



Timely Warning Notification: Fondling

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The Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act (Clery Act) is a federal law that requires colleges and universities across the United States to disclose information about crime on and around their campuses. A requirement of this law is timely notification to the campus community of certain crimes in a manner that will aid in the prevention of similar crimes.

FONDLING

On January 21, 2025, the University Police Department (UPD) received a report of fondling that occurred on January 19, 2025, between 4:00 – 6:00 PM. The offense was reported to have occurred in the on-campus academic building, Mary Moody Northen Hall.

The Title IX Office is aware of the incidents. Local and university resources are being made available to the victim.

- Make sure you have consent. Consent is a clear and freely given yes, not the absence of a no.
- Unwanted touching such as groping and touching of private body parts is inappropriate touching.
- Trust your instincts. If you feel uneasy or sense something is wrong, call for assistance.
- Bystanders play a critical role in the prevention of sexual violence. Make the choice to intervene, speak up, or do something about it.
- Make use of on-campus resources (Student Counseling, Student Medical, Title IX, and UPD)
- Local Resource: Family Support Services: <https://fss-ama.org/>