If you have been the victim of sexual assault:

Find a Safe Place

Take a moment to collect yourself. You may feel a variety of confusing emotions. These are normal responses to trauma. Know that the incident is NOT your fault. Ask a family member or trusted friend for support.

You are not alone.

Get Emotional Support

Some organizations offering confidential support 24/7:
- **Penn Behavioral Health** – PAFA's counseling service
  1-888-321-4433 – press ‘2’ at the prompt
- **WOAR (Women Organized Against Rape)**
  215-985-3333 – 24 hour hotline; Counseling and practical help
- **National Sexual Assault Hotline**
  1-800-656 HOPE (4673)
- **Rape, Abuse and Incest National Network (RAINN)**
  Resources & 24/7 live chat hotline: www.rainn.org/
  Crisis Text Line: Text START to 741-741

Get Medical Support

Call 911 or the Philadelphia Police Department Special Victims Unit at 215-685-3251 for transportation to the Philadelphia Sexual Assault Response Center (PSARC).

**Philadelphia Sexual Assault Response Center (PSARC)**

24 hour answering service: 215-425-1625

Services provided include:
- treatment of injuries
- forensic rape examinations
- help with police reports (if you choose to file)
- treatment for possible STDs
- emergency contraception

To preserve evidence, put the clothing you were wearing in a paper bag and do not eat, smoke or shower. You do not need to file a police report to receive a forensic exam.

File a Report

Record all details you can recall.
- If the person who assaulted you is a PAFA student, we encourage you to file a complaint with the school.
- If you would like to file a police report (completely optional and your choice), we can help connect you with them.

Our staff is here to support you:
- **Student Services**: 215-972-2199; **Graduate Office**: 215-972-2027
- **PAFA Security**: 215-972-2083
- **PAFA's Title IX Coordinator**: Anne Stassen (Interim)
  215-972-2039; estassen@pafa.edu