

A STUDENT'S VIEW: SEXUAL ASSAULT RESPONSE

If you or someone you may know becomes a victim of sexual assault, there are resources on campus who can assist you in this crisis. The following graphic is to inform you of your options. Here at Bennett College, the faculty and staff care about your safety and we are here to help. If you have any further questions about reporting or options available, please feel free to contact the Project Coordinator for Prevention Against Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence Prevention here on campus at 336.517.1593.

Have you experienced unwanted sexual contact?

YES



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Consider speaking with confidential resources to discuss the situation and to learn about reporting options, no-contact orders and academic and housing accommodations. On Campus Confidential Resources include:

- Counselors with the Counseling Center
- RISE Project Coordinator
- Medical Professionals within the Student Health Center

Did it occur in the last 72 hours?

YES



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Consider contacting the on campus Student Health Center for STI screening and pregnancy test. All pregnancy screening fees are waived. Consider contacting Counseling for confidential emotional support. Sexual assault is never the survivor's fault. If you would like to discuss other resources available please contact the Project Coordinator or Counseling Services.

Consider having an evidence collection kit completed at Moses Cone Hospital for criminal investigation. The kit collects physical evidence that can be used at a later time in a criminal case. The kit is assigned a number and sent anonymously to the police if a formal report is made later. Medical staff can also complete a forensic exam at no cost to ensure you are okay.

- The Sexual Assault Response Team Coordinator (SART) can be reached 24/7 at 336.365.6879
- A SART Advocate can provide transportation to the hospital
- **If you are unsure of the next step after an attack has occurred the SART Coordinator can explain all options and provide confidential support with decision making.**

Consider speaking with confidential resource on campus or in the community to learn more about your options.

Family Services of the Piedmont's Rape Crisis Line as well as Counselors on Campus can provide you with a safe place to clarify your thoughts and feelings about the situation and identify the options that work best for you.

See box below for more information/available resources.

Would you like to report what happened?

YES



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Sexual Assault Response Team: When addressing sexual assault, time is of the essence. It is important that we are able to get you to the resources you desire in a timely fashion. The SART will be a one stop shop for assisting you throughout every step, from reporting on campus to a criminal investigation. Contact them 24/7 at 337.365.6879

For Campus Investigations: Contact the Title IX Coordinator to make a formal report. You have the option to report the incident to Ms. McMillian which will result in a campus investigation (not criminal). You also have the option to discuss your options with a SART advocate, Counselor or the Health Center before making a report.

To Community Resources: Students have the option to report to off campus resources such as the 24/7 Crisis Line of Family Services of the Piedmont. This is a confidential resource for students to receive assistance without contacting campus.

Anonymously: You may file an anonymous report by filing out the online form or paperwork located above the lock box in the residence halls. You do not have to provide any identifying information. Because identifying information is not used in this type of report, Public Safety and/or Title IX cannot investigate the incident and there cannot be formal judicial follow-up by the College.

Campus Resources Contact Information

*The **Sexual Assault Response Team**, also referred to as the **SART**, is a team of specially trained, confidential staff members who are first responders in times of crisis. No matter who a student reports to, a member of the SART will always respond to the incident as a confidential first responder and advocate. If you are unsure of your options after a crisis, please contact the **SART Coordinator 24/7 at 336.365.6879**

***Counseling Services** 336.517.2229
Provides free individual therapy

***Student Health Center** 336.517.2230
Provides medical examinations and testing

Title IX Coordinator 336.517.1501
To discuss reporting concerns or issue a formal report for campus investigation.

***Community Resources** 336.273.7273
Family Services of the Piedmont 24/7 Crisis Line

Greensboro Police Department 336.373.2222
Non-Emergency Number

* *These individuals are confidential resources. They must file a report however the report will not include identifying information*

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