

# Title IX Overview & Resources

NUHS will act promptly and impartially to address claims of sexual misconduct and discrimination in order to remedy the potential negative effects.

The needs of someone who has been sexually assaulted vary from person to person and may vary over time. NUHS has gathered and listed a diverse array of services and external resources, many of which may be accessed 24 hours a day, so that a person may choose what he/she may find most helpful and healing. NUHS urges anyone who has been sexually assaulted to seek support as soon as possible to minimize and treat physical harm, assist with processing the unique and complex emotional aftermath, assist in preserving evidence, and to understand options for pressing charges. Even for someone who does not wish to report the event to the police or pursue disciplinary action, seeking medical attention as soon as possible is important. A person that has been sexually assaulted has the right to seek a medical forensic examination free of charge.

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#### **Responsible Employees:**

Any NUHS employee (Illinois or Florida site) other than the Title IX Coordinator, Title IX Deputy Coordinators or the designated Confidential Advisor for the Illinois site. The Office of Civil Rights defines responsible employees as any employee who (a) has the authority to take action to redress sexual harassment/misconduct; (b) who has been given the duty of reporting incidents of sexual harassment/misconduct or any other misconduct by students to the Title IX Coordinator or other appropriate designee; (c) who a student reasonably believes has the authority or duty.

#### **Survivor's Rights:**

- To receive concise information regarding crime victim's rights.
  - o Illinois Victim's Rights can be found at: http://ilga.gov/legislation/ilcs/ilcs3.asp?ActID=1970 &ChapterID=54
  - o Florida Survivor's Rights can be found at: http://www.police.ufl.edu/victim-services/florida-state -statute-960crime-victim-bill-of-rights/
- To report or not report the alleged incident to NUHS or law enforcement.
- To request NUHS to assist you in contacting local law enforcement.
- To make a confidential report to the NUHS confidential advisor and/or Title IX coordinator.
- To make a confidential report to a mental health counselor or clergy.

- To request NUHS provide you with interim protective measures
- To receive a resolution complaint summary from NUHS through the NUHS Title IX Policy found at: http://www.nuhs.edu/extras/policies/Title\_IX\_and\_Sexual\_ Discrimination\_Policy.pdf
- To request NUHS assist you in seeking assistance through community-based, state and national sexual assault crisis centers referenced below in the resource section and receive that information with 12 hours of filing a complaint.
- To receive free medical forensic exams at the hospitals located below:
  - o Good Samaritan Hospital, 3815 Highland Ave, Downers Grove, IL 60515 (630) 275-5900
  - o All Hospitals in Pinellas County

**Campus Security** 

Illinois	Florida
Security Cell Phone: (630) 927-9957	Security Dispatch Phone: (727) 791-2560
Security From On-Campus Phone: ext. 311	Security From On-Campus Phone: ext. 2560

## **Police (Non-Emergency)**

Illinois	Florida
Lombard, IL: (630) 620-5955	Pinellas County Sheriff's Office, FL: (727) 582-6200 Pinellas Park Police Department, FL: (727) 541-0758

## Rape Crisis / Sexual Assault / Sexual Abuse

National Resources: National Sexual Assault Hotline: (800) 656-4673 • http://www.rainn.org

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: (800) 232-4636 • www.cdc.gov/std

AIDS National Hotline: (800) 342-2437

Illinois	Florida
Illinois Coalition Against Sexual Assault: (217) 753-4117 • www.icasa.org Rape Victim Advocates: (312) 443-9603 • www.rapevictimadvocates.org	Suncoast Center: (727) 530-7273 • www.suncoastcenter.org Florida Council Against Sexual Violence: 1-800-297-2000 • www.fcasv.org

## **Sexual and Domestic Abuse Outreach and Advocacy**

National Resources: National Sexual Violence Resource Center: (877) 739-3895 • www.nsvrc.org

National Domestic Violence Helpline: (800) 799-7233 • www.thehotline.org

National Resources Center for Child Protective Services: (704) 845-212 • www.nrccps.org

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Family Shelter Services: (630) 221-8290 • www.familyshelterservice.org Prairie Center Against Sexual Assault: (217) 753-8081	Suncoast Center Abuse Hotline: (800) 962-2873 • www.suncoastcenter.org Florida Council Against Sexual Violence: (850) 297-2000 • www.fcasv.org Florida Domestic Violence Hotline: (800) 500-1119 • www.fcadv.org

# **Stalking Resources**

National Resources: National Stalking Resource Center: (202) 467-8700 • www.nsvrc.org

Illinois	Florida
DuPage County Crisis Intervention Unit: (630) 627-1700 • www.dupagehealth.org NAMI of DuPage County: (630) 752-0066 • www.namidupage.org IL Health and Human Services Helpline: (800) 843-6154 • www.dhs.state.il.us YWCA Metropolitan Chicago: (630) 971-3927 • www.ywcachicago.org	Suncoast Center: (727) 388-1220 • www.suncoastcenter.org University of South Florida Psychological Services Center: (813) 974-2496 • www.psc.usf.edu

## **Counseling / Mental Health Services**

National Resources: National Alliance on Mental Health: (800) 950-6264 • www.nami.org

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# **Victim's Rights and Resources**

National Resources: The National Center for Victims of Crime: (202) 467-8700 • https://victimsofcrime.org/

Not Alone: http://changingourcampus.org/