As the conversation around sexual violence grows, it can be jarring and anxiety causing. In Utah, we know that sexual assault is the only category of violent crime where we exceed the national average. Fortunately, there is hope in the commitment to stop sexual assaults on our campuses. At the Rape Recovery Center our goal is to ensure that all survivors are able to access the resources they need and that we all commit to ending sexual violence. In this issue, you will find information about resources, rights, and advocacy specific to college campuses. It is important to know that we can all be a part of creating safer communities!

We wish you a safe and successful year,

The Rape Recovery Center

Understanding Consent Can Be As Easy As:

F - Reely given. It's not okay to pressure, trick, or threaten someone into saying yes. And you can't give consent if you're drunk, high, or passed out.

R - Everisible. It's okay to say yes and then change your mind-at any time! Even if you've done it before, and even if you're both naked in bed.

I - Nformed. You can only consent to something if you have all the facts. For example, if someone says they'll use a condom and then they don't, there isn't consent.

E - Nthusiastic. When it comes to sex, you should do stuff you WANT to do, not things people expect you to do. If someone doesn't seem enthusiastic (meaning happy, excited, or energized), stop and check in.

S - Specific. Saying yes to one thing (like going to the bedroom to make out) doesn't mean you're saying yes to other things (like having sex).

(FRIES taken from plannedparenthood.org)
TITEL IX AND THE CLERY ACT

As a student, it is important to know your rights on campus. The two most notable policies for student protection during a case of sexual violence are Title IX and the Clery Act. Both are the policies colleges and universities must comply with when responding to sexual assault.

Title IX of the Education Amendment of 1972 is a federal civil rights law that prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex in any education program. This can include sexual harassment, rape, and sexual assault. Institutions that receive federal funds may be held legally responsible if it ignores sexual violence within its programs or activities.

Under Title IX:

- Schools must make their policies regarding sexual misconduct available to students, staff, and faculty.
- Students must be made aware of the resources available to them in the case they want to file a complaint with the school.
- Students may choose to report an incident of sexual violence to campus or local law enforcement, or both.

Under the Clery Act:

The Clery Act requires transparency in campus crime reporting and procedures.

- Schools must publish and Annual Security Report.
- Schools must disclose crime statistics for incidents that occur on campus, in unobstructed public areas immediately adjacent to or running through the campus and at certain non-campus facilities.
- Schools must issue timely warnings about Clery Act crimes which pose a serious or ongoing threat to students and employees.
- Schools must devise and emergency response, notification, and testing policy.

Resources

Brigham Young University
BYU Title IX Office
1085 WSC
Provo, UT 84602
801-422-8692
t9coordinator@byu.edu

Southern Utah University
Title IX Coordinator
351 West University Boulevard
Bennion Building Office 111
Cedar City, Utah
(435) 586-5419
title9@suu.edu

LDS Business College
Title IX Coordinator
95 North 300 West
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 524-8157
Ephraim, Utah

Davis Applied Technology
Title IX Coordinator
550 East 300 South
Kaysville, Utah
(801) 593-2345
TitleIXCoordinator@davistech.edu

Salt Lake Community College
Title IX Office
Student Center,
Room 276A 4600 South
Redwood Road
Salt Lake City, Utah
(801) 957-5027

Weber State University
Safe@Weber Advocacy Services
Shepherd Union 322
Ogden, Utah
(801) 626-6372

Utah State University
Health and Wellness Center
0900 Old Main Hill
Logan, Utah
(435) 797-7273
saavi@usu.edu

Westminster College
Victim Advocate
Campus Counseling Center
1840 S 1300 E Shaw, lower level
advocate@westminstercollege.edu

Utah Valley University
Title IX Coordinator
800 West University Avenue,
BA 203b
Orem , Utah
(801) 863-7590

dixie State University
Title IX Coordinator
225 South University Avenue
South Administration
St. George, Utah
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Snow College
Title IX Coordinator
Noyes Building,
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Ephraim, Utah
(435)283-7120

University of Utah
Victim Advocate
201 S 1460 E Room 328
330 Student Services Building
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