Dickinson

Resources for Campus Members who have Experienced Sexual or Gender-Based Harassment

Sexual Harassment, Sexual Assault, Gender-Based Harassment, Dating/Domestic Violence, Fondling, Stalking, Sexual Exploitation, and Retaliation

Confidential Medical Care

Medical care is important. Medical providers can assess your overall health needs, treat any injuries, test for sexually transmitted infections and pregnancy, and collect evidence for legal proceedings. Medical staff are specially trained and sensitive to your needs and concerns.

UPMC Pinnacle Carlisle

361 Alexander Spring Road Carlisle, PA 17015 717-960-1695

*UPMC Pinnacle has trained forensic registered nurses.

A representative from the YWCA will be notified, so you will immediately have the *option* of using the services of an advocate.

*Dickinson Public Safety can transport you to and from the medical center.

Calling Public Safety does not mean that you must press charges. Call DPS at 717-245-1111 to request transportation to and from the hospital.

Non-Emergency Medical Care Dickinson College Wellness Center

Kline Annex 42 Cherry Street Carlisle, PA 17013 717-245-1663

The Wellness Center offers health services to students, including testing for sexually transmitted infections and pregnancy. Emergency contraception is available.

*The Wellness Center does not have a forensic nurse and cannot perform a forensic exam.

Confidential Emotional Support

Talking to someone confidentially can be important for your healing process and understanding your options. Confidential support services are available to assist you on and off campus. No private information is shared with the college without your permission.

STUDENTS

Wellness Center

(Counseling and Psychiatric Services) 717-245-1663

STUDENTS AND EMPLOYEES

Dickinson's Sexual Violence Hotline: 717-609-4244

YWCA Carlisle's Sexual Assault/Rape Crisis Services of Cumberland County: 888-727-2877

Domestic Violence Services of Cumberland and Perry Counties (DVSCP): 717-258-4806

24/7 Hotline: 800-852-2102

Rabbi Marley Weiner, Director of the Milton B. Asbell Center for Jewish Life 717-245-1636

EMPLOYEES

Employee Assistance Program (EAP) Franco Psychological Associates, P.C. 717-243-1896

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Reliance

855-RSL-HELP (855-775-4357)

Individual counseling is available to all full time and part time employees.

Reporting

You have options if you choose to report an incident of sexual or gender-based harassment or misconduct. You can:

- file a formal grievance complaint with Dickinson's Title IX & Sexual Respect Office and request either a formal process or an informal process and/or
- 2. file a complaint with law enforcement.

REPORT TO THE COLLEGE

Title IX & Sexual Respect Office

41 Conway Street

Hours: M-F 8:30a.m. to 4:30p.m.

Kat Matic, Title IX Coordinator 717-254-8316 matick@dickinson.edu titleix@dickinson.edu

Title IX & Sexual Respect Online Report Form: Dickinson.edu/titleix

*Available to anyone. You can remain anonymous if you prefer by not including your name and email on the form.

Department of Public Safety (DPS) Available 24/7

400 W. North Street Carlisle, PA 17013 717-245-1111

DPS online anonymous tip form:

Dickinson.edu/anonymoustipform

REPORT TO LOCAL POLICE

Carlisle Police Department

240 Lincoln Street Carlisle, PA 17013 911 or 717-243-4121

The college process is separate and independent from the criminal process. If you would like support in notifying local authorities, Title IX & Sexual Respect office staff can assist you in doing so.

What happens if the College is notified that I experienced an incident of sexual/gender-based harassment?

If the Title IX & Sexual Respect Office is aware that you've experienced sexual/gender-based harassment, a staff member will email you to provide you with information about support services and information on how to make a formal grievance complaint. The Title IX staff will invite you to speak with them. The goal of the meeting is to provide you with as much information as possible so that you are informed as to your options, and so that you can make decisions that you are comfortable with. Every effort is made to honor the wishes of the Complainant regarding the college's resolution process.

Can I bring someone with me to the meeting with the Title IX staff?

Yes, you can bring with you any person of your choice to any Title IX related meeting.

What kind of support/help is available to me through the college?

Support services are available to you even if you decide not to move forward with a formal grievance process. The Title IX Coordinator can help you by arranging services on your behalf. Support services, include but not limited to:

- free confidential counseling/psychological support, and assistance in setting up an initial appointment
- academic accommodations, such as rescheduling of exams/assignments, being excused from missing class after an incident, ability to transfer or drop a course without penalty
- housing modifications, such as change in living arrangements
- employment modifications, such as change to work schedule or job assignment
- access to free or low-cost healthcare options
- providing an escort to ensure safe movement between classes and activities

Will I be in trouble if I was drinking underage or using drugs when the incident happened?

No. Dickinson College encourages individuals to report incidents of sexual or gender-based misconduct when they occur. The individuals who act responsibly by reporting incidents of sexual or gender-based misconduct will typically not face College disciplinary action for their own drug or alcohol possession or consumption in connection with the reported incident.

What if I fear retaliation or someone has retaliated against me?

Retaliation is strictly prohibited against anyone who reports an incident of sexual or gender-based misconduct, or who participates in any College process related to such an incident. If you have any concerns about retaliation, you should discuss them with the Title IX Coordinator immediately.

ADDITIONAL CONFIDENTIAL NATIONAL RESOURCES

National Sexual Assault Hotline

rainn.org/get-help/ national-sexual-assaulthotline

800-656-HOPE (4673) The Rape, Abuse & Incest National Network (RAINN). The Online Hotline provides live, secure, anonymous crisis support for victims of sexual violence, their friends, and families. The service is free of charge and is available 24 hours per day, 7 days per week.

National Domestic Violence Hotline

thehotline.org 800-799-SAFE (7233) TTY 800-787-3224

Provides 24/7 confidential, one-on-one support to each caller and person on live chat, offering crisis intervention, options for next steps and direct connection to resources for immediate safety for women, men, children and families affected by domestic violence.

Sexual Violence Legal Assistance Project PA Coalition Against Rape (PCAR)

pcar.org/help-pa/legal 717-901-6784

Survivors of rape and sexual assault often have questions and face legal concerns, including navigating the criminal justice system, safety, employment, housing, and immigration status. PCAR connects you with free, holistic legal advice and short-term representation.

Love is Respect

loveisrespect.org 866-331-9474 TTY 866-331-8453

Text "LOVEIS" to 22522 Designed specifically for teens and young adults, Love is Respect provides 24/7 phone, text, and chat services and offers real-time, one-on-one confidential support from peer advocates. Message and data rates apply on text for services.

Dickinson College is committed to providing a safe and non-discriminatory environment for all members of the campus community. Dickinson College prohibits Sexual Harassment, Sexual Assault, Gender-Based Harassment, Dating/Domestic Violence, Fondling, Stalking, Sexual Exploitation, and Retaliation. We strongly encourage all campus community members to report prohibited conduct to the College and/or law enforcement. This resource sheet provides an overview of our College and community resources, including information on health, confidential emotional support services, and reporting. For more information, visit Dickinson.edu/titleix