

Reporting & Support Options for Sexual Harassment and Assault



Crisis counselling services

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Internal Support & Reporting Options at Curtin

Safer Communities

Confidential Discussion and Guidance on Next Steps:

The Safer Community team will have a confidential conversation with you about your options, discussing available reporting avenues, and connecting you with support resources such as Curtin Psychological and Counselling Services, WA Police, or the Sexual Assault Resource Centre (SARC).

Safety Planning and Ongoing Support:

The Safer Community team will work with you to develop a safety plan tailored to your situation, provide advice on legal proceedings such as a restraining order, and offer ongoing welfare and academic support to ensure your safety and wellbeing.



Available 24/7
(08) 9266 4444

Level two of Building 109

8.30am - 4.30pm Monday - Thursday
8.30am - 4pm Fridays
(08) 9266 7850

Curtin Counselling

If you have experienced, or been affected by, sexual assault and/or sexual harassment, and you would like to seek free confidential counselling support, please book a triage appointment with Curtin Psychological & Counselling Services. Our triage times are from Monday to Friday between 8:30am - 12:30pm, on a first-come, first-served basis.

- **100% confidential** – no information will be shared without your permission.
- **Safe space** – to be & talk about what happened and discuss next steps/options.
- The team are all Masters trained psychologists, trained & experienced in assisting SA/SH cases
- Diverse range of counsellors; women, First Nations, LGBTQIA+ Allies and multilingual (list of language options)



Wellbeing Team ☎ 1800 244 043

Student Wellbeing provides a confidential, person centered support service. They will listen, validate, attend to immediate needs, explain support options internal and external and report options formal / informal internal and external.



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External Support & Reporting Options

SARC 📞 24 hour helpline: 1800 199 888

The Sexual Assault Resource Centre (SARC) is not part of the police, but they support a person's decision to involve the police. Information in other languages is available.

SARC is a free confidential service that involves medical care, forensic examination and counselling support to people who have experienced a recent sexual assault (rape) in the last **two weeks** and counselling for sexual assault / abuse experienced recently or in the past.



📞 9am -4pm Monday - Friday
(08) 9266 2900 or
1800 063 865 (freecall)

Student Assist

We're the free support and advocacy service of the Curtin Student Guild. Our officers are unbiased, confidential, and—most importantly— run by the Guild, therefore completely independent of Curtin University. We can listen, explain options and co-ordinate with other support services.

Police 📞 131 444

Options to report a sexual assault:

- Attend your local police station
- Ring police on 131 444
- Report online (anonymously if you wish) through the Safe2Say portal

When reporting:

- You will be listened to.
- You will be treated with dignity and respect.
- You will be kept informed of the progress of your investigation and
- You will be provided with assistance to access support services if you require them.



Safe2Say Portal