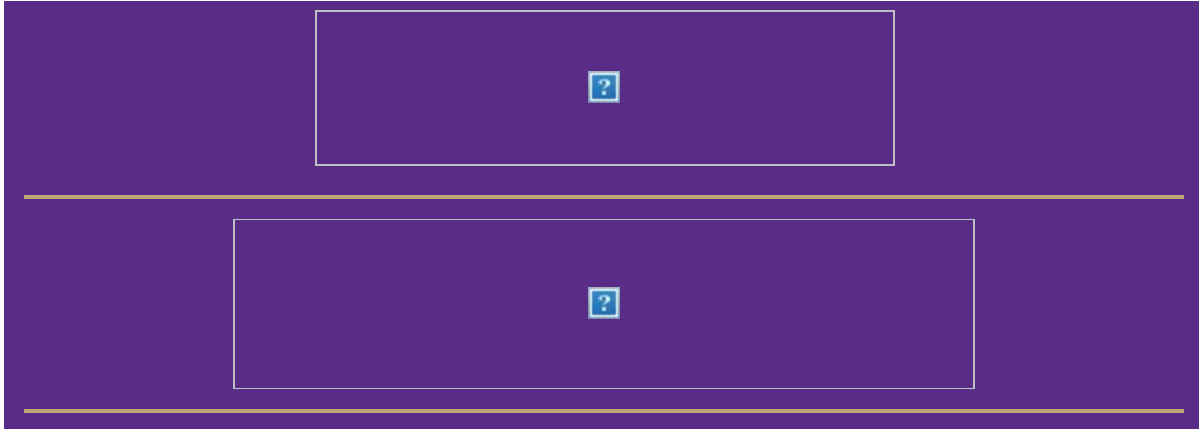


From: [Public Safety - No Reply](#)
Subject: Timely Warning-Sexual Assault
Date: Monday, September 26, 2022 1:03:49 AM



Incident	Sexual Assault
Date Reported	09/26/2022
Date of Incident	09/25/2022
Location	Norton Road Vicinity

Description of Incident

The Western Carolina University Police Department is investigating a report of a sexual assault. This incident occurred between the victim and an unknown suspect. The suspect was described as a white male with dark hair wearing a light grey pullover.

If you have any information please contact the Western Carolina University Police Department at 828.227.8911.

Tips:

Always remember, sexual violence is never the victim's fault. Perpetrators are responsible for these crimes.

Consent from WCU Code of Conduct– approval and permission to engage in mutually agreed upon sexual activity demonstrated by clear actions, words or writings. It is the

responsibility of each party to make certain that the other has consented before engaging in sexual activity. Informed consent is freely and voluntarily given and it is mutually understood by all parties involved. An individual who engages in sexual activity when the individual knows, or reasonably should know, that the other person is physically or mental incapacitated has violated this policy. It is not an excuse that the responding party was intoxicated and therefore did not realize the incapacity of the other. If a person is under the age of legal consent, asleep, or Incapacitated as defined, there is no consent. If coercion, intimidation, threats and/or physical force are used,