

Things We Can Help With

STALKING

The term stalking means engaging in a course of conduct directed at a specific person that would cause a person to fear for his or her safety or the safety of others or suffer substantial emotional distress.

SEXUAL HARASSMENT

Sexual harassment includes any unwanted sexual advances, or visual, verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature. Sexual harassment is further defined as any unwelcomed sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, or other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature.

SEXUAL ASSAULT

Any sexual act that occurs without the consent of the victim, or that occurs when the victim is unable to give consent.

SEXUAL MISCONDUCT

Any attempted or actual act of non-consensual or forcible sexual touching including, but not limited to, fondling, kissing, groping, attempted intercourse (whether oral, anal or genital), or attempted penetration with a digit or any other object.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

The term dating violence means violence committed by a person who is or has been in a social relationship of a romantic or intimate nature with the victim.



S.M.A.R.T.

The Sexual Misconduct Advocacy & Resource Team members are compiled of a cross section of the campus community. They strive to be educated, aware of, and available for any needs the UNCP community could encounter. The members act as advocates and help with the resources and referral options, both on and off campus.

UNCP Campus Resources

Campus Police and Public Safety:	910-521-6235
Counseling and Psychological Services:	910-521-6202
Student Health Services:	910-521-6219
Office of Student Conduct:	910-521-6851

Community Resources

Robeson County Rape Crisis Center:	910-739-6278
Southeastern Family Violence:	910-739-8622
Southeastern Medical Center:	910-671-5000
Cumberland County Rape Crisis :	910-485-7273
Columbus County Rape Crisis Center:	910-641-0444
Scotland County Rape Crisis Center:	910-276-6268
Moore County Rape Crisis Center:	910-947-3333
Bladen County Rape Crisis Center:	910-641-0444

Alternative formats available by contacting the Accessibility Resource Center at (910) 521-6695.

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Sexual Misconduct Advocacy & Resource Team



The goals of this committee are to educate the campus community through increasing awareness of sexual assault while working to reduce instances of domestic and sexual violence.



Counseling and Psychological Services

243 Chavis University Center

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Mission Statement

The S.M.A.R.T. committee is dedicated to reducing the incident of sexual misconduct on the UNCP Campus. We aim to reduce the occurrence of sexual assault by creating a community intolerant of sexual violence, with expectations of communication and respect between and among genders. We strive to empower students to disclose sexual assault and to have access to medical, mental health and advocacy services.

What We Offer

1. Provide support for student survivors of sexual offenses and acts of sexual violence, sexual assault, stalking, harassment, exploitation and sexual misconduct.
2. Provide support for students accused or charged with committing an act of sexual violence, sexual assault, stalking, harassment, exploitation and sexual misconduct.
3. Provide a safe place to be heard, where an individual will not be judged.
4. Offer information about the resources available which include addressing personal, medical, psychological, and safety concerns related to the incident.
5. Provide guidance on procedures to be followed and resources to be contacted.
6. Offer to make initial contacts with resource providers and to introduce individuals to appropriate contact people, both on and off campus.
7. Work to ensure a coordinated, timely and appropriate support system for the survivor and the

Did You Know

- ⇒ Sexual violence affects 1 out of every 4 women and 1 out of 33 men during their lifetime
- ⇒ 90% of sexual assault victims know their offender prior to the assault, and in many cases the assault occurs in a “safe” place such as residence hall or apartment.
- ⇒ Fewer than 5% of rapes are reported to law enforcement.
- ⇒ 30% of rape survivors contemplate suicide after rape.
- ⇒ Only 2%-3% of reported sexual assaults are false accusations, no different than other crimes.
- ⇒ 41% of UNCP students have personally intervened to help students in trouble.
- ⇒ 74% of UNCP students and 56% of UNCP faculty/staff feel they have a responsibility to help prevent violence or harassment on campus.
- ⇒ Persons aged 18-24 years experience the highest rate of stalking.

Data obtained from the CDC and UNCP Campus Climate Survey

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TOGETHER WE CAN END
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE & SEXUAL ASSAULT



FAQ's

What if someone I know has been sexually assaulted in the past, and they now want to report the assault or talk to someone? Fear and embarrassment often cause many people to be reluctant to tell others about the assault. Even if one chooses to not immediately report the crime to the police, or a counselor, it is never too late to get help.

If someone I know has been sexually assaulted but they wish not to report it to the police, should they still get a medical examination?

Yes, the examination is FREE and it's purpose is to identify and document any evidence of sexual assault. The examination also tests the survivor for sexually transmitted infections & pregnancy.

How much do S.M.A.R.T. services cost?

S.M.A.R.T. advocates help UNCP students, free of charge.

Where can I find more information about the S.M.A.R.T. committee? Information about the S.M.A.R.T. committee can be found on the Counseling and Psychological Services website under Resources for Interpersonal Violence:
<http://www.uncp.edu/student-life/student-services/counseling-psychological-services/resources-interpersonal-violence>