

VAWA

VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN ACT

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THE VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN ACT PROTECTS
ALL STUDENTS/FACULTY/STAFF/ADMINISTRATION
REGARDLESS OF ORIENTATION/IDENTITY.

IF YOU HAVE EXPERIENCED SEXUAL ASSAULT, RELATIONSHIP VIOLENCE OR STALKING: WHERE CAN I GO FOR HELP?

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USF POLICE DEPARTMENT
UPD 002
813-974-2628
[HTTP://WWW.USF.EDU/ADMINISTRATIVE-SERVICES/UNIVERSITY-POLICE](http://www.usf.edu/administrative-services/university-police)

USF TITLE IX
ALN 172
813-974-4373
[HTTP://WWW.USF.EDU/DIVERSITY/TITLE-IX](http://www.usf.edu/diversity/title-ix)

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USF Center for Victim Advocacy
SVC 2057 • 813-974-5756
<http://www.usf.edu/student-affairs/victim-advocacy>

USF Counseling Center
SVC 2124 • 813-974-2831
<http://www.usf.edu/student-affairs/counseling-center>

USF Student Ombuds Office
ALN 191 • 813-974-0835
<http://www.usf.edu/student-affairs/ombuds>

USF Student Health Services
SHS 100 • 813-974-2331
<http://www.usf.edu/student-affairs/student-health-services>

USF Student Accessibility Services
SVC 1133 • 813-974-4309
<https://www.usf.edu/student-affairs/student-accessibility>

Crisis Center of Tampa Bay
1 Crisis Center Plaza, Tampa, FL 33613
813-964-1964 or dial 211

Certain USF employees, known as Campus Security Authorities (CSAs), are mandated under federal law to report such crimes and their location per the Clery Act. The victim's name and identifiers are anonymous. CSAs include, but are not limited to RAs, academic advisors and student activity coordinators.

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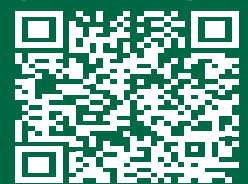
IF YOU HAVE EXPERIENCED SEXUAL ASSAULT, RELATIONSHIP VIOLENCE OR STALKING: YOUR RIGHTS UNDER VAWA

- YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REPORT THE INCIDENT (OR NOT) TO LAW ENFORCEMENT, TO THE UNIVERSITY, OR TO ANY OF THE CONFIDENTIAL RESOURCES ON CAMPUS.
- YOU DO NOT NEED TO REPORT AN INCIDENT TO THE POLICE TO RECEIVE PROTECTIVE MEASURES FROM THE UNIVERSITY.
- PROTECTIVE MEASURES MAY INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO, RISK ASSESSMENT, SAFETY PLANNING, ON-CAMPUS HOUSING/EMPLOYMENT CHANGES, TRANSPORTATION, NO CONTACT ORDER, CLASS CHANGES.
- USF WILL KEEP YOUR ACCOMMODATIONS CONFIDENTIAL, AS LONG AS DOING SO DOESN'T HINDER THE ABILITY TO PROVIDE THOSE ACCOMMODATIONS.
- DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS WILL BE PROMPT, FAIR AND IMPARTIAL. EVERY CASE IS UNIQUE AND MAY VARY IN LENGTH.
- PROCEEDINGS CONDUCTED BY OFFICIALS WHO RECEIVE ANNUAL TRAINING ON THESE SPECIFIC CRIMES, CONDUCTING AN INVESTIGATION, PROTECTING VICTIM SAFETY, AND PROMOTING ACCOUNTABILITY.
- THE COMPLAINANT AND RESPONDENT HAVE THE SAME RIGHTS, INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO BE ACCOMPANIED TO ANY PROCEEDINGS BY THE ADVISOR OF THEIR CHOICE.
- POSSIBLE SANCTIONS FOR AN ALLEGATION OF SEXUAL ASSAULT, RELATIONSHIP VIOLENCE, OR STALKING ARE NOT LIMITED TO BUT MORE THAN LIKELY INCLUDE RESTRICTION, SUSPENSION, DEFERRED SUSPENSION, EXPULSION.

PRESERVE ANY EVIDENCE IF YOU INTEND TO REPORT. DEPENDING ON THE TYPE OF INCIDENT:

- **DO NOT** WASH BEDDING, TOWELS, CLOTHING
- **DO NOT** ERASE VOICEMAILS, TEXTS, OR EMAILS
- **AVOID** BATHING/SHOWERING, BRUSHING TEETH, EATING, DRINKING, USING THE TOILET, OR CLEANING THE CRIME SCENE

GET HELP NOW:



VICTIM HELPLINE:
813-974-5757

Notice of Nondiscrimination: Pursuant to Title IX, the University does not discriminate on the basis of sex in educational programs or activities that it operates. Such protection extends to both employees and students. Any questions or inquiries concerning Title IX, policies, procedures, or the application of Title IX at the University may be referred to the Title IX Coordinator, Senior Deputy Title IX Coordinator, or to any of the University's Deputy Title IX Coordinators. The most up-to-date information regarding Title IX and other University resources are available on the Office of Diversity, Inclusion, and Equal Opportunity's website at www.usf.edu/Diversity. When appropriate, the University will take steps to prevent the recurrence of harassment, including sexual violence, and to correct any discriminatory effects of harassment on the complainant and others.

