Know More at UTC

Week 1: Welcome Back!
Reminder: Important Topics

- Definitions
  - Consent
- How to Report
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Consent

• Basically, you need to remember this:
  • Consent must be obtained and affirmative— it is not just the absence of a “no.”
  • Consent must be continual – partners can withdraw consent at any time.
  • The responsibility for obtaining consent is on the person who initiates each individual sexual act.
  • Consent must be given for each individual act: Consent for one sexual act does not imply consent for another sexual act.
  • People who are incapacitated (by drugs, alcohol, sleep or other) cannot consent.
  • Consent cannot be obtained through coercion.
  • A dating relationship or prior sexual relationship does not imply consent.

More information on Consent can be found in UTC’s Policy on Sexual Misconduct, Relationship Violence and Stalking available at http://www.utc.edu/sexual-misconduct/.
How to Report an Incident of Sexual Misconduct, Relationship Violence or Stalking

• Remember: The below contacts are as private as possible, but they are NOT confidential. If you report an incident to the University it will be investigated.

• Contact
  • Title IX Coordinator, Stephanie Rowland, (423) 425-4255
  • Dean of Students and Deputy Title IX Coordinator for Students, Jim Hicks, (423) 425-4761
  • Assistant Dean of Students and Case Manager, Jennifer Henkle, (423) 425-4301
  • UTC’s Police Department (423) 425-HELP (4357)
  • Student Conduct (423) 425-4301

• You may also report to a Mandated Reporter
Confidential Resources

• Remember: These resources ARE confidential. If you report an incident to these contacts it will not be reported to the University without your consent.

• Confidential Resources: On Campus
  • UTC’s Survivor Advocacy Program (423) 425-5605
    • This service is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week by calling UTCPD at (423) 425-HELP and requesting the advocate on call.
  • Student Health Services (423) 425-2266
  • Counseling and Personal Development Center (423) 425-4438

• Confidential Resources: Off Campus
  • Partnership Rape Crisis and Family Violence Centers (423) 755-2700 (24-hour hotline)

For more information about these resources, please visit UTC’s Sexual Misconduct and Relationship Violence website at http://www.utc.edu/sexual-misconduct/.
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• Together we can make an impact on our campus, our community and our world.

• The next installment of Know More will be sent February 1st.