

Sexual Assault Victims' Rights Policy

If you are a victim of a sexual assault on University of Minnesota property, you may file a criminal charge with the University police at 218-726-7000, Monday through Friday from 7:30 am to 5:00 p.m.. After hours, please call 911. If you would like personal support or assistance in notifying the proper law enforcement and University authorities, you may call:

24 hr Sexual Assault Crisis Line

218-726-1931

UMD Office of Equal Opportunity

218-726-6827

UMD Student Health Services

218-726-8155

UMD Support Group/Individual Counseling for Survivors of Sexual Assault (Students)

218-726-7913 or 218-726-8155

Employee Assistance Program (Faculty/Staff)

218-720-1309, 1-800-766-8763, ext. 1309 or 24 hr Crisis Line 218-723-0099

UMD Women's Resource and Action Center

218-726-6292

Program for Aid to Victims of Sexual Assault

218-726-1442 (Monday through Friday from 8:30 am to 4:30 p.m.); 24 hr Crisis line

218-726-1931

You also have the right to assistance from:

State of Minnesota Crime Victims Reparations Board

612-282-6256

Office of the Crime Victim Ombudsman

612-282-6258

Upon receipt of a complaint, the University will conduct an investigation and respond to you. You may participate in any University disciplinary proceeding concerning your sexual assault complaint. If you wish, you may also have a support person present with you. You have the right to be notified of the outcome of any University disciplinary proceeding concerning your complaint, subject to the limitations of the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act.

The University will follow the direction of law enforcement authorities on obtaining, securing, and maintaining evidence relating to your sexual assault incident. University authorities will also assist in preserving materials which are relevant to a University disciplinary proceeding.

At your request, the University will assist you, as is reasonable and feasible (in cooperation with law enforcement authorities), in shielding you from your alleged assailant. This may include providing you an alternative work, academic, or living arrangements if these options are available and feasible.

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