



ADDITIONAL RESOURCES:

For more information about support resources and reporting options, please visit **safe.unc.edu**

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TO HELP
SUPPORT YOU.



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CARE AND RECOVERY

after a
non-consensual
sexual encounter



YOU ARE IN CHARGE

Students may feel unsure about what to do or what they need after a non-consensual sexual encounter. At Carolina, we want you to have as much control as possible over what happens next. However, we recognize that having many options can feel overwhelming, too. If you are interested in exploring options for medical care and support, UNC Campus Health can help.

CAMPUS HEALTH CAN HELP

Campus Health is an affirming place for everyone. At Campus Health, you are in charge. You'll be offered a range of services, from which you choose what you want.

Campus Health is often the first point of contact for students after a non-consensual sexual encounter.

At Campus Health, providers in Gynecology provide care for students and Postdoctoral fellows and can help explore options for care.

To review options for post-assault medical care, please call 919-966-6577 to speak to a member of the Gynecology clinic team.

Hours for Gynecology are 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. M-F. If after hours, please call the on-call provider at 919-966-2281

Campus Health can also connect you with further resources for care and response.

CONFIDENTIALITY

Campus Health is a confidential resource. You do not need to report to law enforcement and/or the University to seek medical care or have evidence collected. There are options to remain anonymous and have evidence collected. These options can be explored with the Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE).

Please visit safe.unc.edu to learn more about confidential support and resources available, as well as information about reporting options.



MEDICAL TREATMENT

Options for medical screenings and treatment include:

- Medications for disease prevention & treatment
- Emergency contraception
- Pregnancy & STI testing

Some medical treatment options are most effective within 72 hours (about 3 days) of an assault, including injury treatment and HIV prophylaxis. Other options, including evidence collection and emergency contraception, can still be effective up to 5 days (120 hours) after an assault. An individual can choose the type of care they receive and can skip or stop any part of the exam or evidence collection. Beyond this timeframe, individuals may still connect with medical care to discuss options, services, and care available.

EVIDENCE COLLECTION

If you are interested in the option of evidence collection, you will be referred to UNC Health to meet with a Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE) for kit collection.

Evidence collection may identify and document injuries and potential biological material that may contain DNA. The nurse examiner can check you from head to toe, looking for injuries and potential evidence.

The examination time depends on each individual's unique needs and situation. Your providers will try to maximize your comfort. Please allow as much time as possible.

PAYMENT FOR SERVICES

Medical, mental health, and prescription services after a non-consensual sexual encounter are covered under the Student Activities Fund Office (SAFO) up to the allowable maximums. Learn more about financial support available at safe.unc.edu

