

## **Sexual Assault Support**

We have a 24-hour support phone line available to help with sexual assault. (817-202-6255). This number connects you to the counseling center during the day, or to the counselor on call after hours. This line is CONFIDENTIAL.

The 24-hour support line is here to provide you with any support you may want in response to a sexual misconduct incident. We assure that your situation will be regarded as confidential, as the phone line puts you in contact with someone in our counseling center. You should also be aware that you do have other options as well, and not all of them will be able to promise confidentiality as the college will have been put on notice that an incident occurred. In every case, we will try to respect your information as much as we are able to legally.

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Sexual Assault Resource Hotline STRICTLY confidential

1-800-848-3206

Counseling and Outreach Center STRICTLY

Dr. Marcel Sargeant

817-202-6607

Health Services STRICTLY

Velma Tonga

951-207-7427

<u>Campus Safety</u> MOSTLY

Sean Amos

817-202-6240

Title IX Coordinator MOSTLY

Mr. Greg Wicklund

817-202-6743

VP for Students Services MOSTLY

James The

817-690-2256

## **Off Campus Resources**

Johnson County Sexual Assault STRICTLY

**Support Services** 

1-800-848-3206

<u>Texas Health Huguley</u> STRICTLY

817-293-9110

Keene Police Department According to TX Law

817-641-7831

### **Strictly Confidential:**

Conversations are all confidential and can be anonymous. Except in rare, extreme circumstances, nothing will be shared without Complainant's explicit permission.

# **Mostly Confidential:**

Conversations are kept as confidential as possible, but limited information about incidents of sexual misconduct must be shared with relevant administrators and a Title IX Coordinator so that the University can take action if necessary for reasons of safety. In planning any response, the wishes of the person are given full consideration.

# **According to TX LAW Confidential:**

Exploratory conversations are confidential. Police reports, with identifying information redacted, may still include details regarding the victim of sexual assault harassment.

**Sexual Assault or Sexual Misconduct** are serious acts against Union's code of conduct. Acts of sexual misconduct may be committed by men against women, women against men, men against men, and women against women. If you feel you have been subjected to sexual assault or sexual misconduct, please contact one of the resources listed above.

**Sexual Harassment** is unwanted and repeated sexual, abusive, or lewd language and/or suggestive jokes of a sexual nature. Harassment can include physical contact but not injury.

**Homophobic Harassment** is directed at persons or groups on the grounds of a perceived or actual sexual orientation (applying equally to homosexual, heterosexual, or bisexual men or women).

**Getting Help** is important. If you have been sexually assaulted, or think you have been sexually assaulted, the first thing you may want to do is to call one of the resources listed above. The staff have been specially trained to provide compassionate, confidential support for victims of sexual assault.

#### **Confidential Counseling**

If you have been sexually assaulted or harassed you may want to call one of the sources on campus for confidential counseling:

- The Counseling Center. The Counseling Center offers confidential professional counseling services to Southwestern Adventist University students. (817) 202 6255
- The Vice President for Spiritual Life and Development can provide students confidential counseling regardless of religious background. (817) 559-0391
- Residence Halls. The Dean of Men and the Deans of Women can provide students confidential counseling services. Dean of Men (817) 774-1684. Dean of Women (817-300-0267 or (817) 202-5676

The Southwestern Adventist University administration offers programs and services that promote a balance of physical, emotional, social, intellectual and spiritual health. It encourages students to respect the dignity and rights of others, while developing a strong sense of their personal self-esteem and development. This includes building healthy relationships, developing communication skills and reducing interpersonal violence.