

CONFIDENTIAL CAMPUS RESOURCES

STUDENT LIFE-VIOLENCE PREVENTION

149 Graff Main Hall
608.785.8062

COUNSELING AND TESTING CENTER

2106 Centennial Hall
608.785.8073

STUDENT HEALTH CENTER

1300 Badger Street
608.785.8558

CONFIDENTIAL COMMUNITY RESOURCES

GUNDERSEN HEALTH SYSTEM DV/SA PROGRAM

608.775.5950 (24-HOUR LINE)

MAYO CLINIC HEALTH SYSTEM SAFE PATH

608.392.7804 (24-HOUR LINE)

NEW HORIZONS SHELTER & OUTREACH CENTERS

608.791.2600 (24-HOUR LINE)

GREAT RIVERS 2-1-1

Information, referral, and crisis line
Dial 211 (24-HOUR LINE)

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FOR DEALING WITH SEXUAL ASSAULT,
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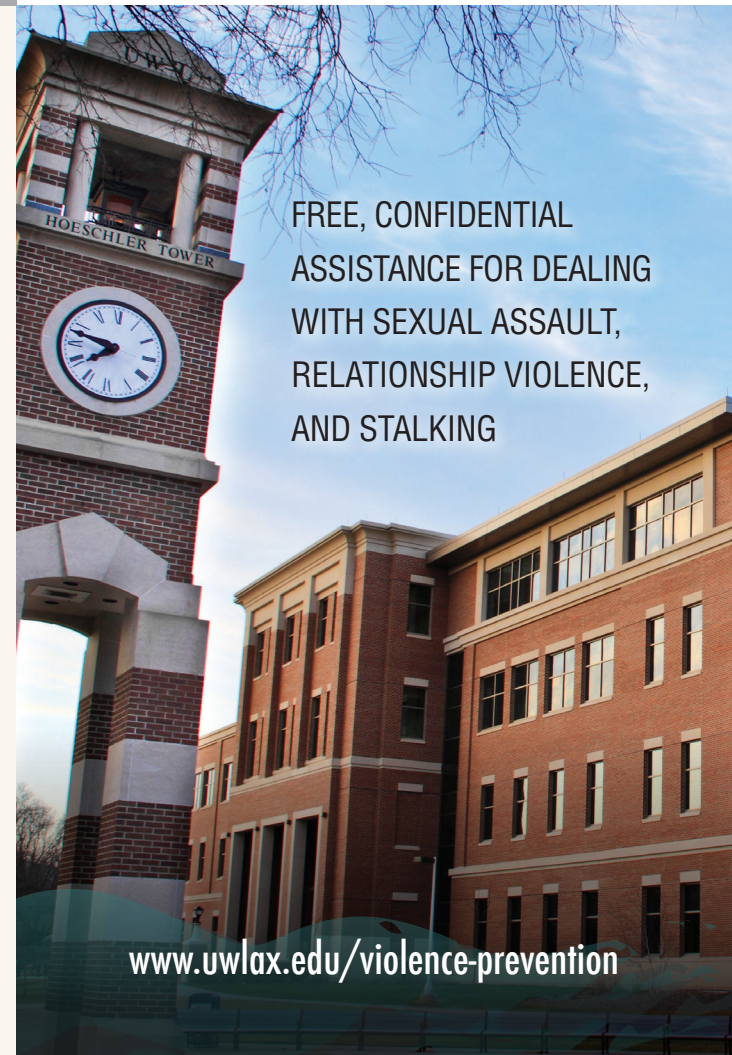
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VIOLENCE PREVENTION SERVICES

In non-emergency situations, it is strongly suggested that an individual who is considering reporting an assault, consult first with the Student Life Violence Prevention Specialist in order to receive information about the full range of available reporting options.

CONTACT **INGRID PETERSON AT**
IPETERSON@UWLAX.EDU OR **608.785.8062**.

Reports made to the Violence Prevention Specialist are confidential. Services are free, confidential, and available to all UW-L students, faculty, and staff members.

RESPONSE TO SEXUAL ASSAULT

If the assault occurred recently:

- Seek medical assistance immediately.
- Take a friend with you to the medical center, and also take a change of clothes, if possible.
- Utilize the resources listed in this brochure.
- For more information and to view UW-L's complete policy on sexual assault, go to www.uwlax.edu/violence-prevention

To preserve evidence:

- Do not bathe, douche or change clothes
- Write down everything you can remember about the assault, the attacker, vehicles, etc.
- Document/photograph any injuries

Legal Response

(Please note that you are not required to report the incident to law enforcement)

CAMPUS CONDUCT PROCESS

To inquire about bringing charges against a student through the Campus Conduct Process, talk to the Violence Prevention Specialist in Office of Student Life.

LAW ENFORCEMENT OPTIONS

To explore law enforcement options, call University Police at 608.789.9000 or dial 911 to reach the La Crosse City Police and the La Crosse County Sheriff's Department.



SEXUAL ASSAULT:

Any type of sexual contact that occurs without a person's consent. Someone under the influence of alcohol may not be capable of giving consent. It is estimated that 90% of campus sexual assaults involve alcohol.

RESPONSIBLE ACTION POLICY:

UW-L will not pursue disciplinary action against the victim of sexual assault and/or violent crime for improper use of alcohol (i.e., underage drinking, etc.). Students are strongly encouraged to utilize university resources and assistance if they believe they are the victims of a crime. For more on UW-L's Responsible Action Policy, go to www.uwlax.edu/Wellness/Responsible-Action-Policy

STALKING:

A course of conduct directed at a specific person that would cause a reasonable person to feel fear. Examples include: following someone, repeated phone calls, emails, or text messages, harrasing someone on social networking sites like Facebook or Twitter, sending unwanted gifts, cards or emails, and monitoring or tracking someone's time and/or activities.

RESTRAINING ORDER: A restraining order is a court order that orders someone not to hurt you, to stay away from you, move out of the residence, have no contact with you, or stop harassing you. For information about obtaining a Restraining Order, go to: www.doj.state.wi.us/ocvs/victim-rights/restraining-orders

RELATIONSHIP VIOLENCE:

Controlling, abusive, and/or aggressive behavior that occurs in an intimate relationship. It occurs in both heterosexual and same-sex relationships, and can include verbal, emotional, physical or sexual abuse. Some common warning signs include: verbal abuse, excessive jealousy, isolation, pressure for a commitment, stalking, threats, intimidation, yelling, grabbing, or pushing.