

**Crisis/Emergency
Response 24/7 911 or**

**Bloomsburg University
Police Department
570-389-2211**

**Bloomsburg Police Department
570-784-4155**

**Pennsylvania State Police
570-387-4261**

**Beyond Violence Berwick
24/7 Hotline 570-759-0298**

**The Women's Center, Inc.
24/7 Hotline 800-544-8293**

**TAPLINE (mental health services)
1-800-222-9016**

Bloomsburg University Non-Discrimination Statement:

Bloomsburg University does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, age, national origin, ancestry, disability, or veteran status in its programs and activities as required by Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and other applicable statutes and University policies.

For information regarding civil rights or grievance procedures and for inquiries concerning the application of Title IX and its implementing regulation, contact: Title IX Coordinator, Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania, 400 East Second Street, Bloomsburg, PA 17815; Phone: (570) 389-4808; Email: titleixcoord@bloomu.edu.

Additionally, inquiries concerning Title IX and its implementing regulation can be made to the U.S. Department of Education, Office of Civil Rights, Region III, The Wanamaker Building, 100 Penn Square East - Suite 515, Philadelphia, PA 19107; Phone: (215) 656-6010; Fax: (215) 656-6020.

**Please note that the information contained in
this brochure may change; for the most up-to
-date information, please see the web:
www.bloomu.edu/Title_IX**

Bloomsburg University

Sexual Misconduct Resources and Information



**Office of Title IX
570-389-4808
www.bloomu.edu/Title_IX**

ON CAMPUS RESOURCES

Faculty, Staff, & Students:

Title IX Coordinator, Elwell Hall
titleixcoord@bloomu.edu
570-389-4808, M-F 8am to 4:30pm

University Police, Andruss Library
570-389-2211, 24/7

Catholic Campus Ministry,
Newman House, 353 East 2nd St.
Call for hours- 570-784-3123

Protestant Campus Ministry,
570-441-0765

Students Only:

Women's Resource Center, Schuylkill Hall
570-389-5283, M-F 8:00 am to 4:30pm

Dean of Students Office, Student Services
570-389-4734, M-F 8am to 4:30pm

Student Health Center, Kehr Union 324
570-389-4451, M-F 8am to 6pm

Center for Counseling & Human
Development, Warren Student Services 240
570-389-4255, M-F 8am to 4:30pm

**All parties affected by sexual misconduct have
options in relation to support services. Student
support services could include but are not
limited to: no contact order, change in class
schedule, work assignment, or housing, or other
reasonable accommodations.**

OFF CAMPUS RESOURCES

Beyond Violence Berwick
212 West 11th St.
Berwick, PA 18603
570-759-0298

Geisinger-Bloomsburg Hospital
570-387-2111, Hours: 24/7

Geisinger Medical Center, Danville
570-271-6211

Planned Parenthood, Wilkes Barre
570-824-8921

Victims Compensation Assistance Program
800-233-2339 or 717-783-5153

Pennsylvania Coalition Against Rape
Hotline: 888-772-7227

Rape Abuse and Incest National Network
(RAINN), 800-656-4673

The Women's Center, Inc.
570-784-6631
24 Hour Hotline 800-544-8293



**For details,
locations, and
a comprehensive
list of more off
campus resources
please refer to the
website, listed
below.**

www.bloomu.edu/Title_IX

SEXUAL MISCONDUCT

The University prohibits all Sexual Misconduct Violations related to: dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault, sexual exploitation, sexual harassment, and stalking. This prohibited conduct can affect all genders, gender identities and sexual orientations. Some of these prohibited forms of conduct may also be crimes under Pennsylvania or federal law.

For full definitions and details please visit the Title IX website.

MANDATORY REPORTERS

All University Officials, Volunteers and Employees (including Student Employees) are obligated to report incidents of sexual misconduct of which they become aware to the Title IX Coordinator or designee (exceptions can be found in the Sexual Misconduct Policy).

REPORT VERSUS COMPLAINT

Making a report is different from filing a formal complaint. A report is defined as notification of an incident of sexual misconduct to the Title IX Coordinator or designee by any person. A report may be accompanied by a request for

- (1) supportive measures;
- (2) no further action;
- (3) a formal complaint and a request to initiate a formal resolution process (investigation); and/or
- (4) an informal resolution process



REPORTING

In an emergency 911 is always an option.

POLICE- University Police can help individuals determine the Police Department that would have the appropriate jurisdiction.
(24/7; 570-389-2211)

TITLE IX COORDINATOR – The Title IX Coordinator can provide students, faculty, and staff a comprehensive review of all rights, options, support measures, and resources.
(M-F between 8-4:30 PM; 570-389-4808)

OFFICE OF THE DEAN OF STUDENTS (DOS) – Student cases can be reported to this office; DOS can also provide initial Title IX services.
(M-F between 8-4:30; 570-389-4734)

CAMPUS WOMEN'S RESOURCE CENTER- Student cases may be reported to this office; the Center can also provide initial Title IX services. (M-F between 8-4:30 PM; 570-389-5283)

ELECTRONIC AND ANONYMOUS reports may be filed using the appropriate links below. While anonymous reports are accepted, the University's ability to address misconduct reported anonymously is significantly limited.
www.bloomu.edu/Title_IX

Individuals may also file a report electronically by emailing titleIXcoord@bloomu.edu

For additional details and information please visit the Title IX website at
www.bloomu.edu/Title_IX

CONFIDENTIALITY & PRIVACY

Privacy, confidentiality and privilege have distinct meanings under the Sexual Misconduct Policy.

Privacy generally means that information related to a report of sexual misconduct will only be shared with limited individuals, who "need to know" in order to assist in the review, investigation, or resolution of the report or to deliver resources or support services.

Certain individuals are designated as having confidentiality. For reports made to employees designated with having confidentiality, the University will respect the reporting party's expectations of privacy to the extent permissible by law while still ensuring compliance with other reporting obligations. A person consulting with a confidential resource may also decide to make a report to the University and/or law enforcement.

Speaking with a confidential employee does not constitute filing a Title IX or sexual misconduct report. To make a report an individual must meet with a non-confidential reporting office such as the Title IX Office.

AMNESTY

A witness to or individual who experiences sexual misconduct, acting in good faith, who discloses any incident of sexual misconduct to University officials or law enforcement will not be sanctioned under the University's Student Code of Conduct for violations of alcohol and/or drug use policies occurring at or near the time of the incident(s) of sexual misconduct.

RIGHTS

Individuals have a right to:

- Medical attention
- File a report or complaint (and withdraw a complaint)
- Supportive measures
- Contact law enforcement
- An equitable, efficient, judicial process
- A conduct hearing and for an advisor to cross-examine parties and witnesses
- Participate in a University process free from retaliation

HOW TO HELP

Listen to them. An individual impacted by sexual misconduct needs someone who will listen to what they have to say without blame or judgement.

Be supportive, but do not tell them what to do. A person that has been sexually assaulted has had power and control taken from them. The only way they are going to gain that power back is by making decisions for themselves.

Make sure they are safe. Ask them if they need medical attention or ask them if they would like to involve law enforcement. Do not automatically call the police unless it is an emergency.

Give them information, and encourage them to connect with someone who can review all their options, rights, and resources.

Do not investigate on your own. Do not ask questions about what happened, wait for them to share what they are comfortable sharing.