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RESPONSE TO RAPE & SEXUAL ASSAULT

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In compliance with the mandate of ECS 67385 and out of concern for the health and safety of District students, employees and visitors, Sonoma County Junior College District shall adopt and implement written procedures to ensure that students, employees and/or visitors who are victims of sexual assault committed on District owned or maintained property and/or while participating in District sponsored or supervised activities receive appropriate treatment, information and/or referrals to community agencies and medical facilities.

The District Police Department has the primary law enforcement responsibility for the investigation of all reported crimes, to include sexual assaults, that are committed on District owned or maintained property. All victims of sexual assault should be encouraged to immediately report the crime to District Police. District Police will make every effort to identify, apprehend and prosecute all offenders.

The District provides a sexual assault prevention program which is made available to members of the College community each year. This includes seminars, presentations, pamphlets and information upon request about personal safety, crime prevention, awareness of rape, acquaintance rape, and other forcible and non forcible sex offenses.