Queen’s University is committed to providing non-judgmental sexual violence support and response. Sexual Violence means any sexual act or act targeting a person’s sexuality, gender identity or gender expression, whether the act is physical or psychological in nature, that is committed, threatened or attempted against a person without the person’s consent, and includes sexual assault, sexual harassment, stalking, indecent exposure, voyeurism, and sexual exploitation. Queen’s encourages students who have experienced sexual violence to reach out for support and offers the following steps as options to consider.

1. **GO TO A SAFE PLACE**
   - For safety assessment and planning, call:
     - Queen’s 24hr Emergency Response Centre 613-533-6111
     - 911

2. **SEEK MEDICAL ATTENTION**
   - For confidential services, call the Sexual Assault/Family Violence Unit, Kingston General Hospital (KGH)
     - 613-549-6666 ext 4880 24/7
   - Ask for the SA/FV nurse
   - Services include:
     - Emergency medical care;
     - Testing and treatment for sexually transmitted infections, HIV and pregnancy;
     - Forensic evidence collection (including the Sexual Assault Evidence Kit).
   - Call or attend Health Services at Student Wellness at 146 Stuart Street 613-533-2506

3. **GET SUPPORT AND EXPLORE OPTIONS**
   - Not sure what to do next? Contact Barb Lotan, the Queen’s University Sexual Violence Prevention and Response Coordinator for information and to review your options.
     - Monday to Friday, 8:30 – 4:30 pm
     - 613-533-6330 or bjl7@queensu.ca
   - Counselling Services
     - LaSalle Building
     - 346 Stuart Street
     - 613-533-6000 ext 78264
   - Ask for an appointment with a counsellor; indicate it is a crisis related to sexual assault

**FOR EVIDENCE COLLECTION, TRY NOT TO:**
- shower, bathe or use the washroom prior to medical exam;
- change, wash or destroy clothing;
- clean up the scene.

**UNIVERSITY COMMITMENT**
All persons who disclose an experience of sexual violence can expect to be:
- treated with compassion, dignity, and respect;
- provided with timely safety planning assistance;
- informed about on- and off-campus support services and resources available to them;
- provided with non-judgmental and sympathetic support;
- provided with accommodations as appropriate;
- integral decision-makers in situations pertaining to themselves;
- allowed to determine whether and to whom they wish to disclose or report their experience.

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