Hazing is defined as "any activity expected of someone joining or participating in a group that humiliates, degrades, abuses, or endangers them regardless of a person’s willingness to participate.

Hoover & Pollard (1999); Allan & Madden (2008)

51% of Lehigh student-athletes report experiencing behaviors meeting the definition of hazing.

Lehigh University student-athletes report experiencing the following hazing behaviors in order to join their teams:

- Participate in a drinking game: 25.1%
- Attend a skit night where members are humiliated: 19.7%
- Associate with specific people and not others: 18%
- Drink large amounts of an alcoholic beverage: 13.1%
- Act as a personal servant to other members: 12%
- Be deprived of sleep: 8.4%
- Endure harsh weather conditions: 7.1%
- Be screamed or cursed at by other members: 6.7%
- Sing or chant in an unrelated public situation: 6.1%
- Be awakened at night by other members: 5.5%

73% of Lehigh student-athletes believe that hazing is not an effective way to initiate new team members.

94% of Lehigh student-athletes believe that they do not need to be hazed in order to feel like they are a part of their teams.

Want to learn more? Visit: http://studentaffairs.lehigh.edu/hazing-prevention

Source: Hazing Assessment Perception Survey, 2012