Dear First-Year Student,

Lasell College is deeply committed to the health, welfare and ultimate success and happiness of all members of our College community. As part of our comprehensive prevention efforts for new students, Lasell College expects you to complete two online courses: AlcoholEdu® for College and Haven.

Whether or not you abstain from alcohol, it is most likely that it has some influence on your life or on the lives of your family and friends. We have chosen AlcoholEdu® for College, because it is a thoughtful and educational program for young adults. This course is designed to help you to make well-informed decisions about alcohol, and help you to reflect upon and consider issues related to drinking at college.

Haven is an online course designed to increase your understanding of what constitutes healthy relationships, and to prevent/deter the incidence of sexual assault. The course provides the opportunity to learn about the importance of consent and of being a good communicator, and the many ways you can help to create the safe, positive campus in which you will want to be a member.

Membership in the Lasell College community comes with a shared commitment to the health and welfare of others. Just as you have throughout your life, you will have a special opportunity to impact the lives of your peers in positive and productive ways, and we want to assist you in any way that we can. This is why Lasell College has partnered with EverFi, whose mission is to help students address critical life skills, such as alcohol abuse prevention, and sexual assault prevention. Each year over half a million students complete these courses.

Lasell College requires that every incoming first-year student completes AlcoholEdu® for College and Haven.

- You may access the course beginning August 10, 2015.
- You will need to complete Part 1 of AlcoholEdu® for College (which takes approximately 1 hour) and Part 1 of Haven (which takes approximately 45 minutes) by September 1, 2015.
- You will need to receive a score of 75 or higher in order to pass the course.
- Approximately 45 days later, you will receive an automated email asking you to complete Part 2 of the courses. At this time, you will need to log in again to complete Part 2 (which takes approximately 15 minutes each.)
- You will be required to complete Part 2 by November 9, 2015.
- NOTE: Only once you’ve finished Part 2 of both courses, have you completed the program.

To take the course, you will need a computer with Internet access and audio capabilities. If you do not have access to a computer, you can use any publicly available computer with Internet access. Instructions for logging into the programs are on the log-in directions enclosed with this letter.

Please note that the AlcoholEdu® for College course includes three surveys that offer you feedback on your alcohol-related attitudes and behaviors, and the Haven course asks about attitudes toward relationships. All survey responses are strictly confidential, as we understand that confidentiality is essential in order to allow students to respond accurately and without reservation. The Lasell College staff that will be facilitating the program, will only receive information from EverFi about the student body as a whole, and will NEVER see any individual student answers. We will be given access to information regarding whether or not you have completed the program, in order to send emails prompting you to complete the program, if necessary. Your parent or guardian will be receiving important information about the courses and are encouraged to engage in conversation with you about these important issues.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Office of Student Affairs, at 617-243-2124.

Sincerely,

Scott Lamphere  
Coordinator of Student Conduct

Diane M. Austin  
Vice President of Student Affairs
Dear First-Year Student,

As part of our comprehensive prevention program for new students, Lasell College requires you to complete **AlcoholEdu® for College** and **Haven**. This online education will provide good information which you can use to make well-informed decisions about issues that affect your college years and beyond.

New students must complete the courses prior to their arrival on campus. If the courses are incomplete, students will be required to complete the courses over the Welcome Weekend; if the courses are not completed before the start of the fall semester, students will face certain restrictions until the courses are satisfactorily completed. **AlcoholEdu and Haven will be available starting August 10, 2015.**

**ALCOHOLEDU AND HAVEN LOG IN DIRECTIONS: PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING CAREFULLY**

- Log into MyLasell using your Lasell user Name and Password. Click Self Service tab.
- Go to the “Courses” tab and
- Click on the link “Haven and AlcoholEdu”
- Complete Part 1 of Haven and AlcoholEdu by September 1, 2015.

  - After 30-45 days you will receive an invitation to complete **Part 2** of AlcoholEdu and Haven which must be completed by **November 9, 2015**.

**Login problems?** Contact the Help Desk at HelpDesk@Lasell.edu or at 617-243-2200.

**Other Important Information:**

- You will need Internet access and audio capabilities.
- To avoid technical issues, please use any major web browser (e.g., Firefox, Internet Explorer, Google Chrome) released within the previous two years.
- You may take the course in multiple sittings.
- The course may include surveys to help personalize your experience and measure students’ attitudes and behaviors. All survey responses are confidential; the College will only receive information about the student body as a whole and will never see individual students’ answers.
- Should you experience problems, technical support is available around the clock and can be accessed from the “Help” link within the courses.

Thank you, and enjoy the courses!

Sincerely,

Scott Lamphere
Coordinator of Student Conduct