

Sexual Assault and Dating Violence Services

Sexual assault is any sexual contact made without consent. Consent is a clear yes, not the absence of no.

Dating/Domestic violence refers to an ongoing pattern of controlling and abusive behaviors that individuals use against their intimate partners. These behaviors include physical, sexual, or emotional attacks and/or economic control.

Stalking is repeated harassment that reasonably terrorizes the victim. Examples of harassment include approaching the victim, sending the victim unwanted items, or contacting the victim through phone, email, or text.

You are not at fault if any of these things have happened to you.

- 25% of college women experience sexual assault
- Only 5% of student victims report the assault to law enforcement
- 32% of students experience dating violence by a previous partner
- 3 in 10 college women are injured emotionally or psychologically from being stalked

Emergency

Dial 911 in any emergency

You have the right to be treated respectfully and confidentially by any service provider.



EVOC change.
EVOC equality.
EVOC respect.

What about alcohol?

Responsible Action Guidelines

In those cases where a student has been a victim of sexual assault and/or violent crime while under the influence of alcohol, neither the Dean of Students, University Housing nor UW–Madison Police will pursue disciplinary actions against the student victim (or against a witness) for his or her improper use of alcohol (e.g., underage drinking). A student victim who is under the influence of alcohol at the time of a sexual assault is entitled to University and community assistance and encouraged to seek help.

students.wisc.edu/alcoholinfo/

Help a Friend...

Listen with empathy

Support and respect their decisions

Know about available resources



University Health Services
333 East Campus Mall
608-265-5600
uhs.wisc.edu/assault



An initiative at UW–Madison to end sexual assault, dating violence, and stalking



University Health Services

Crisis Support and Counseling

Whether you are seeking help soon after an assault or want to talk to someone about the abuse you are experiencing, these agencies are designed to assist you.

UHS Counseling and Consultation Services

A mental health resource for UW–Madison students, providing individual and group counseling, crisis intervention, and psychiatric counseling.

608-265-5600 (Option 2)
333 East Campus Mall, Floor 7
uhs.wisc.edu

24-Hour Crisis Services:
608-265-5600 (option 9)

Rape Crisis Center

Services for survivors of all forms of sexual violence, including medical and legal advocacy, support groups, short-term counseling, community education, and Chimera self-defense classes. Students may use the campus or community office.

Campus: 608-265-6389
333 East Campus Mall, #7901

Community: 608-251-5126
2801 Coho St., #301

24-Hour Crisis Line:
608-251-7273
info@danecountyrc.org
danecountyrc.org

Domestic Abuse Intervention Services (DAIS)

Services for survivors of dating/domestic violence including emergency shelter, legal advocacy, community education, and support groups.

608-251-1237
info@abuseintervention.org
abuseintervention.org

24-Hour Help Lines:
608-251-4445 or 800-747-4045

Medical Services

UHS Clinical Services

UHS offers a range of services for persons affected by sexual assault and dating violence including treatment of injuries, emergency contraception, pregnancy testing, HIV testing and counseling, and screening and treatment of other STIs. UHS does not perform forensic (“rape kit”) examinations; those are done by Meriter Hospital’s Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE) program.

608-265-5600
333 East Campus Mall, Floors 5 and 6
uhs.wisc.edu

Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE)

Meriter Hospital’s program provides medical and forensic examinations for sexual assault victims and follow-up medical services to guard against STIs and pregnancy. SANE can coordinate with the Rape Crisis Center to make an advocate available at the time of the exam.

608-417-5916
202 South Park St.
meriter.com/sane

Reporting the Crime

If you are a survivor of sexual assault, dating violence, or stalking, you have the choice to report these crimes to law enforcement and/or the Division of Student Life. They can investigate and pursue action against perpetrators. In an emergency, dial 911 to contact local law enforcement.

University of Wisconsin Police Department

Non-Emergency: 608-264-COPS
1429 Monroe St.
uwpd.wisc.edu

Madison Police Department

Non-Emergency: 608-266-4316
211 S. Carroll St.
cityofmadison.com/police

Student Assistance and Judicial Affairs (SAJA)

Support services for students including assistance with academic concerns, safety plans, relocation, and accessing the student discipline process. Students may reach an on-call assistant dean Mon.–Fri., 8:30–11:30 am, and 1–4:30 pm.

608-263-5700
75 Bascom Hall
dean@studentlife.wisc.edu
wisc.edu/students

Safe Nighttime Services

Free late-night bus, cab, or walk home.

608-262-5000
transportation.wisc.edu

Prevention

PAVE: Promoting Awareness, Victim Empowerment

Dedicated to preventing sexual and dating violence and stalking through education and activism.

333 East Campus Mall, #3147
uwpavechair@gmail.com
uwpave.com

UHS Violence Prevention

Prevention services designed to address sexual assault, dating violence, domestic violence, and stalking through training and education; ensuring continued access to services; campus and community collaboration.

violenceprevention@uhs.wisc.edu
uhs.wisc.edu/assault
evoc.wisc.edu