

Harassment

based on race, gender or sex, disability, religion, national origin, sexual orientation or age.

WMU is committed to an environment which encourages fair, humane, and beneficial treatment of all faculty, staff, and students. According to the Office of Institutional Equity, "harassment is any conduct, verbal or physical, that has the intent or effect of unreasonably interfering with an individual or group's educational or work performance. Harassment may be on the basis of race, gender or sex, disability, religion, national origin, sexual orientation or age.

INFORMATION & EDUCATION

Office of Institutional Equity, 387-6316

Educational materials; individual consultations; programs for groups.

Lesbian, Bisexual, Gay, & Transgender Student Services, 387-2123

Educational materials; individual consultations; programs for groups.

REPORTING

WMU Department of Public Safety, 387-5555

To report harassment involving physical contact or threat of harm.

Office of Student Conduct, Director, 387-2160

To file a complaint against a WMU student.

Office of Institutional Equity, 387-6316

To file a complaint against a WMU employee.

COUNSELING

WMU Counseling Center, 387-1850

FREE individual counseling for students.

YWCA Sexual Assault Program, 345-9412

FREE individual counseling for men and women on sexual harassment.

Other Resources

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If you believe that your situation, complaint, or need is not being appropriately or adequately addressed by the University, contact:

Division of Student Affairs, Associate Dean of Students Office, 387-2150

University Ombuds Office, 387-5300



Sindecuse Health Center
(269) 387-4396
www.sindecuse.com

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WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

Staying Safe on Campus

Resources to
Help You

WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

Sexual Assault

WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

is committed to creating a campus that is safe and an environment that is welcoming, supportive, and affirming in which you can learn and grow.

To achieve those goals, the University provides a wide range of special services for students. This brochure describes resources and services related to sexual assault, sexual harassment, stalking, and harassment based on race, gender or sex, disability, religion, national origin, sexual orientation or age.

This brochure is provided as a starting place for seeking education or guidance for sexual assault, harassment, and stalking. We encourage you to take advantage of the educational materials and educational programs mentioned here. You will also find information about many professional staff available to help students who have been the target of abusive, harassing, discriminatory, or violent behavior. While this brochure provides basic resources, you are encouraged to learn about the many other programs and resources that are available at WMU.



INFORMATION & EDUCATION

Office of Health Promotion & Education

Sindecuse Health Center, 387-3263

Educational materials; educational programs; personal consultations.

WMU Department of Public Safety, 387-5555

Educational programs.

REPORTING

Emergency, immediate assistance, call 911. Non-emergency, report to department where assault occurred.

WMU	387-5555
Kalamazoo City	337-8120
Kalamazoo Township	343-0568
Kalamazoo Co. Sheriff	383-8700
Office of Student Conduct	387-2160
(to file a complaint against a student)	

CRISIS SUPPORT & ASSISTANCE

Linda Lumley, Office of Health Promotion & Education, Sindecuse Health Center, 387-2995

Information, support, and assistance regarding prosecution, University conduct action, academic problems, counseling, and other concerns.

YWCA Sexual Assault Program, 345-9412 (business hours), 345-3036 (crisis line) 24/7 crisis support by phone or at hospital, police station; information and assistance in prosecution.

COUNSELING

WMU Counseling Center, 387-1850

FREE individual counseling, support and therapy groups for enrolled students.

YWCA Sexual Assault Program, 345-9412

FREE individual and group counseling for women and men.

MEDICAL CARE

Seek medical attention immediately:

- To assess and treat physical and/or emotional trauma.
- To receive treatment to prevent sexually transmitted infections and pregnancy.
- To collect and officially document any evidence that may later aid in criminal prosecution.

To determine the best place for you to receive medical care, call the **YWCA Sexual Assault Program** 24/7 crisis line at 345-3036. Depending on circumstances, you will be directed to either the Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner service at the YWCA or to a hospital emergency department.

Sindecuse Health Center, 387-3290

Treatment for or to protect against STIs and pregnancy.

Planned Parenthood, 372-1200

Treatment for or to protect against STIs and pregnancy.



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WMU Department of Public Safety, 387-5555

Individual consultations; ask to meet with a Lieutenant.

REPORTING

Kalamazoo Departments of Public Safety:

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PERSONAL PROTECTION ORDER (PPO)

Circuit Court, Family Division, 1400 Gull Road, 385-6081

Inform WMU police if you are granted a PPO.

Stalking