

Office of Employment Equity Resources

If You Experience Sexual Violence, Sexual Harassment, Stalking or Relationship Violence

Rutgers is concerned about the safety and well-being of its community members. The Policy Prohibiting Discrimination and Harassment and the Title IX Policy and Grievance Procedures prohibit sexual misconduct. Below you will find important resources for individuals who have experienced sexual misconduct.

You have support.

Consider these options to assist with medical treatment, counseling, and advocacy.

NEW BRUNSWICK CONFIDENTIAL RESOURCES:

Counseling, ADAP, and Psychological Services

Confidential counseling for students. http://rhscaps.rutgers.edu/ 848-932-7884*



*After 5:00 p.m. and on Weekends: Call the 24-hour emergency hotline at 732-235-5700

Faculty and Staff Counseling

Confidential counseling for faculty and staff. http://uhr.rutgers.edu/faculty-and-staff-counseling 848-932-3956

Office for Violence Prevention and Victim Assistance

VPVA provides confidential counseling services, advocacy services for medical treatment, legal proceedings, and university relations, and 24/7 crisis intervention services.

http://vpva.rutgers.edu/contact-us/

3 Bartlett Street 848-932-1181

Health Centers:

www.health.rutgers.edu 848-932-7402

- Hurtado Health Center (College Avenue)
 11 Bishop Place, New Brunswick, NJ 08901
- <u>Busch-Livingston Health Center</u>
 110 Hospital Road, Piscataway, NJ 08854
- Willets Health Center (Cook-Douglass)
 11 Suydam Street, New Brunswick, NJ 08903

If any of these Centers are closed, call the RHS Advice Nurse Line: 1-800-890-5882

Community Resources:

Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital 1 Robert Wood Johnson Plaza New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901 732-828-3000

www.rwjuh.edu

Saint Peter's University Hospital 254 Easton Avenue New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901 732-745-8600

www.saintpetershcs.com

Middlesex County Center for Empowerment (Rape

You have rights.

Consider these options to file a complaint with the police and/or a university official.

Rutgers University Police Department

Individuals who have been victim to a crime can file a police report with the Rutgers University Police Department.

http://rupd.rutgers.edu/ New Brunswick: 732-932-7211 Newark: 973-353-5581 Camden: 856-225-6009

Office of Employment Equity/ Title IX Coordinator for Staff and Faculty

Allegations of sexual misconduct, and other types of discrimination, can be filed against university employees through OEE.

http://uhr.rutgers.edu/uhr-units-offices/officeemployment-equity

848-932-3973

Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 is a federal law that prohibits sex discrimination in education. It provides that no person shall, on the basis of sex, be excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any education program or activity receiving federal financial assistance. Sex misconduct includes, but is not limited to: sexual harassment, sexual assault, stalking, and relationship violence.

TITLE IX COORDINATORS

Title IX Coordinators serve as the central points of contact for complainants of sexual misconduct and oversee the administration of sexual misconduct investigations in a neutral and equitable manner. The Title IX Coordinators are also responsible for overseeing the University's response to all reports and complaints of sexual misconduct, and identifying and addressing any patterns or systemic problems revealed by such reports and complaints. Contact information for additional Title IX Coordinators is included below.

For Complaints Against University employees (faculty or staff on all campuses) or other non-students:

Middlesex County Center for Empowerment (Rape crisis center for Middlesex County) 732-321-1189 29 Oakwood Avenue, Edison, New Jersey 08837 http://www.co.middlesex.nj.us/Government/ Departments/PSH/Pages/Center-for-Empowerment.aspx

NEWARK CONFIDENTIAL RESOURCES:

Counseling Center

Confidential counseling for students. http://counseling.newark.rutgers.edu/ 973-353-5805*

*After 5:00 p.m. and on Weekends: Call the 24-hour emergency hotline at 973-623-2323 or the Suicide Prevention Lifeline at 800-273-TALK

Faculty and Staff Counseling

Confidential counseling for faculty and staff. http://uhr.rutgers.edu/faculty-and-staff-counseling 848-932-3956

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http://counseling.newark.rutgers.edu/vpva/vpvaresources

Blumenthal Hall, Room 203 973-353-1918

Sexual Assault & Interpersonal Violence Services

Providing confidential counseling services, advocacy services for medical treatment, legal proceedings, and university relations, and 24/7 crisis intervention services.

http://health.newark.rutgers.edu 973-353-5231*

*Sexual Assault Hotline: 973-353-4357

Health Services and Health **Promotions:**

249 University Avenue, Blumenthal Hall, Rm. 104

www.health.newark.rutgers.edu 973-353-5231*

*24/7 Nurse Line: 866-221-9674

Community Resources:

St. Michael's Medical Center 111 Central Avenue Newark, New Jersey 07102 973-877-5000

www.smmcnj.org

University Hospital 150 Bergen Street Newark, New Jersey 07103 973-972-4300 www.uhnj.org

Clara Maass Medical Center

1 Clara Maass Drive Belleville, New Jersey 07109 973-450-2000

http://www.barnabashealth.org/Clara-Maass-

Medical-Center.aspx

SAVE of Essex County Family Service League 877-733-2273

(faculty or staff on all campuses) or other non-students:

Lisa Grosskreutz, Director, Office of Employment Equity, Title IX Coordinator University Human Resources 57 US Highway 1, ASB II, Cook Campus 848-932-3973

<u>Lisa.grosskreutz@rutgers.edu</u>

Title IX Compliance Officer and Central Title IX Coordinator

Judy Ryan, Enterprise Risk and Institutional Compliance Officer 335 George Street, Suite 2100, New Brunswick, NJ 08901 732-235-5304 Judy.ryan@rutgers.edu

For Complaints Against Students:

If you have a complaint against a Rutgers student under this Policy, please contact:

New Brunswick

Jackie Moran, Director of Compliance and Title IX Coordinator, Office of Student Affairs 2 Richardson Street New Brunswick, NJ 08901 848-932-8200 Jackie.moran@rutgers.edu

Amy Miele, Assistant Director of Student Affairs Compliance and Title IX Investigator, Office of Student Affairs 2 Richardson Street New Brunswick, NJ 08901 848-932-8200 amy.miele@rutgers.edu

If you have a complaint about gender equity in Rutgers athletics programs, please contact:

Kathleen Hickey, Title IX Coordinator Intercollegiate Athletics 83 Rockefeller Road, Livingston Campus 848-445-7899 khickev@scarletknights.com

Scott Strother, Title IX Coordinator and Director of Title IX and ADA, Paul Robeson Campus Center - Newark 350 ML King Blvd., Rm 316B 973-353-1906 scott.strother@rutgers.edu

Mark Griffin, Director of Athletics, Deputy Title IX Coordinator for Athletics Athletics & Recreation - Newark 42 Warren Street 973-353-1458 markg@rutgers.edu

Camden

Allison Wisniewski, Associate Dean of Students/ Executive Director, Title IX Coordinator 326 Penn Street 856-225-6422 aemery@camden.rutgers.edu



RBHS

Susan Hamilton

877-733-2273

60 South Fullerton Ave, Montclair, New Jersey 07042 http://www.familyserviceleague.org/save

CAMDEN CONFIDENTIAL RESOURCES:

Student Health Services—Psychological Services

Confidential counseling for students.

http://healthservices.camden.rutgers.edu/psychinfo 856-225-6005

Faculty and Staff Counseling

Confidential counseling for faculty and staff. http://uhr.rutgers.edu/faculty-and-staff-counseling 848-932-3956

Office for Violence Prevention and Victim Assistance

VPVA provides confidential counseling services, advocacy services for medical treatment, legal proceedings, and university relations, and 24/7 crisis intervention services.

https://vpva.camden.rutgers.edu/

Campus Center, 3rd Floor

856-225-2326

Community Resources:

Cooper University Health Care 1 Cooper Plaza Camden, New Jersey 08103 856-342-2000

www.cooperhealth.org

Camden County Women's Center 311 Market Street, Camden, New Jersey 08102 856-963:5668

24 Hour Crisis Hotline: (856) 227-1234 http://www.camdencountywomenscenter.org

RBHS (All campuses) CONFIDENTIAL RESOURCES:

Student Health Services:

- Rutgers Health Sciences -Newark: 973-972-8219
- New Brunswick/Piscataway: 732-235-5160
- <u>Stratford</u>: 856-566-6825

Employee Assistance Program

Confidential counseling for faculty and staff. 732 235-5930

Office for Violence Prevention and Victim Assistance

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https://oasa.rbhs.rutgers.edu/violence-prevention-victim-assistance/

973-972-4636

<u>Student Wellness Program</u> (counseling, crisis intervention) Services available 24/7:

- Newark Campus/Scotch Plains: 973-972-5429*
- New Brunswick/Piscataway: 732-235-5930*
- Stratford: 856-770-5750*

*After 5:00 p.m. and on Weekends: Call the 24-hour emergency hotline at 800-327-3678

STATE-WIDE RESOURCES:



Susan Hamilton
Assistant Vice Chancellor for Academic and Student Affairs, Title IX Coordinator
RBHS – Registrar
65 Bergen Street, Rm 1459
Newark, NJ 07101
(973) 972-9794

LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT

susan.hamilton@rutgers.edu

New Brunswick Police Department Emergency (Dial): 911 25 Kirkpatrick St., New Brunswick, NJ 08901 732-745-5200

Piscataway Police Department Emergency (Dial): 911 455 Hoes Lane, Piscataway, NJ 08854 732-562-2300

Newark Police Department Emergency (Dial): 911 480 Clinton Avenue, Newark, NJ 07108

Camden County Police Department Emergency (Dial): 911 800 Federal Street, Camden, NJ 08103 856-757-7440

New Jersey State Police P.O. Box 7068 West Trenton, NJ 08628 609-882-2000

973-733-6000

County Prosecutor's Offices

Office of the Middlesex County Prosecutor Public Safety Building 25 Kirkpatrick Street, 3rd Floor New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901 732-745-3300

prosecutor@co.middlesex.nj.us http://www.co.middlesex.nj.us/Government/ Departments/PSH/Prosecutor/

Essex County Prosecutor's Office 50 W. Market Street, #3 Newark, New Jersey 07102 973-621-4700

www.njecpo.org



Office of the Camden County Prosecutor 25 North 5th Street Camden, New Jersey 08102 856-225-8400 ccpotips@ccprosecutor.org

ADDITIONAL GOVERNMENT RESOURCES

www.camdencountypros.org

The government resources listed here may provide additional assistance for students wishing to file an external complaint of gender-based misconduct or students with inquiries regarding the application of Title IX and its implementing regulations:

http://www.notalone.gov

U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights

http://www.ed.gov/ocr

U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights—New York Office



STEPS TO TAKE FOLLOWING A SEXUAL ASSAULT

Stay Warm. Persons who experience sexual assault may be in a state of shock. It is important to stay warm by wrapping up in a blanket or coat. This will help recovery from shock and make it less likely that physical evidence is disturbed.

Get to a Safe Place and Seek Emotional Support. Talking with a trusted friend or relative or someone who is professionally trained to deal with sexual assault such as law enforcement, an advocate from Violence Prevention and Victim Assistance, or a mental health professional at Faculty and Staff Counseling can help you make decisions about what to do. Whether you decide to go to law enforcement or not, it is important to take care of your own emotional needs. Professional counseling may be beneficial.

Preserve Evidence. If possible, consider taking steps to preserve physical evidence - on the body and at the location of an assault. It is important not to shower or bathe, eat or drink, brush teeth or gargle, change clothes, urinate or defecate, brush or comb hair or smoke. Clothing worn at the time of an assault should not be washed but placed in a paper bag "as is" and brought to the hospital. In order to avoid forgetting important details, write down the facts about the accused and the assault. If you are still wearing the clothing worn at the time of an assault, bring a change of clothes to the hospital to wear home.

Seek Medical Attention. It is important to seek medical attention as soon as possible. A medical examination will ensure appropriate medical treatment, including testing for pregnancy or sexually transmitted infections. You may also want to obtain a forensic exam, which allows for the collection of physical evidence in the event of a report to law enforcement.

State-wide Sexual Assault Toll Free Hotline (800) 601-7200 – or on-line at http://www.njcasa.org/

Sexual Violence Programs in NJ, by county http://njcasa.org/find-help/

State of New Jersey Department of Families & Children Domestic Violence Services 24-Hour Hotline: 800-572-SAFE (7233)

New Jersey Coalition Against Sexual Assault Hotline: 800-601-7200

RAINN: www.rainn.org

DEAN OF STUDENTS

Dean of Students may assist with academic accommodations and other campus referrals.

New Brunswick

Dr. Anne Newman Assistant Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs and Dean of Students 88 College Avenue 848-932-2300 www.deanofstudents.rutgers.edu

Dr. Tim Grimm Associate Dean of Students – College Avenue Campus 88 College Avenue 848-932-2300 deanofstudents@echo.rutgers.edu

Dr. Michelle Jefferson



Rights—New York Office U.S. Department of Education - 32 Old Slip, 26th Floor, New York, NY 10005-2500 646-428-3800

OCR.NewYork@ed.gov

U.S. Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov

U.S. Department of Justice Office on Violence Against Women 145 N. Street, NE, Suite 10W.121, Washington, D.C. 20530 202-307-6026

http://www.justice.gov/ovw

OTHER UNIVERSITY-WIDE RESOURCES

RUTGERS RESIDENCE LIFE

Complainants seeking a change in university housing connected to an incident of sexual misconduct may contact the relevant Residence Life Office. The Title IX Coordinator will likely also work with individuals to coordinate protective measures.

Residence Life – New Brunswick/Piscataway 848-932-4371 resident@rutgers.edu http://ruoncampus.rutgers.edu/

Newark Residence Life 973-353-1037



http://housing.newark.rutgers.edu/

Camden Housing & Residence Life 856-225-6471 http://housing.camden.rutgers.edu/

RBHS Residence Life 973-353-1037 http://housing.newark.rutgers.edu/

DISABILITY SERVICES

Complainants seeking accommodations for a disability in connection with the process of reporting or responding to an incident of sexual misconduct may contact the relevant office responsible for disability services, as listed below.

Office of Employment Equity

Assisting staff with accommodations in the workplace.

Laurel Peltzman, Associate Director of

Accommodations

laurel.peltzman@rutgers.edu

848-932-3974

Office of Academic Labor Relations

Assisting faculty with accommodations in the workplace.

Paula Hak, Assistant Vice President, Academic Labor Relations

paula.hak@rutgers.edu

848-932-7174

Office of Disability Services – New Brunswick 848-202-3111. dsoffice@echo.rutgers.edu

Newark, Office of Disability Services Allen Sheffield – Director 973-353-5375

ODS@newark.rutgers.edu

Camden, Office of Disability Services

Dr. Michelle Jefferson Associate Dean of Students – College Ave Campus 88 College Avenue 848-932-2300 deanofstudents@echo.rutgers.edu

Sandra Castro Associate Dean of Students – College Ave Campus 88 College Avenue 848-932-2300 deanofstudents@echo.rutgers.edu

Jeffrey Broggi Associate Dean of Students – College Ave Campus 88 College Avenue 848-932-2300 deanofstudents@echo.rutgers.edu

Newark

Office of the Dean of Faculty of Arts and Sciences 325 Hill Hall 973-353-5213

https://sasn.rutgers.edu/office-dean

Camden

Dean of Students, Camden Campus 326 Penn Street Campus Center 856-225-6050 deanofstudents@camden.rutgers.edu www.deanofstudents.camden.rutgers.edu Camden, Office of Disability Services Erin G. Leuthold – Director 856-225.2717 disability-services@camden.rutgers.edu

RBHS

Cindy Poore-Parisau, Director, Disability Services 973.972.5396 cindy.poorepariseau@rutgers.edu

OFFICE OF STUDENT LEGAL SERVICES

115 College Avenue Bishop House 848-932-4LAW (4529) www.rusls.rutgers.edu

UNIVERSITY CHAPLAINS

List of Registered Chaplains can be found at the following website: http://getinvolved.rutgers.edu/organizations/religious-life

Camden Chaplains: http://deanofstudents.camden.rutgers.edu/ interfaith.council

OMBUDSPERSON FOR STUDENTS

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