

Words are wholly inadequate every time this occurs. Yet we cannot remain silent in the face of persistent inaction in response to domestic terrorism, racist violence, and an epidemic of death from the accessibility of firearms in our land of highly selective liberty. We condemn all who continue to contribute to a racist climate by perpetuating myths such as “white replacement” that provide kindling wood for fires like that in Buffalo that threaten to burn down the house of our nation. Our hearts go out to all who are directly impacted by this and other mass shootings, and to all who feel less safe and less trusting today. Counseling Center counselors are here for those who wish to process their experiences. And we urge all to reach out to those who can offer comfort and support in the days ahead.