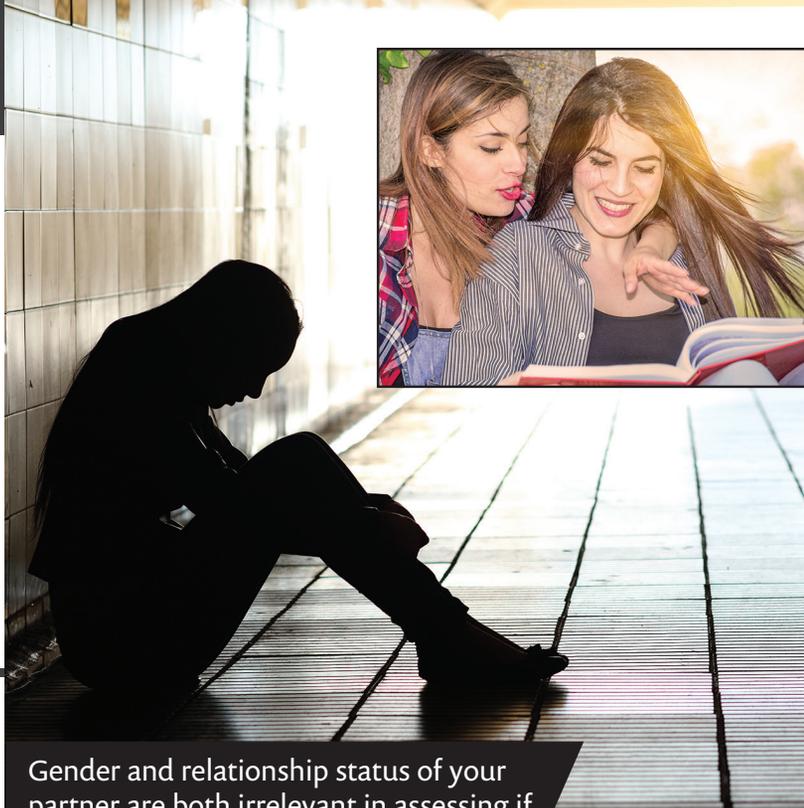


**IF YOU ARE EXPERIENCING AN EMERGENCY,  
CALL 9-1-1 IMMEDIATELY**



Gender and relationship status of your partner are both irrelevant in assessing if consent has been obtained.

## **STUDENT RIGHTS & RESPONSIBILITIES**

### ***Sex Discrimination & Harassment***

**Sexual misconduct can happen anywhere, at any time. People who are victimized and those who commit sexual misconduct come from all walks of life and backgrounds.**



### **SEXUAL HARASSMENT & MISCONDUCT: HOW CI SEES IT**

Student well-being is the University's top campus priority. You're entitled to feel safe at CSU Channel Islands and to not be subjected to any unwelcome behavior that is sexual in nature.

Federal and state laws prohibit sex discrimination and sexual harassment in CI's programs and activities. This includes sexual misconduct, the most severe form of sexual harassment. CI addresses all reports of any adverse action taken against someone on the basis of their gender or sexual orientation or sexual harassment in accordance with campus policies. CI does this because it's your right to get an education here free from discrimination and harassment, including sexual misconduct.

Sexual harassment or misconduct may be also a criminal matter. Law enforcement investigates and prosecutes reports of sexual or intimate partner violence through the criminal justice system.

On campus, there are two different processes for reviewing reports, but we're talking about the same prohibited conduct. Sexual harassment and misconduct are not tolerated by the campus police or the University administration. They have no place on this campus or anywhere else.

Know what behavior is prohibited at CI and know your rights to have offenses committed against you addressed.

To learn more, go to <https://www.calstate.edu/eo/EO-1095-rev-6-23-15.html>.



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**SEXUAL MISCONDUCT RESPONSE AT CSU CHANNEL ISLANDS**

CI cares about you. Sexual misconduct is not tolerated in our community and there are many resources available to support you.

If you've experienced sexual misconduct, you have the right to decide who to tell. If you know someone affected, you can help by sharing this information with them.

Find help here.



No one's dress means "Yes"

**RESOURCES**

**University Assistance**

- University Police Department..... 9-1-1 or 805-437-8444
- Counseling & Psychological Services (CAPS)..... 805-437-2088
- CI Crisis Advocate .....805-796-4844  
a.olson@thecoalition.org
- Student Health Services (SHS)..... 805-437-8828
- Title IX Coordinator ..... 805-437-3608  
titleix@csuci.edu

**Local Community Assistance**

- Ventura County Sheriff ..... 805-494-8200
- The Coalition 24-hour crisis line .....805-620-4676
- Interface..... 2-1-1
- St. John's Pleasant Valley Hospital (Camarillo location) .....805-389-5800



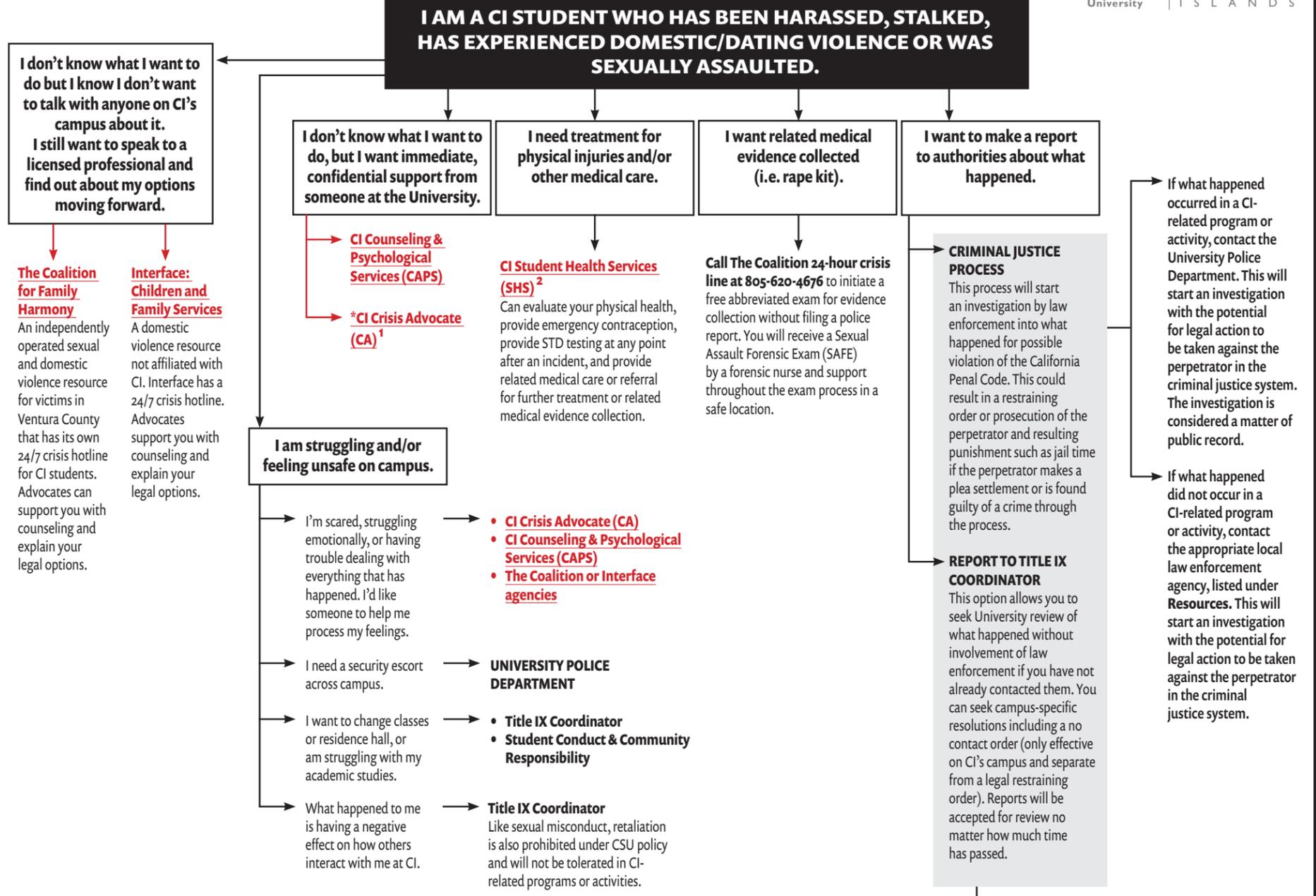
No one can say "Yes" for anyone else but themselves.

**SEX WITHOUT CONSENT ISN'T SEX AT ALL**

If you're going to have sex with someone, be prepared to talk about it. If you fail to obtain legally valid consent of your partner(s) to engage in sex with them, you're committing rape. It's really that simple. Consent between partners at CI:

- ◆ **Is Informed** All parties know what sexual activity is specifically being agreed to and when
- ◆ **Is Affirmative and Enthusiastic** All parties demonstrated a clear willingness to engage in the sexual activity. If it wouldn't be obvious to the average person walking down the street that your current partner(s) wanted to have sex with you then don't have sex. Why would you want to anyway?
- ◆ **Is Conscious** If someone's asleep or passed out, they can't demonstrate a willingness to have sex with you.
- ◆ **Is only given by** someone who isn't incapacitated by alcohol or drugs, who is at least 18 years old and who does not have a mental or physical condition that impairs their ability to give informed consent
- ◆ **Is never implied or assumed** under any circumstance
- ◆ **Is not determined by** anything other than the specific agreement between the participating parties in that moment.

**KEY:**  
 • Confidential Resources  
 • REPORTING PROCESSES



*1-The CI Crisis Advocate (CA) can meet with you confidentially on or off campus and explain your legal options, provide personal counseling and emotional support, and go with you and/or help you access ANY other available resource on this page. The CA is a licensed professional who is familiar with CI's specific sexual assault resources and review processes, but is not a University employee.*

*2-CI Student Health Services (SHS) can also facilitate referral to a local forensic nurse for you to obtain a Sexual Assault Forensic Exam (SAFE). Where physical signs of injury are observed by a treating physician that are suspected to be the result of abuse/assault, the SHS must report the injury to law enforcement under California law.*

*3-If you have a complaint regarding how CI has responded to what happened, you may also contact the U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights at 1-800-421-3481 or ocr@ed.gov*



**KNOW YOUR PART;  
DO YOUR PART**  
to eliminate sexual misconduct at CI

Know the power of your own actions to combat sexual misconduct.

- ◆ **There's power** in simply asking someone if they're okay when they look uncomfortable in a social interaction.
- ◆ **There's power** in interrupting a conversation in which someone is treating another person without respect or taking advantage of the fact the person's judgment is impaired.
- ◆ **There's power** in telling another survivor your own story of how you found strength after experiencing sexual or intimate partner violence.
- ◆ **There's power** in not accepting stereotypes or derogatory remarks about someone's gender, sexual orientation and gender identity.

**It all matters. There are many ways to help, not just one right way. This is everyone's issue.**

**DON'T BLAME SEXUAL MISCONDUCT ON THE VICTIM, OR THE ALCOHOL**

Let's be clear: sexual misconduct is never anyone's fault but the perpetrator's.

**Remember, sexual violence is a crime.** No one invites or asks to be the victim of theft, aggravated assault, or murder, and no one asks for or invites the crime of rape.

Getting drunk or using other drugs is not a defense for your failure to obtain affirmative consent from your partner.

Think about it. If you drink or use drugs, your judgment becomes increasingly impaired to make rational decisions and react to situations in a thoughtful, responsible manner. You wouldn't drive under the influence. Likewise, if you're intoxicated, you shouldn't attempt to navigate obtaining valid consent from your partner for sex since your ability to assess their capacity to legally agree to sex is compromised.

**Be safe. Be smart.**



## **SEXUAL MISCONDUCT**

IT'S A BIGGER PROBLEM THAN YOU MAY KNOW

### **Understand the Statistics**

- ◆ **20 people per minute are victimized by an intimate partner in the United States.**

Source: *National Intimate Partner and Sexual Violence Survey, United States, 2011*

- ◆ In a study of undergraduate women, 19% (approximately 1 in 5) experienced attempted or completed sexual assault since entering college.

Source: <http://www.cdc.gov/ViolencePrevention/pdf/SV-DataSheet-a.pdf>

- ◆ **Nearly 1 in 2 women and 1 in 5 men experienced sexual violence victimization other than rape at some point in their lives.**

Source: *National Intimate Partner and Sexual Violence Survey, United States, 2011*

- ◆ At least 50% of all reported sexual assaults involved alcohol consumption by the victim, perpetrator or both.

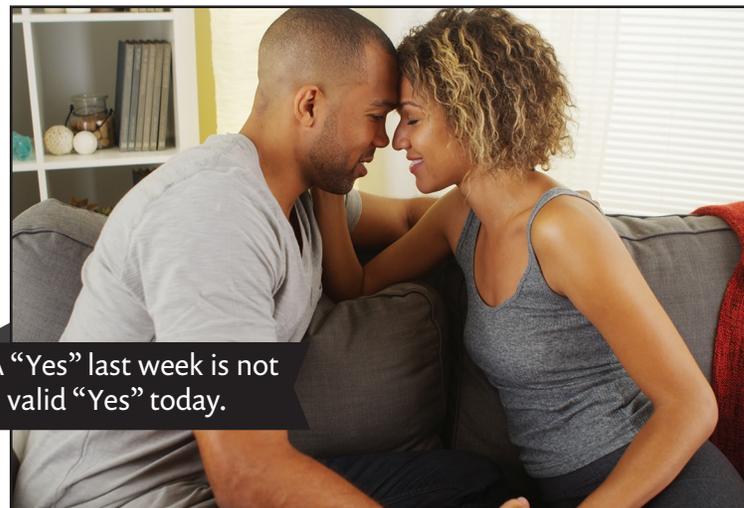
Source: *The Campus Sexual Assault Study (2007)*, at <https://www.ncjrs.gov/pdffiles1/nij/grants/221153.pdf>

- ◆ For both college students and nonstudents, the offender was known to the victim in about 80% of rape and sexual assault victimizations.

Source: *National Crime Victimization Survey (NCVS) 1995-2013*

- ◆ More than half of female victims and nearly half of male victims of stalking reported they were first stalked before the age of 25.

Source: *National Intimate Partner and Sexual Violence Survey, United States, 2011*



A "Yes" last week is not a valid "Yes" today.