



BOP ANGEL BRIEFING

THANK YOU

First off, a massive **thank you** for volunteering to help make sure that Hertford Bops remain a safe and friendly environment. Bop Angels are a new scheme at Hertford but it has been really successful at other colleges so we're hoping that it works here.

EXPECTED BEHAVIOUR

- Your role is primarily **preventative** and intended to provide support **in addition to that which friends** can be expected to provide
- You are **NOT expected to do anything which makes you uncomfortable**. If you cannot do something yourself then let someone else know—we will not ask questions.
- You must be **capable** of making responsible decisions in the best interest of others. This means staying **sober**. You can drink before/ during your shift but be aware of your limits.
- You must be **visible**. We provide **high visibility jackets** which you will be given by the Angel before you but you also need to make sure to move around and keep a lookout for people in bathrooms and outside as well as by your friends.
- If you feel someone is in danger of **harming themselves or others** either **intervene** yourself/ speak to Entz/ Welfare (if present)/ the Bouncers. Do NOT attempt first aid if not trained and do NOT intervene if in danger.
- Ensure an appropriate **handover** to the person following your shift. If there's anyone you have been monitoring let them know so that they can look out for them later.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

You may be asked to call a **welfare taxi** or **walk somebody home**. If you do, send **Welfare an email** explaining who the taxi was for and where it went.

- If someone is going to vomit a welfare taxi will not take them and likewise they shouldn't be left unmonitored. Stay with them, give them water and fresh air if possible until they sober up enough.
- If you do leave the Bop please let Entz and your fellow Bop angel know

USEFUL NUMBERS

Lodge/ Welfare taxi: 01865279400

Will Barnes (Male Welfare): 07739347853

Katie Broke (Female Welfare): 07962967821

NB: If someone discloses an instance of sexual violence to you and you want help/ advice—the Welfare Officer and Entz Team have all been trained—please do get in touch!