# **LIBERTY UNIVERSITY** OFFICE of EQUITY & COMPLIANCE

## SUPPORTIVE MEASURES RESOURCE

One of the main purposes of the Office of Equity & Compliance (OEC) is to provide support and resources to students, staff, and faculty. Supportive measures are designed to restore and preserve access to your education and are available to both complainants and respondents. Please see the list below and the resources on the back to learn more about the supportive measures available to you.

#### SUPPORTIVE MEASURES May include:

- Extensions of deadlines or other course-related adjustments
- Modifications of work or class schedules
- Changes in work or housing locations
- Leave of absence
- Safety planning options, which may include the LU Safe Ride Program (LUPD)
- No contact directives
- Confidential advocate services
- Counseling and health services
- Increased security and monitoring of certain areas of campus

\*This is not an exhaustive list of supportive measures; other measures may be arranged by the university (to the extent reasonably available).

## QUICK FACTS

- Supportive measures can be provided even if you do not file a complaint or need an investigation.
- Support is available to all parties involved (complainant and respondent).
- Measures can be temporary or longer lasting, dependent on the circumstance.
- Support is available regardless of where an incident occurred (on or off campus).
- Liberty University will not pursue disciplinary action against individuals requesting supportive measures.
- Supportive measures are kept confidential to the extent practicable.

The OEC will maintain the privacy of supportive measures to the extent possible and will promptly address any violation of a supportive measure. Additionally, supportive measures are not typically permanent; however, they may remain in place permanently or for extended periods of time if appropriate. Supportive measures are not designed to be punitive or overly burdensome to the parties.

Please contact the OEC for more information on supportive measures and resources available to you.

## **RESOURCES AVAILABLE FOR LIBERTY STUDENTS**

Collaborate, Assess, Resource, Empower (CARE) Team Liberty.edu/CARE | CARE@liberty.edu | (434) 592-5638

International Student Center Liberty.edu/CASAS/International-Student-Center | ISC@liberty.edu | (434) 592-4118

Liberty University Police Department (LUPD) Liberty.edu/LUPD | Emergency: (434) 592-3911 Nonemergency: (434) 592-7641

Lynchburg Police Department LynchburgVaPolice.gov | Emergency: 911 Nonemergency: (434) 847-1602

The Student Advocate Office (SAO)/Professional Advising Office Liberty.edu/Online/Student-Advocate-Office | LUOStudentAdvocate@liberty.edu

LU Shepherd Liberty.edu/OSD/LU-Shepherd | LUShepherd@liberty.edu | (434) 592-5411

Office of Disability Accommodation Support (ODAS) Liberty.edu/ODAS | ODAS@liberty.edu | (434) 592-4016

## CONFIDENTIAL RESOURCES

\*Liberty University Counseling and Psychological Services LUStudentCounseling.com | CAPS@liberty.edu | (434) 582-2651

\*Liberty University Confidential Advocate (upon request from LU Shepherd) Liberty.edu/Title-IX/Confidentiality/Confidential-Advocates | (434) 592-4999

\*Liberty University Health Center (CVFP) LUStudentHealth.com | StudentHealthRecords@liberty.edu | (434) 338-7774

\*Centra Health Emergency Room CentraHealth.com/Services/Emergency-Care | (434) 200-3000

\*Rape, Abuse & Incest National Network (RAINN) RAINN.org/Resources | (800) 656-HOPE

\*Sexual Assault Response Program (SARP) YWCACVA.org | Info@YWCACVA.org | (434) 847-7751, option 3 | 24-Hour Hotline: (888) 947-7273

\*National Domestic Violence Hotline TheHotline.org | Hotline.Requests@N.org | (800) 799-SAFE | TTY: (800) 787-3224

\*Virginia Legal Aid Society VLAS.org | (434) 846-1326

\*Confidential resources are not required to report information shared with them. Some exceptions (e.g., compliance with a lawfully-issued and binding subpoena or court order) may apply. You should discuss up front the limits of confidentiality with each confidential resource.