

## **Risk Management and Fraternity Related**

### **Websites**

FIPG – FRATERNITY INFORMATION AND PROGRAMMING GROUP

<http://www.fipg.org/>

FRMT, Ltd.

<http://www.frmtltd.org/>

HOLMES MURPHY

<http://www.HolmesMurphyFraternity.com> or

<http://www.HolmesMurphySorority.com>

NORTH-AMERICAN INTERFRATERNITY CONFERENCE

<http://www.nicindy.org/index.html>

### **Alcohol Websites**

HIGHER EDUCATION CENTER FOR ALCOHOL AND OTHER DRUG PREVENTION

<http://www.edc.org/hec/>

NIAAA – NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF ALCOHOL ABUSE AND ALCOHOLISM

<http://www.niaaa.nih.gov/>

NIAAA – COLLEGE DRINKING, CHANGING THE CULTURE

<http://www.collegedrinkingprevention.gov/>

CORE INSTITUTE – CENTER FOR ALCOHOL AND OTHER DRUG STUDIES

[http://www.siu.edu/departments/coreinst/public\\_html/](http://www.siu.edu/departments/coreinst/public_html/)

HARVARD COLLEGE ALCOHOL STUDY

<http://www.hsph.harvard.edu/cas/Home.html>

FACTS ON TAP ALCOHOL AND YOUR COLLEGE EXPERIENCE

<http://www.factsontap.org/default.htm>

US DEPARTMENT'S OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AND SAMHSA'S NATIONAL CLEARINGHOUSE FOR ALCOHOL & DRUG INFORMATION

<http://www.health.org/>

CENTER FOR DISEASE CONTROL – NATIONAL CENTER FOR HEALTH STATISTICS

<http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/releases/01facts/alcoholuse.htm>

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT ALCOHOL

<http://alcoholism.about.com/library/?once=true&>

## **Alcohol Assistance Resources**

- 1-800-662-HELP (toll-free) or <http://findtreatment.samhsa.gov>**  
Providing your geographical location over the phone or online will give you treatment options in your area. This helpline and website are maintained by The Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration, a U.S. Dept. of Health & Human Services agency.
  
- 1-800-ALCOHOL**  
The Alcohol Treatment Referral Hotline provides 24-hour help and referrals for people with concerns about alcohol or drug use.

## **To Find Self-Help and Support Groups**

- 212-870-3400 or [www.alcoholics-anonymous.org](http://www.alcoholics-anonymous.org)**  
Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) is for people who want to stop drinking.
  
- 1-800-344-2666 or [www.al-anon.alateen.org](http://www.al-anon.alateen.org)**  
Al-Anon can help you if you have a friend or relative with a drinking problem.
  
- 310-534-1815 or [www.adultchildren.org](http://www.adultchildren.org)**  
Adult Children of Alcoholics can help you if you have a parent with a drinking problem.
  
- 1-800-252-6465 or [www.advcare.org](http://www.advcare.org)**  
Referrals to local self-help groups and professional treatment centers and has information on financial assistance.

## **To Find Information**

- 1-800-487-4890 or [www.health.org](http://www.health.org)**  
The National Clearinghouse for Alcohol and Drug Information provides various information and resources.
  
- 1-800-438-6233 or [www.madd.org](http://www.madd.org)**  
Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) works to prevent drunk driving and underage drinking.

## Alcohol Statistics

- Alcohol is involved in 50% of all driving fatalities
- In the United States, every 30 minutes, someone is killed in an alcohol related traffic accident
- Over 15 million Americans are dependent on alcohol. 500,000 are between the age of 9 and 12
- Americans spend over \$90 billion dollars on alcohol each year
- On average, Americans may consume over 25 gallons of beer, 2 gallons of wine, and 1.5 gallons of distilled spirits each year
- Each year, students spend \$5.5 billion on alcohol. That is more than they spend on soft drinks, tea, milk, juice, coffee, or books combined
- In 2000, almost 7 million persons age 12 to 20 were binge drinkers. That means about one in five persons under the legal drinking age were binge drinkers
- The 2001 survey shows 25 million (one in ten) Americans surveyed reported driving under the influence of alcohol. This report is nearly three million more than the previous year. Among young adults age 18 to 25 years, almost 23% drove under the influence of alcohol
- Alcohol is the number 1 drug problem in America
- 43% of Americans have been exposed to alcoholism in their families
- Alcohol and alcohol related problems are costing the American economy at least \$100 million in health care and loss of productivity every year
- From 1997 to 2002, 2,305 children died in alcohol related motor vehicle crashes of this number 1,588 (68%) were riding with a drunk driver
- 72% of rapes reported on college campuses occur when victims are so intoxicated they cannot consent or refuse intercourse
- The total amount of alcohol consumed by college students annually is 430 million gallons, which is enough for each college university in the United States to fill an Olympic-size pool (NIAAA, 2003)
- Alcohol is the leading cause of death for persons under the age of 21

Source: <http://www.usnodrugs.com/alcohol-statistics.htm>