

Responding to Victims of Violence

Student Affairs Office

The Student Affairs Office assists survivors with academic and personal concerns that arise after an assault. Staff members are responsible for handling student conduct cases when violations of Student Conduct are reported. Counseling, support, and referrals are also provided to students who need various kinds of academic or personal help resulting from an assault.

Department of Residence Life

Department of Residence Life staff members are knowledgeable about campus services and can help survivors get assistance. The student-conduct process or changes in housing can be expedited by staff members.

Counseling and Testing Center

The Counseling and Testing Center provides both immediate crisis intervention and therapy to recent or past survivors of sexual violence. Students are seen either individually or in groups with others who have experienced similar trauma. Appointments are available by contacting 521-6202 or via walk-in or after-hours emergency by contacting Campus Police at 521-6235. The CTC is located in the UC, second floor, Rm. 243. www.uncp/ct.edu

Student Health Services

Student Health Services provide urgent care for medical emergencies according to the standards of care for ambulatory care centers. Hours of operation are from 4 p.m. Sunday to 5:30 p.m. Friday. The Health Center may be closed during a scheduled student holiday. Students accessing the Health Center for assault-related injury or illness will be treated as a priority concern. Individuals seeking care for sexual assault will be evaluated by a nurse and physician or physician assistant to the level of care requested by the student. Rape Kit examinations are not provided at the Student Health Services. Specific information about access to Rape Kit examinations and police reporting will be provided to the student in a timely fashion. The student may elect to proceed to a hospital emergency room for further care.

If the Counseling Center has not previously been contacted the student will be advised of access to counseling and arrangements made to have a counselor available for any further exam or proceedings.

Should the student elect to receive care at the SHS (521-6219), an appropriate physical exam will be performed to include STD testing and treatment, pregnancy prevention, evaluation, and treatment of related injuries.

Physical injuries will be managed within the scope of practice for the SHS and may require X-Ray at another facility.

Injuries related to criminal acts will be reported to the appropriate law enforcement agency as required by North Carolina statutes.

In the event the victim has identified a student or student organization as the responsible party of the victimization, please remind the student that the Department of Judicial Affairs is a resource. Please contact the Department of Judicial Affairs to document the situation and determine if student disciplinary action is necessary.

UNCP Police

The Campus Police Department is responsible for all criminal investigation and apprehensions. In cases of sexual assault, the department tries to assign a female officer to the case. However, staff shortages may require a male officer to be assigned to the case. The officer assigned will be available 24 hours a day to survivors. Regardless of whether charges are filed, the police are available to answer questions about the legal process and legal options regarding an incident.

Off campus Assaults

Pembroke Police Department
910-521-4333