



DATING VIOLENCE is abuse committed against someone by a person who is or has been in a social or dating relationship of a romantic or intimate nature with the victim, which can include someone the victim just met.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE is abuse committed against someone who is a current or former spouse, cohabitant, someone with whom the abuser has a child, someone who the abuser was engaged to or someone similarly situated under domestic or family law.

STALKING is engaging in a repeated course of conduct (two or more actions) directed at a specific person that would cause a reasonable person under similar circumstances and with the same protected statuses to fear for their safety or others' safety, or to suffer substantial emotional distress.

ABUSE is intentionally or recklessly causing/attempting to cause bodily injury or making someone fear that you would cause imminent bodily injury towards themselves or another person.

CSUDH Resources

Title IX Officer (not confidential) handles reports of gender-based misconduct, including sexual assault, sexual harassment, domestic violence, and stalking. She can also assist with no-contact orders, restraining orders, and connecting you to a Victim's Advocate. Elizabeth Schrock: (310) 243-3492

Student Health & Psychological Services (confidential) provides a variety of health care and psychological services, including counseling and groups. Student Health: (310) 243-3629 Psychological Services: (310) 243-3818

The Women's Resource Center (not confidential) fosters an environment on inclusion and equity with programs aimed at diminishing all forms of oppression: (310) 243-2486

University Police Department (not confidential)
Emergency: 911 or (310) 243-3333
Non-Emergency: (310) 243-3639
The Safety Escort Program provides safety escorts between campus buildings, student housing and parking lots. 24/7 support is available: (310) 243-3639

Off Campus Resources

Su Casa (confidential) is the local domestic violence agency that provides advocacy, crisis intervention, case management and shelter options.
Local 24 hour hotline: (562) 402-4888
Office line: (562) 421-6537

YWCA of Greater Los Angeles (confidential) provides crisis intervention, accompaniments, advocacy, as well as individual and group counseling. YWCA also coordinates SART forensic medical exams and can help with getting you medical attention. Local 24 hour hotline: (877) 943-5778

National Domestic Violence Hotline: 1-800-799-7233

www4.csudh.edu/gei

RESOURCES & OPTIONS



Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, & Stalking



“Who Can I Talk To?”

It is hard to know what to do, how to feel, or what your options are if you’re experiencing violence within a relationship or being stalked. Please remember that we are here to help you. You can contact a **Victim’s Advocate** or **Student Psychological Services** for confidential support.

To report dating/domestic violence or stalking to the University, you can contact the **Title IX Officer, Elizabeth Schrock**. To make a criminal complaint, you can call the **University Police** 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Both can assist you with filing a restraining or no-contact order.

Su Casa provides 24 hour crisis response, legal advocacy, and shelter options if you have experienced dating or domestic violence and will keep your information completely confidential. The **YWCA of Greater LA** can arrange for a free medical exam or to have evidence collected by a Sexual Assault Response Team (SART) Forensic Nurse at the closest hospital. Contact information for all resources are on the back of this brochure.

Victim Advocacy Services:
www4.csudh.edu/vas

“What Should I Do?”

1. Go to a Safe Place. Your safety is our TOP priority. If you do not feel safe, call the University Police immediately at **(310) 243-3333** or **911**. Consider working with University Police to get a restraining order or contacting the Title IX Officer **(310) 243-3492** to get a University no-contact order.

2. Get Medical Attention and Preserve Evidence. You can preserve evidence by keeping any clothes worn, sheets, or other evidence in a paper bag. Keeping track of each incident (date, time, location, and any evidence of the incident, like photos) can also be used as evidence. If you experienced a sexual assault, do not shower, cleanse, douche, urinate, defecate, eat, drink, or brush teeth. Call the YWCA to arrange for a Forensic Medical Exam 24 hours a day at **(877) 943-5778**.

3. Get Support and Shelter. Call Su Casa’s 24 hour hotline for confidential advocacy, support, and help with local shelter options at **(562) 402-4888**. You can also contact CSUDH Student Psychological Services at **(310) 243-3818**.

4. Create a Safety Plan. Write down a plan to follow if you are in a future situation where you feel unsafe or need to leave quickly (write out what you would do, who you could call for help including their phone number, and a safe location).

5. Consider Reporting. We take all reports seriously and will investigate them promptly and thoroughly. You can make a report to the CSUDH Title IX Officer at **(310) 243-3492**. You are also encouraged to report to the University Police Department at **(310) 243-3333**. The Title IX Officer can assist you with this, as well.

Gender Equity & Inclusion:
www4.csudh.edu/gei

“What Happens if I Report It to the University?”

You can report domestic or dating violence and stalking to the CSUDH Title IX Officer:

Elizabeth Schrock

1 eschrock@csudh.edu | **310-243-3492**
 She will set up a meeting with you to arrange accommodations and interim safety measures. You may have an advisor of your choice or a Victim Advocate with you at this and any meeting with CSUDH administrators.

If you choose to pursue an investigation at CSUDH, the Title IX Officer will select a trained
2 Title IX Investigator to collect evidence (like photographs or texts); and interview you, the accused person, and witnesses. You may provide witnesses and evidence that may be relevant.

The Investigator will complete a report within 60 working days. The Title IX Officer will notify you and the accused person within 10 working days in writing whether or not the accused person violated a CSU Executive order using the preponderance of the evidence standard.
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You and the accused person may appeal the decision to the CSU Chancellor’s Office within 10 working days, and they will respond within 30 working days with a final decision.
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If the final outcome includes a violation of a CSU Executive Order, the accused person will be referred to the Student Conduct Officer, Human Resources Office, or Office of Faculty Affairs to determine sanctions. You may be invited to conference with the appropriate administrator. A hearing may take place. You and the accused person will be allowed to appeal the sanctions.
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