Summary/Purpose: This is Student Housing’s weapons policy. The policy lists a number of prohibited items that may be classified as weapons.

The possession of weapons is prohibited within residence halls at all times. A weapon is a dangerous instrument if it is used, attempted, or threatened to be used, or is readily capable of being used to cause death or serious physical injury, including but not limited to the following: firearms and pyrotechnic devices such as, any gun, rifle, pistol or other firearm (any weapon from which a shot, projectile, or other object may be discharged by force, whether operable or inoperable, loaded or unloaded), dynamite cartridge, bomb, grenade, mine, incendiary or explosive device, bow and arrows, BB gun, air rifle, air pistol, paintball gun, pellet gun, fireworks of any type, knife, dirk, dagger, slingshot, leaded cane, switchblade knife, blackjack, metallic knuckles, “nun-chucks”, razor and razor blades (except solely for personal shaving) or any device which may readily be used as a weapon or to inflict or cause harm to any person or structure. Likewise, metal darts, dartboards and laser pointers are prohibited as well. Students found in possession of the above will be subject to disciplinary action, which may include immediate removal from the residence halls and loss of all housing privileges. Students removed from the residence halls for disciplinary reasons will be responsible for the entire rental cost of the housing agreement period, both fall and spring semesters. Having a weapon in the residence halls may subject a student to criminal liability as well as the University conduct system.