



## Project Green Lock

In the uncertainty of today's world, situational awareness is more important than ever. Simply put, situational awareness is being alert and in tune with your surroundings. Situational awareness can help keep you out of danger and help you react in a quick and appropriate manner.

In an emergency, your best course of action is to get clear of the danger zone if you can do so without exposing yourself to any additional risk. At other times, the situation may require you to shelter in place by finding the safest place possible and waiting for danger to pass or to be directed to move by emergency services personnel.

While no area can be completely safe in all situations, we at HCCC Public Safety have introduced Project Green Lock to assist you with your situational awareness so that you can make the best choices for your safety.

After completing a campus-wide survey, the **GREEN LOCK** icon has been placed over the doorway of rooms or areas that are usually accessible and can be locked quickly and secured from the inside when you determine sheltering in place is your best choice. **Please note that the absence of a GREEN LOCK does not necessarily mean that this area is not safe or will not lead you to a safer area.** It simply means that particular room or area cannot be secured or locked as quickly as others with the **GREEN LOCK** icon.

When sheltering in place, it is important to stay away from doors and windows, keep quiet, and call 911 only when it is safe to do so.

For questions or additional information, please see any member of the Public Safety staff.

Stay safe!

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