting where you can be observed but not heard, and you inform someone else where you will be.

Accident Report

Leaders should complete an Accident Report for any injuries that occur while the child is involved in an NHC children's class or activity. Give completed forms to the Director of Student Ministry. Leaders must also speak personally with a parent of the injured child to inform him/her of the situation. If an injury is severe enough, the parents will be notified.

Camper Medications

Teens are responsible for their own medications. Medications must be in their original container and clearly labeled. The student should only bring the amount of medication needed for the days they will be at Winter Retreat.

Child Abuse/Neglect

Any leader who suspects a child is suffering from neglect or physical/sexual abuse must report that information to Tim Wadsworth.



Snowbird

Tents

One to two Life Group Leaders will stay in tents with students.

Changing Clothes

There should be no nudity in the cabins. Workers and campers should always have on shirt and shorts. Changing can be done in the shower changing areas, bathroom stalls, in sleeping bags or behind a towel. (Boys/men may change shirts in the open cabin.)

Interaction with Students

Leaders should avoid all isolated circumstances with a student.

If a student wants to talk with you privately, make sure it is in an open setting where you can be observed but not heard, and you inform someone else where you will be.

Accident Report

Leaders should complete an Accident Report for any injuries that occur while the child is involved in an NHC class or activity. Give completed forms to the Director of Student Ministry. Leaders must also speak personally with a parent of the injured child to inform him/her of the situation.

Camper Medications

Teens are responsible for their own medications. Medications must be in their original container and clearly labeled. The student should only bring the amount of medication needed for the days they will be at Snowbird.

Child Abuse/Neglect

Any leader who suspects a child is suffering from neglect or physical/sexual abuse must report that information to Tim Wadsworth.

Woodlands

NHC abides by Woodlands policies and procedures.



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Deeper Weekend (Onsite)

Sleeping arrangements

Two Life Group leaders will stay in room with students. After curfew, no guys can be in the girl's sleeping area and no girls can be in guy's sleeping area. If an occasion arises where a man/woman/ facilities member etc. needs to access the sleeping area of the opposite sex, a Life Group Leader must make sure the area is clear and announce their presence.

Changing Clothes

There should be no nudity or changing in rooms. Changing must be done in the bathrooms.

Interaction with Students

Leaders should avoid all isolated circumstances with a student.

If a student wants to talk with you privately, make sure it is in an open setting where you can be observed but not heard, and you inform someone else where you will be.

Accident Report

Report all injuries to a leader. The leadership team will determine when and how to contact a parent if necessary.

Camper Medications

Teens are responsible for their own medications. Medications must be in their original container and clearly labeled. The student should only bring the amount of medication needed for the days they will be at Deeper Weekend.

Child Abuse/Neglect

Any leader who suspects a child is suffering from neglect or physical/sexual abuse must report that information to Tim Wadsworth.



Deeper Weekend (Host Homes)

Sleeping arrangements

Homes will be assigned by gender and at least two life group leaders will stay with the students the entire time. Students may share a bed, but an adult and child are prohibited from sharing a bed. Anyone living in the host home who is the opposite gender will need to make other arrangements for the night. All individuals staying in a host home must be child safety approved.

Changing Clothes

There should be no nudity or changing in rooms. Changing must be done in the bathrooms.

Interaction with Students

Leaders should avoid all isolated circumstances with a student.

If a student wants to talk with you privately, make sure it is in an open setting where you can be observed but not heard, and you inform someone else where you will be.

Accident Report

Report all injuries to a leader. The leadership team will determine when and how to contact a parent if necessary.

Camper Medications

Teens are responsible for their own medications. Medications must be in their original container and clearly labeled. The student should only bring the amount of medication needed for the days they will be at Deeper Weekend.

Child Abuse/Neglect

Any leader who suspects a child is suffering from neglect or physical/sexual abuse must report that information to Tim Wadsworth.



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Middle School Missions

Sleeping arrangements

Rooms are assigned by birth gender. Students may share a bed, but an adult and child are prohibited from sharing a bed. One to two leaders will stay in rooms with students in a facility dedicated to NHC leaders and students only. No guys can be in the girl's sleeping area and no girls can be in guy's sleeping area. If an occasion arises where a man/woman/facilities member etc. needs to access the sleeping area of the opposite sex, a leader must make sure the area is clear and announce their presence. When only one showering facility is provided, guys will be restricted to use during the morning and girls will be restricted to use during the evening or vice versa as best accommodates the group and their schedule.

Changing Clothes

There should be no nudity or changing in rooms. Changing must be done in the bathrooms.

Interaction with Students

Leaders should avoid all isolated circumstances with a student.

If a student wants to talk with you privately, make sure it is in an open setting where you can be observed but not heard, and you inform someone else where you will be.

Accident Report

Leaders should complete an Accident Report for any injuries that occur while the child is involved in an NHC class or activity. Give completed forms to the Director of Middle School. Leaders must also speak personally with a parent of the injured child to inform him/her of the situation.

Camper Medications

Teens are responsible for their own medications. Medications must be in their original container and clearly labeled. The student should only bring the amount of medication needed for the days they will be on the trip.

Child Abuse/Neglect

Any leader who suspects a child is suffering from neglect or physical/sexual abuse must report that information to the Director of Middle School.