



In 2016, Drexel University faced transportation disruptions during the Philadelphia SEPTA Strike, impacting the daily commute of students, faculty, and staff. The university swiftly implemented alternative transportation arrangements, such as shuttle services and carpool programs, to ensure continued campus accessibility.

In a separate incident, Jackson State University experienced a crisis in September 2022 due to a failing water treatment plant. As a result, classes were moved online, affecting university operations. Provisions were made for the approximately 2,000 students living on campus, with close monitoring of water pressure levels and arrangements for clean water delivery.

Despite these unforeseen challenges, both universities demonstrated resilience and commitment to their respective communities. Through effective communication, alternative transportation options, and provisions for water-related issues, Drexel University and Jackson State University successfully navigated the crises, minimizing the impact on campus life.



Tip of the Month

Identifying ripple effects from closures is crucial. The Dependencies tab under Critical Functions assists in listing these ripple effects between departments. This assessment enables effective emergency communication strategies and coordinated response efforts.

	Plan Details	Contacts	Critical Functions
← All Critical Functions Description Levels of Criticality Peak Periods Documents Dependencies Consequences How to Cope Action Items	Grant Administrator : Dependencies Upstream Dependencies Comments Dependency Human Resources Student Affairs Environmental Health and Safety VA		

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