Penn State is committed to providing a learning and working environment that is free from unlawful sex and gender-based discrimination and harassment. Discriminatory conduct and harassment, including sexual misconduct and relationship violence, violates the dignity of individuals, impedes the realization of the University’s educational mission, and will not be tolerated.

General Resources, Referrals, & Support

Office of Sexual Misconduct Prevention & Response
Title IX Coordinator
titleix@psu.edu
814-867-0099

Altoona Title IX Resource Person
Dr. L. Jay Burlingame
ljb2@psu.edu
814-949-5053

University Confidential Resources

Counseling and Psychological Services
814-949-5540

Health & Wellness
Non-emergency medical care
814-949-5540

Penn State Hotline
1-800-560-1637
www.hotline.psu.edu
24/7 available for all Penn State locations

Community Confidential Resources

Family Services Incorporated
www.familyservicesinc.net
800-500-2849 (24-hour hotline)

UPMC Altoona
911 or 814-889-2011

Contact Altoona
814-946-9050 (24-hour hotline)

Rape, Abuse & Incest National Network
www.rainn.org
1-800-656-HOPE (4673)

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The University prohibits sexual and gender-based harassment and misconduct in all its forms, including:

Sexual Assault // Sexual Harassment // Dating/Relationship Violence // Stalking // Sexual Exploitation // Retaliation

For more information regarding the University’s prohibition against sexual and gender-based harassment and misconduct, including the policies and procedures for addressing reported incidents, please visit TitleIX.psu.edu.

### Reporting, Resources, and Support

#### Reporting Options

Any individual who experiences, witnesses, or becomes aware of an incident of sexual or gender-based harassment or misconduct is strongly encouraged to seek help and report their experience as soon as possible. The University provides a variety of options for reporting incidents, holding offenders accountable, and obtaining assistance and support.

Individuals can contact any of the appropriate individuals or offices listed here to access these resources. For more information or to view related policies, visit TitleIX.psu.edu.

#### Law Enforcement

**Emergencies x911**

Penn State Police**

814-949-5222

**Off campus incidents can be reported to the local law enforcement agency.

#### University Reporting

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#### Anonymous Reporting

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#### Campus Resources

Individuals impacted by sexual or gender-based harassment or misconduct may have many different support needs, including changing academic, employment, or living arrangements. The University provides a broad array of resources and support services for students, faculty, and staff, including:

- Academic accommodations, including schedule changes, classroom modifications, adjustments to coursework or exam schedules, and retroactive withdrawals
- Housing modifications, including room changes and/or the provision of temporary safe spaces
- Employment modifications, including reasonable changes to workplace, schedule, or duties
- Confidential survivor advocacy/support services
- Free counseling/emotional support
- Medical care
- No contact directives

### AMNESTY and RETALIATION

The University strongly encourages students to report incidents of suspected sexual and/or gender-based harassment or misconduct. Students who report information about such incidents typically will not face University disciplinary action for their own drug or alcohol possession or consumption in connection with the reported incident.

University policy protects individuals from retaliation who report concerns regarding an incident of sexual or gender-based harassment or misconduct, or who participate in the University process.