

Non-Confidential Private Resources

These resources need to share information with or without consent from students.

On Campus

Campus Safety
Strebel Student Center
24/7 assistance
(315) 792-3046
Dial 611 from on-campus landlines

Office of Student Affairs
103 Strebel Student Center
Dean of Students
(315) 792-3100
Student Conduct & Community Standards
(315) 792-3363

Office of Student Living & Campus Engagement
206 Strebel Student Center
(315) 792-3285

Title IX Resources:

Lisa Green Coordinator 124/125 White Hall (315) 792-3276	David Fontaine Deputy Coordinator Clark Athletic Center (315) 792-3050
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Off Campus

Enough is Enough
Report Sexual Assault
NY State Police 24/7 Hotline
1-844-845-7269

Utica Police Department
Non-emergency (315) 735-3301

Student Bill of Rights

All individuals have the right to:

- 1. Make a report to the University, local law enforcement, and/or state police**
- 2. Have disclosures of domestic violence, dating violence, stalking, and sexual assault treated seriously**
- 3. Make a decision about whether or not to disclose a crime or violation and participate in the conduct process and or criminal justice process free from pressure by Utica University**
- 4. Participate in a process that is fair, impartial, and provides adequate notice and a meaningful opportunity to be heard**
- 5. Be treated with dignity and receive from the University, courteous, fair, and respectful health care and counseling services, where available**
- 6. Be free from any suggestion that the reporting individual is at fault when these crimes and violations are committed, or should have acted in a different manner to avoid such crimes or violations**
- 7. Describe the incident to as few University representatives as practicable and not be required to unnecessarily repeat a description of the incident**
- 8. Be protected from retaliation by Utica University, any student, the accused and/or the respondent, and/or their friends, family, and acquaintances within the jurisdiction of Utica University**
- 9. Access to at least one level of appeal of a determination**
- 10. Be accompanied by an advisor of choice who may assist and advise a reporting individual, accused, or respondent throughout the conduct process including during all meetings and hearings related to such process**
- 11. Exercise civil rights and practice of religion without interference by the investigative, criminal justice, or judicial or conduct process of Utica University**

Confidential Resources

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On Campus

Health & Wellness Center
Student Health/Counseling/Prevention
204 Strebel Student Center
Main Office Line (315) 792-3094

Primary Victims Advocate
Bethany VanBenschoten
HWC Prevention Suite
105 Strebel Student Center
Hours: M-F 8am-3pm
(315) 792-3708
bavanben@utica.edu

Off Campus

MCAT Mobile Crisis Assessment Team
at (315) 732-6228.
24/7 Confidential Resource
Use for mental crisis help after-hours or on weekends.

YWCA Mohawk Valley Hotline
Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Stalking
Oneida County (315) 797-7740
Herkimer County (315) 866-4120
24/7 Confidential Resource
YWCAMV.org/chat
Use for help after-hours or on weekends.

Local Hospitals:
Faxton-St. Luke's ER (315) 624-6112
St. Elizabeth's ER (315) 801-8111

DEFINITIONS

Sexual Assault/Misconduct

Any sexual activity done without affirmative consent or with an individual under the age of 17 in New York.

Affirmative Consent

Affirmative consent is a knowing, voluntary and mutual decision among all participants to engage in sexual activity. Consent cannot be given when incapacitated by substances (alcohol, drugs, etc.), when being coerced or pressured, or otherwise being forced from the individuals.

Intimate Partner Violence (IPV)

Use of physical violence, coercion, threats, intimidation, isolation, or other forms of violence directed towards a person who is or has been in a social relationship of a romantic or intimate nature with another. IPV can be a single act or a pattern of behavior in relationships.

Stalking

Stalking refers to a course of knowingly unwanted conduct directed at a specific person that would cause a reasonable person to fear for that person's safety or the safety of others, or suffer substantial emotional distress.

For full definitions & other related information, scan this QR code to view the HWC Prevention Education website:



How to get help following an incident:

- 1. Get to a safe place.**
- 2. Get help. Consider telling someone you trust what has happened.**
- 3. Contact one of the offices in this pamphlet to get support and talk about options. There are confidential and non- confidential resources in this pamphlet.**

Confidential vs. Private

Confidential resources CANNOT share information without explicit consent from the student.

Exception: someone is threatening to harm themselves or others.

Private resources need to share information, with or without consent from the student.

Resources for Victims of Sexual Assault, Intimate Partner Violence and Stalking

**Utica University
Reporting and
Support Services**

