

Case Management

What we do

The Case Manager supports supports students as they develop mental, physical and social well-being at Lafayette College.

Staff accomplish this by:

- Assisting and empowering students to access resources both on and off campus;
- Performing outreach to increase student awareness of resources both on and off campus;
- Consulting as appropriate with students, parents, faculty, staff, and other partners;
- Helping students identify and build a support network to meet their individual needs;
- Valuing and validating the experiences and voices of marginalized students; and
- Recognizing student well-being and mental health are affected by the intersectional identities they hold.

We help students identify barriers to resources and help them secure services or support that will further enhance their experience at Lafayette.

Students can self-refer for Case Management support, or sometimes another campus stakeholder will refer a student to the office. Other times, students are connected through OnePard. Case Management services and OnePard are non-punitive; involvement in these supports is voluntary and does not indicate that someone is in 'trouble' or that there is any sort of disciplinary action.

Contact Us!

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Who we are

Case Management was created to help support students navigate on and off campus resources and support. The Case Manager role is to provide support to students who may be having a difficult time for one reason or another - with the goal of assessing their needs and linking them with supports that will help them be a successful Lafayette student and adult in our greater community.

Case Management also manages OnePard reports related to mental health and/or substance use concerns. OnePard was designed to support our community...we care about each other and when things may get difficult and we may not know what to do, OnePard can start the process of getting someone in our Lafayette life the support and help they may need. Lafayette's case manager also sits on the Student Support and Intervention Team, a group of college administrators who meet to review student of concern reports, and discuss ways to support students.

Concerned about a friend or classmate?

There are some steps you can take to help support a friend who is going through a difficult time. The Counseling Center has lots of good information about how to help a friend, and you can find that information by [clicking on this link](#).

If you are spending a large amount of time with your friend trying to solve a problem, if you are constantly thinking about your friend, or have become distracted by trying to solve their problem, it may be time to loop other people in. There are many supports on campus - but starting with an RA, who is trained to help navigate issues like these, would be a really good start! And, dealing with complicated issues can be really hard...if you need help for yourself, you can connect with the Counseling Center to talk through your own feelings.