

R. Misconduct Reporting and Inquiry Hotline

Mount St. Joseph University's mission as a Catholic University emphasizes values, integrity and social responsibility. This distinct focus reflects the University's Catholic roots, Sisters of Charity heritage, and a commitment to a culture of ethical conduct. Our [Statement of Ethical Conduct](#) contains general guidelines for conducting University business with the highest standards of ethics.

Mount St. Joseph University has implemented a third party comprehensive and confidential internet and telephone reporting tool to assist our Mount community to address potential misconduct while cultivating a positive academic and work environment. When you observe behavior that you believe violates our [Statement of Ethical Conduct](#) or other University policy, we expect you to report it or request clarification of policy using standard reporting methods or this Misconduct Reporting and Inquiry Hotline.

The Misconduct Reporting and Inquiry Hotline, administered by EthicsPoint, allow users to confidentially report potential ethical misconduct or breaches of laws, rules, regulations or University policies, and may be accessed online or by calling a toll-free telephone number. Reports are entered directly on the EthicsPoint secure server to prevent any possible breach in security.

The University strongly encourages employees to report relevant concerns directly to their supervisor or through appropriate University offices as a first step whenever possible.

We recognize, however, that there may be circumstances when you are not comfortable reporting the issue in this manner or where clarification of University policy prior to reporting is desirable. It is for such circumstances that we have partnered with EthicsPoint. We would rather you report anonymously than keep the information to yourself.

For additional information or to access the EthicsPoint portal, please visit:

https://secure.ethicspoint.com/domain/en/report_company.asp?clientid=36122&override=yes&agreement=no