

## 2024 Sexual Misconduct Campus Climate Survey

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## **Introduction and Background**

The University of Illinois – Springfield (UIS) is dedicated to fostering a caring community on our campus. Preventing and remedying sexual misconduct at UIS is essential to a safe environment in which our students can learn and thrive. The University administered the *Sexual Misconduct Campus Climate Survey* in Spring 2024 to better understand students' experiences of sexual misconduct (which includes sexual or genderbased harassment, stalking, dating/domestic violence, and sexual violence), students' knowledge of the resources available to them, and perception of the response to incidents of sexual misconduct.

### **Survey Background**

On August 6, 2021, a bill written by students and supported by survivor advocates in Illinois was signed into law by amending the Preventing Sexual Violence in Higher Education Act. This new law, Public Act 102-0325 (110 ILCS 155/35), mandated all institutions of higher education conduct an annual campus sexual misconduct climate survey to assess students' experiences, outcomes regarding their experiences, and perceptions of sexual violence and collegiate culture. The law called for the creation of a Task Force on Sexual Misconduct on Campus Climate Surveys to develop the base survey instrument and implementation guidance. The Task Force was charged with creating a "base survey," which focuses on 13 areas outlined in the statute:

- The number, type, and location of reported and unreported incidents of sexual misconduct.
- Student awareness of institutions' sexual misconduct policies and procedures.
- Whether the student was referred to victim support services and whether students were provided information on his/her/their rights.
- Student demographic information such as race/ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, disability status, and immigration status to help identify at-risk groups.
- The perceptions of campus safety and confidence in the higher education institution's ability to protect students against sexual misconduct.
- Contextual factors of a sexual misconduct incident and any student academic outcomes, such as withdrawing from classes or being placed on academic probation.

#### **Administration**

#### **Dates and Population**

UIS administered the survey to students April 2, 2024 to May 14, 2024. The survey was sent to all students enrolled in at least one credit hour in the following academic terms: Spring 2024, Fall 2023, Summer 2023. A total of 5,726 students or former students were invited. Participants were required to have been at least 18 years of age and physically located in the United States while completing the survey (as determined by legal counsel due to international privacy laws).

#### **Advertisement and Incentives**

Students were informed of the survey through campus emails from Chancellor Janet L. Gooch. A campus website was created to respond to questions. Presentations about the survey were given to staff who work directly with students and student groups including Student Government. Digital signage was distributed throughout campus units. Additional announcements were distributed via various campus newsletters, student organizations, and at events.



At the end of the survey, respondents had the option to register for an incentive drawing, including 4 - \$50 Amazon electronic gift cards and 30 - \$10 Amazon electronic gift cards. Contact information for incentives was completed on a form separate from the survey responses to maintain the anonymity of responses.

#### **Survey Administration**

Student privacy and security were the primary concerns when administering the survey instrument. Respondents completed the survey via Qualtrics. No personally identifiable information was retained in the survey responses. Respondents were presented with the required informed consent that included notifying respondents the survey was voluntary, and they could skip any question.

The survey was offered in English only. We utilized a portion of the state's optional consent module that included Question 19a, c, d, f and Question 20 b, c, d, e. The base survey contained seven questions that were modifiable by the institutions.

- Ouestion 4 No modification made.
- Question 5 Added 2024 as an option.
- Question 7 No modification made.
- Question 9 We modified "on campus residence hall/dormitory" to "On campus residence hall, "Other on campus housing (apartment, house) to "On campus apartment or townhouse", "Fraternity or sorority house" to omitted, Off-campus institution -sponsored Apartment /house, to "Off-campus apartment/house, "Other off-campus" to "Other".
- Questions 18 We added examples to align with campus services. \_1 (ex. UIS Counseling Center, UIS Health Services, Women's Center, UIS police, Dean of Students). \_2: (ex. Prairie Center Against Sexual Violence, Sojourn Shelter & Services). \_3: (e.g. National Domestic Violence Hotline) \_4: UIS Title IX Office.
- Question 87 We modified \_5 "attended a rally or other campus event about sexual misconduct or sexual assault" to "Attended an event, program, or rally about sexual misconduct or sexual assault", \_6 "Seen posters about sexual misconduct" (e.g., raising awareness, preventing rape, defining sexual misconduct) to "Seen posters or social media posts about sexual misconduct (e.g., raising awareness, preventing rape, defining sexual misconduct)". \_16 "Completed annual online sexual assault prevention course, Voices for Change".
- Question 88 We changed "Student code of conduct or honor code" to \_7 "Student code of conduct" and added "\_8 "Information on the sexual misconduct policy".

#### Non-Response

| Survey Completion Status | # of Surveys |
|--------------------------|--------------|
| Surveys Started          | 767          |
| Completed at Q33         | 562          |
| Fully Completed          | 508          |

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## **Report Overview**

The report contains the total number of respondents to each base survey question and the number of respondents that choose each answer option. Per IBHE guidance, only students who complete at least through Question 33 of the base survey, are considered completed and can be used in the reporting and analysis. Additionally, if a survey base question or answer has fewer than 20 responses in a cell we are to report "NR" for Not Reported to protect student privacy and anonymity.



## Results

Results include 562 total responses that answered a question at Q33 or later.

## **Respondent Demographics**

| hat is your age? (n=552)                                   |     |
|--|-----|
| Age  | n   |
| 18 - 20  | 92  |
| 21 - 24  | 176 |
| 25 and older   | 284 |
| hat is your current gender identity? Select one (n = 561)  |     |
| Identity   | n   |
| Woman  | 325 |
| Genderqueer/gender non-conforming/non-binary               | NR  |
| Man  | 216 |
| Prefer to self-describe                                    | NR  |
| Prefer not to respond                                      | NR  |
| Response   | n   |
| Yes  | NR  |
| No   | 543 |
| Prefer not to respond                                      | NR  |
| escribe your race/ethnicity? (n=561) select all that apply |     |
| Race/Ethnicity   | n   |
| Black/African American                                     | 105 |
| Native American or Alaskan Native                          | NR  |
| White/Caucasian  | 267 |
| Hispanic/Latino/a  | 59  |
| Asian or Asian American                                    | 131 |
| Hawaiian or Pacific Islander                               | NR  |
| Middle Eastern/North African                               | NR  |
| A race/ethnicity not listed here                           | NR  |
| Prefer not to respond                                      | 20  |



| 'ear   | n                         |
|--|---------------------------|
| Prior to 2017  | 23                        |
| 2017   | NR                        |
| 2018   | NR                        |
| 2019   | NR                        |
| 2020   | 34                        |
| 2021   | 58                        |
| 2022   | 109                       |
| 2023   | 236                       |
| 2024   | 75                        |
| nat is your sexual orientation? select all that apply (n=555)  |                           |
| Sexual Orientation   | n                         |
| Gay  | NR                        |
| Heterosexual/Straight  | 413                       |
| Lesbian  | NR                        |
| Pansexual  | NR                        |
| Bisexual   | 44                        |
| Queer  | NR                        |
| Asexual  | NR                        |
| Prefer to self-describe  | NR                        |
| Prefer not to respond  | 61                        |
| nce you've been a student at University of Illinois Springfield, have yo<br>following? select all that apply (n=384) |                           |
| Activity   | n                         |
| Fraternity or sorority (pledge or member)  | NR                        |
| Intercollegiate athletic team  | 34                        |
| Intramural or club athletic team   | 29                        |
|  | 175                       |
| Other registered student organization or group   |                           |
| Other registered student organization or group Prefer not to respond   | 170                       |
|  |                           |
| Prefer not to respond  |                           |
| Prefer not to respond  you attend an exclusively online program? Do not include hybrid co                            | urses. Select one (n=560) |
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| ch of the following best describes your living situation?  | (11 302)  |
|--|---|
| Housing Option   | п   |
| On campus residence hall   | 52  |
| On campus apartment or townhouse   | 62  |
| Off-campus apartment/house   | 397   |
| Homeless/Nonstable Housing   | NR  |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR  |
| Other  | 34  |
| Response   | n   |
| itions, chronic health conditions, or intellectual or develop  | mental disability. <i>Select one</i> (n = 561)  |
| Response<br>Yes  | n<br>72   |
|  |   |
| NO   | 463   |
| No Prefer not to respond  Have you registered with University of Illinois Springfield of   |   |
| Prefer not to respond  Have you registered with University of Illinois Springfield of tone (n=71). This question was only asked to those who respond   | office of student accessibility and disabil   |
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| Have you registered with University of Illinois Springfield of tone (n=71). This question was only asked to those who response  Yes  No  Prefer not to respond   | office of student accessibility and disability and |
| Have you registered with University of Illinois Springfield of tone (n=71). This question was only asked to those who response  Yes  No  Prefer not to respond  What your U.S. citizenship status? Select one (n=561)  | office of student accessibility and disability and |
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| Have you registered with University of Illinois Springfield of tone (n=71). This question was only asked to those who response  Response  Yes  No  Prefer not to respond  What your U.S. citizenship status? Select one (n=561)  Citizenship Status  U.S. citizen  Permanent resident  | office of student accessibility and disability and |
| Have you registered with University of Illinois Springfield of tone (n=71). This question was only asked to those who response  Response  Yes  No  Prefer not to respond  What your U.S. citizenship status? Select one (n=561)  Citizenship Status  U.S. citizen  Permanent resident  Visa holder (F-1, J-1, H1-B, A, L, G, E and TN)  Other legally documented status  Undocumented status | office of student accessibility and disability and |
| Have you registered with University of Illinois Springfield of tone (n=71). This question was only asked to those who response  Response  Yes  No  Prefer not to respond  What your U.S. citizenship status? Select one (n=561)  Citizenship Status  U.S. citizen  Permanent resident  Visa holder (F-1, J-1, H1-B, A, L, G, E and TN)  Other legally documented status                      | ponded Yes to Q10.  n 31 39 NR  n 372 NR 163 NR   |



## **Perceptions of Student Wellness and Campus Safety**

## Q13: Have you done the following during the last 12 months at University of Illinois Springfield? (n = 561) Select all that apply

| Activity   | n   |
|--|-----|
| Missed class   | 187 |
| Made excuses to get out of class                         | 75  |
| Been late for class                                      | 128 |
| Done poor work   | 103 |
| Attended class intoxicated or "high"                     | NR  |
| Slept in class   | NR  |
| Thought about dropping a class                           | 126 |
| Thought about quitting school                            | 88  |
| Thought my mental health and/or well-being was suffering | 200 |
| None of the above  | 215 |
| Prefer not to respond                                    | 22  |

## Q14: I feel safe on campus at University of Illinois Springfield. Select one (n = 557)

| Level of Agreement    | n   |
|-----------------------|-----|
| Strongly Disagree     | NR  |
| Disagree              | NR  |
| Neutral               | 122 |
| Agree                 | 172 |
| Strongly Agree        | 198 |
| Prefer not to respond | 40  |



#### Q15: Using the scale provided, please indicate the degree to which you agree or disagree with the following statement. Select one

| Statement  | Strongly<br>Disagree | Disagree | Neutral | Agree | Strongly<br>Agree | PNTR |
|--|----------------------|----------|---------|-------|-------------------|------|
| On or around this campus, I feel safe from sexual harassment. (n = 553)      | NR                   | 28       | 106     | 143   | 224               | 39   |
| On or around campus, I feel safe from dating or domestic violence. (n = 554) | NR                   | NR       | 113     | 142   | 229               | 44   |
| On or around campus, I feel safe from sexual assault or abuse. (n = 553)     | NR                   | 30       | 106     | 142   | 224               | 39   |
| On or around campus, I feel safe from stalking. (n = 552)                    | 21                   | 34       | 122     | 134   | 201               | 40   |

#### Q16: Using the scale provided, please indicate the degree to which you agree or disagree with the following statements about sexual misconduct. Select one

| Statement   | Strongly<br>Disagree | Disagree | Neutral | Agree | Strongly<br>Agree | PNTR |
|---|----------------------|----------|---------|-------|-------------------|------|
| I don't think sexual misconduct is a problem at University of Illinois<br>Springfield. (n=554)  | 52                   | 74       | 183     | 113   | 89                | 43   |
| I don't think there is much I can do about sexual misconduct on this campus. (n=555)  | 73                   | 146      | 163     | 89    | 49                | 35   |
| There isn't much need for me to think about sexual misconduct while at University of Illinois Springfield. (n=555)  | 57                   | 140      | 136     | 95    | 95                | 32   |
| I have recently taken part in activities or volunteered my time on projects focused on ending sexual misconduct on campus. (n=553)  | 101                  | 159      | 152     | 45    | 27                | 69   |
| I have heard comments or seen online posts from University of Illinois<br>Springfield students that make jokes about dating violence, sexual<br>assault, or gender-based violence, sexual harassment. (n=553) | 172                  | 157      | 91      | 50    | 42                | 41   |



## **Understanding of Resources**

## Q17: Using the scale provided, please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements. Select one

| Statement   | Strongly<br>Disagree | Disagree | Neutral | Agree | Strongly<br>Agree | PNTR |
|---|----------------------|----------|---------|-------|-------------------|------|
| If a friend or I experienced sexual misconduct, I know where to go to get help on campus. (n=553)                   | NR                   | 77       | 74      | 188   | 167               | 30   |
| I would know where to go to make a report of sexual misconduct. (n=555)   | NR                   | 81       | 60      | 195   | 176               | 24   |
| I know what the process is after a student reports sexual misconduct at University of Illinois Springfield. (n=555) | 44                   | 132      | 96      | 143   | 109               | 31   |
| I understand that I can request accommodations if I experience sexual misconduct. (n=554)                           | 22                   | 58       | 88      | 203   | 154               | 29   |

## Q18: I am aware of the function of the following campus and community resources related to sexual misconduct. Select one

|  | Strongly |          |         |       | Strongly |      |
|--|----------|----------|---------|-------|----------|------|
| Resource   | Disagree | Disagree | Neutral | Agree | Agree    | PNTR |
| Illinois safety, health, and wellness services (ex. UIS Counseling   | NR       | 35       | 86      | 217   | 174      | 31   |
| Center, UIS Health Services, Women's Center, UIS Police, Dean of     |          |          |         |       |          |      |
| Students) (n=554)  |          |          |         |       |          |      |
| Community based services outside the institution (ex. Prairie Center | 22       | 82       | 105     | 174   | 135      | 35   |
| Against Sexual Violences, Sojourn Shelter & Services) (n=553)        |          |          |         |       |          |      |
| Hotlines (Ex. National Domestic Violence Hotline) (n=553)            | NR       | 37       | 87      | 211   | 174      | 31   |
| UIS Title IX Office (n=554)  | NR       | 53       | 103     | 197   | 154      | 28   |



#### Consent

Q19: Using the scale provided, please indicate the degree to which you agree or disagree with the following statements as it applies to all sexual experiences, including sexual intercourse, fondling, touching, kissing, etc. *Select one* 

| Statement   | Strongly<br>Disagree | Disagree | Neutral | Agree | Strongly<br>Agree | PNTR |
|---|----------------------|----------|---------|-------|-------------------|------|
| Typically, I communicate sexual consent to my partner using nonverbal signals and body language. (n=555)                          | 65                   | 52       | 105     | 137   | 96                | 100  |
| Typically, I ask for consent by making a sexual advance and waiting for a reaction, so I know whether or not to continue. (n=555) | 75                   | 63       | 80      | 129   | 106               | 102  |
| I don't have to ask or give my partner sexual consent because my partner knows me well enough. (n=556)                            | 145                  | 110      | 111     | 57    | 37                | 96   |
| I always verbally ask for consent before I initiate a sexual encounter. (n=556)   | NR                   | 26       | 108     | 127   | 178               | 103  |

Q20: Using the scale provided, please indicate the degree to which you agree or disagree with the following statements. Select one

|   | Strongly |          |         |       | Strongly |      |
|---|----------|----------|---------|-------|----------|------|
| Statement   | Disagree | Disagree | Neutral | Agree | Agree    | PNTR |
| If a person initiates sex, but during foreplay says they no longer want to, the person has not given consent to continue. (n=557) | NR       | NR       | 39      | 99    | 328      | 63   |
| If a person doesn't physically resist sex, they have given consent. (n=557)   | 276      | 118      | 65      | 31    | NR       | 58   |
| Consent for sex one time is consent for future sex. (n=558)   | 360      | 83       | 37      | NR    | NR       | 53   |
| If you and your sexual partner are both drunk, you don't have to worry about consent. (n=558)                                     | 342      | 94       | 49      | NR    | NR       | 54   |



#### **Sexual and Gender Harassment**

Q21: While you have been at the University of Illinois Springfield in the last 12 months, how often have you been in a situation in which someone...? Select one

|   |      | 1    | 2-3   | 4 or More | Prefer not to |
|---|------|------|-------|-----------|---------------|
| Statement   | None | time | times | times     | respond       |
| Treated you differently because of your gender of sex (e.g., mistreated, slighted, or ignored you). (n=553)                                 | 384  | 30   | 49    | 29        | 61            |
| Displayed, used, or distributed sexist or suggestive materials (e.g., pictures, stories, or pornography which you found offensive). (n=551) | 443  | 22   | 21    | NR        | 53            |
| Made offensive sexist remarks. (n=549)  | 390  | 28   | 42    | 35        | 54            |
| Put you down or was condescending to you because of your gender or sex. (n=549)   | 408  | 29   | 30    | 27        | 55            |
| Repeatedly told sexual stories or jokes that were offensive to you. (n=552)   | 436  | NR   | 26    | NR        | 56            |
| Made unwelcome attempts to draw you into a discussion of sexual matters. (e.g., attempted to discuss or comment on your sex life). (n=553)  | 441  | 24   | NR    | NR        | 53            |
| Made offensive remarks about your appearance, body or sexual activities. (n=551)  | 423  | 31   | 20    | 25        | 52            |
| Made gestures or used body language of a sexual nature which embarrassed or offended you. (n=551)   | 458  | NR   | NR    | NR        | 51            |
| Made unwanted attempts to establish a romantic sexual relationship with you despite your efforts to discourage it. (n=551)                  | 457  | NR   | 22    | NR        | 53            |
| Continued to ask you for dates, drinks, dinner, etc., even though you said "No." (n=552)  | 464  | 21   | NR    | NR        | 50            |
| Touched you in a way that made you feel uncomfortable. (n=550)  | 465  | NR   | NR    | NR        | 53            |
| Made unwanted attempts to stroke, fondle, or kiss you. (n=548)  | 473  | NR   | NR    | NR        | 52            |
| Made you feel like you were being bribed with a reward to engage in sexual behavior. (n=552)  | 484  | NR   | NR    | NR        | 52            |
| Made you feel threatened with some sort of retaliation for not submitting to sexual advances. (n=552)                                       | 484  | NR   | NR    | NR        | 51            |
| Treated you badly for refusing to have sex. (n=552)   | 476  | NR   | NR    | NR        | 50            |
| Implied better treatment if you submitted to sexual advances. (n=553)   | 483  | NR   | NR    | NR        | 50            |



| Sent or posted unwelcome sexual comments, jokes or pictures to you or about        | 472 | NR | NR | NR | 52 |
|--|-----|----|----|----|----|
| you by text, email, social media or other electronic means. (n=551)                |     |    |    |    |    |
| Spread unwelcome sexual rumors about you to others by text, email, social          | 476 | NR | NR | NR | 49 |
| media, or other electronic means. (n=549)  |     |    |    |    |    |
| Called you gay or lesbian or other terms related to gender identity in a negative  | 470 | NR | NR | NR | 55 |
| way to others verbally or by text, email, social media, or other electronic means. |     |    |    |    |    |
| (n=552)  |     |    |    |    |    |



| : Where did this happen? <i>Select one</i> (n=152)   |    |
|--|----|
| Location Option  | n  |
| On campus, in an academic building (classroom, library, etc.)  | 31 |
| On campus, in a nonacademic building or some other location (Examples include athletic arenas, theatre, and arts center) | 28 |
| On campus, in a dormitory or other campus housing (not a fraternity or sorority house)                                   | 31 |
| In a fraternity or sorority house.   | NR |
| Study abroad, study away, or other off-campus study program  | NR |
| Off campus, at an apartment, restaurant, bar, or another location  | NR |
| Electronically   | NR |
| Prefer not to respond  | 27 |
| Other  | NR |

Q23: You indicated that you experienced at least one situation in which someone caused you harm. Now think about which ONE SITUATION had the greatest effect on you. Are you willing to answer some additional questions about this situation, or would you like to skip to the next section of the survey? (n = 151) Select one

| Response  | n   |
|---|-----|
| Yes, I am willing to answer additional questions about this situation.    | 51  |
| No, I am NOT willing to answer additional questions about this situation. | 100 |

#### Q24: The Situation involved: (n = 49) Select all that apply

| Action   | n  |
|--|----|
| Sexist or sexually offensive language, gestures, or pictures | 31 |
| Unwanted sexual attention                                    | NR |
| Unwanted touching  | NR |
| Subtle or explicit bribes or threats                         | NR |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR |
| Other  | NR |



#### Q25: How was the individual(s) who did the unwanted behavior associated with the University of Illinois Springfield? (n = 50) Select all that apply

| Association with UIUC  | n  |
|--|----|
| Student  | 40 |
| Student teaching assistant   | NR |
| Faculty or instructor  | NR |
| Research staff   | NR |
| Other staff or administrator   | NR |
| Coach or trainer   | NR |
| Alumni   | NR |
| Other person associated with University of Illinois Springfield (e.g., internship, study abroad) | NR |
| The person was not associated with the University of Illinois Springfield.                       | NR |
| Unsure about association with University of Illinois Springfield                                 | NR |

## Q26: Please describe the gender(s) of the individual(s) who committed the unwanted behavior. (n=50) Select all that apply

| Identity   | n  |
|--|----|
| Woman  | NR |
| Genderqueer / gender non-conforming / non-binary | NR |
| Man  | 43 |
| Prefer not to respond                            | NR |
| Unknown  | NR |
| Prefer to self-describe:                         | NR |

## Q27: Had the other person been consuming alcohol or drugs just prior to the incident? (n=50) Select one

| Consumption   | n  |
|---|----|
| They had been-consuming alcohol                     | NR |
| They had been consuming drugs                       | NR |
| They had been consuming both alcohol and drugs      | NR |
| They had not been consuming either alcohol or drugs | 22 |
| Prefer not to respond                               | NR |
| I don't know  | 22 |



#### Q28: Keep in mind that your consumption of alcohol or drugs in no way excuses a person who acted against your will; had you been consuming alcohol or drugs just prior to the incident? (n=50) Select all that apply

| Consumption  | n  |
|--|----|
| I had been-consuming alcohol   | NR |
| I had been consuming drugs   | NR |
| I am certain I was given drugs or alcohol without my knowledge or consent                    | NR |
| I believe I was given drugs or alcohol without my knowledge or consent, but I am not certain | NR |
| I had not been consuming alcohol or drugs  | 45 |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR |

#### Q29: Did you tell anyone about the incident(s) before this questionnaire? (n=50) Select one

| Response              | n  |
|-----------------------|----|
| Yes                   | 28 |
| No                    | 22 |
| Prefer not to respond | NR |

#### Q30: Which of the following persons (if any) did you tell? (n=28) Select all that apply

| Person  | n  |
|---|----|
| School personnel (Administration, Resident Assistant, etc.)           | NR |
| School faculty (Professors, Coaches, etc.)                            | NR |
| Friends, family (Trusted Social Circle)                               | 27 |
| Community based Organizations   | NR |
| Health and Wellness Providers (Physician, Counselor, Therapist, etc.) | NR |
| Hotline (Local or National)   | NR |
| Local Law Enforcement (City, County, or State Police)                 | NR |
| Campus Security/ safety   | NR |
| Other   | NR |
| Prefer not to respond   | NR |



#### Q31: When you disclosed this experience, did you receive information on or were you referred to any of the following resources/support services? (n=27) Select all that apply

| Resource/Support Service   | n  |
|--|----|
| On-Campus counseling   | NR |
| Non-institution counseling support   | NR |
| Local Law Enforcement (City, County, or State Police)                                    | NR |
| Campus Security/ safety  | NR |
| On-campus survivor support services and/or advocacy                                      | NR |
| Off-campus survivor support services and/or advocacy services (e.g., rape crisis center) | NR |
| Medical care, whether on or off-campus   | NR |
| Campus legal services  | NR |
| Campus Title IX office   | NR |
| Other services   | NR |
| No information or referral provided  | NR |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR |

## Q32: Following when you disclosed this experience, did you choose to use any of these services? (n=28) Select all that apply

| Resource/Support Service  | n  |
|---|----|
| On-Campus counseling  | NR |
| Non-institution counseling support  | NR |
| Local Law Enforcement (City, County, or State Police)                     | NR |
| Campus Security/ safety   | NR |
| On-campus survivor support services and/or advocacy                       | NR |
| Off-campus survivor support services and/or advocacy services (e.g., rape | NR |
| crisis center)  |    |
| Medical care, whether on or off-campus                                    | NR |
| Campus legal services   | NR |
| Campus Title IX office  | NR |
| Other services  | NR |
| None of the above   | NR |
| Prefer not to respond   | NR |



## Q33: Many people choose not to tell anyone about experiences of sexual misconduct. This is a very normal response. What led you to choose not to tell anyone about your experience? (n=22) Select all that apply

| Reason   | n  |
|--|----|
| I did not know where to go or who to tell.   | NR |
| I felt embarrassed, ashamed or that it would be emotionally difficult.               | NR |
| I did not think anyone would believe me.   | NR |
| I did not think it was serious enough to contact any of these programs or resources. | NR |
| I did not want the person to get in trouble.   | NR |
| I feared negative academic, social or professional consequences.                     | NR |
| I feared it would not be kept confidential.  | NR |
| I could handle it myself.  | NR |
| I feared retaliation.  | NR |
| I didn't think these resources would give me the help I needed.                      | NR |
| Incident occurred while school was not in session                                    | NR |
| Other  | NR |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR |



## **Stalking**

## Q34: How many times have one or more people done the following things to you in the last 12 months? Select one

|  |      |        | 2-3   | 4 or |      |
|--|------|--------|-------|------|------|
| Statement  | None | 1 time | times | More | PNTR |
| Watched or followed you from a distance, or observed you with a listening device, camera, or GPS (global positioning system) (n=554) | 475  | NR     | NR    | NR   | 43   |
| Approached you or showed up in places, such as your home, workplace, or school when you didn't want them to be here. (n=554)         | 474  | NR     | NR    | NR   | 43   |
| Left strange or potentially threatening items for you to find. (n=552)   | 502  | NR     | NR    | NR   | 41   |
| Sneaked into your home or car and did things to scare you by letting you know they had been there. (n=552)                           | 505  | NR     | NR    | NR   | 42   |
| Left you unwanted messages (including text, voice mail or social media messages.) (n=554)  | 474  | NR     | NR    | NR   | 44   |
| Made unwanted phone calls to you (including hang up calls). (n=555)  | 493  | NR     | NR    | NR   | 42   |
| Left you cards, letters, flowers or presents when they knew you didn't want them to. (n=551)   | 502  | NR     | NR    | NR   | 42   |
| Made rude or mean comments do you online. (n=551)  | 480  | NR     | NR    | NR   | 42   |
| Spread rumors about you online, whether they were based on truth or not. (n=552)   | 478  | NR     | NR    | NR   | 42   |



| 35: Where did this happen? (n=79) <i>Select one</i>  |    |
|--|----|
| Location Option  | n  |
| On campus, in an academic building (classroom, library, etc.)  | NR |
| On campus, in a nonacademic building or some other location (Examples include athletic arenas, theatre, and arts center) | NR |
| On campus, in a dormitory or other campus housing (not a fraternity or sorority house)                                   | NR |
| In a fraternity or sorority house.   | NR |
| Study abroad, study away, or other off-campus study program  | NR |
| Off-campus internship  | NR |
| Off campus, at an apartment, restaurant, bar, or another location  | NR |
| Electronically   | NR |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR |
| Other  | NR |

Q36: You indicated that you experienced at least one situation in which someone caused you harm. Now think about which ONE SITUATION had the greatest effect on you. Are you willing to answer some additional questions about this situation, or would you like to skip to the next section of the survey? (n=79) Select one

| Response  | n  |
|---|----|
| Yes, I am willing to answer additional questions about this situation.    | 29 |
| No, I am NOT willing to answer additional questions about this situation. | 50 |

## Q37: How was the individual(s) who did the unwanted behavior associated with the University of Illinois Springfield? (n=29) *Select all that apply*

| Association with UIUC  | n  |
|--|----|
| Student  | 20 |
| Student teaching assistant   | NR |
| Faculty or instructor  | NR |
| Research staff   | NR |
| Other staff or administrator   | NR |
| Coach or trainer   | NR |
| Alumni   | NR |
| Other person associated with University of Illinois Springfield (e.g., internship, study abroad) | NR |
| The person was not associated with the University of Illinois Springfield.                       | NR |
| Unsure about association with University of Illinois Springfield                                 | NR |



| Q38: Please describe the gender(s) of the individual(s) who committed the unwanted behavior. (n=29) |
|---|
| Select all that apply   |

| Identity   | n  |
|--|----|
| Woman  | NR |
| Genderqueer / gender non-conforming / non-binary | NR |
| Man  | 20 |
| Prefer not to respond                            | NR |
| Unknown  | NR |
| Prefer to self-describe:                         | NR |

### Q39: Had the other person been consuming alcohol or drugs just prior to the incident? (n=29) Select one

| Consumption   | n  |
|---|----|
| They had been consuming alcohol                     | NR |
| They had been consuming drugs                       | NR |
| They had been consuming both alcohol and drugs      | NR |
| They had not been consuming either alcohol or drugs | NR |
| Prefer not to respond                               | NR |
| I don't know  | NR |

## Q40: Keep in mind that your consumption of alcohol or drugs in no way excuses a person who acted against your will; had you been consuming alcohol or drugs just prior to the incident? (n=28) Select all that apply

| Consumption   | n  |
|---|----|
| I had been-consuming alcohol.   | NR |
| I had been consuming drugs.   | NR |
| I am certain I was given drugs or alcohol without my knowledge or consent.                    | NR |
| I believe I was given drugs or alcohol without my knowledge or consent, but I am not certain. | NR |
| I had not been consuming alcohol or drugs.  | 26 |
| Prefer not to respond   | NR |

#### Q41: Did you tell anyone about the incident(s) before this questionnaire? (n=29) Select one

| Response              | n  |
|-----------------------|----|
| Yes                   | 22 |
| No                    | NR |
| Prefer not to respond | NR |



### Q42: Which of the following persons (if any) did you tell? (n=21) Select all that apply

| Person  | n  |
|---|----|
| School personnel (Administration, Resident Assistant, etc.)           | NR |
| School faculty (Professors, Coaches, etc.)                            | NR |
| Friends, family (Trusted Social Circle)                               | 20 |
| Community based Organizations   | NR |
| Health and Wellness Providers (Physician, Counselor, Therapist, etc.) | NR |
| Hotline (Local or National)   | NR |
| Local Law Enforcement (City, County, or State Police)                 | NR |
| Campus Security/ safety   | NR |
| Other   | NR |
| Prefer not to respond   | NR |

# Q43: When you disclosed this experience, did you receive information on or were you referred to any of the following resources/support services? (n=22) *Select all that apply*

| Resource/Support Service   | n  |
|--|----|
| On-Campus counseling   | NR |
| Non-institution counseling support   | NR |
| Local Law Enforcement (City, County, or State Police)                                    | NR |
| Campus Security/ safety  | NR |
| On-campus survivor support services and/or advocacy                                      | NR |
| Off-campus survivor support services and/or advocacy services (e.g., rape crisis center) | NR |
| Medical care, whether on or off-campus   | NR |
| Campus legal services  | NR |
| Campus Title IX office   | NR |
| Other services   | NR |
| No information or referral provided  | NR |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR |



#### Q44: Following when you disclosed this experience, did you choose to use any of these services? (n=22) Select all that apply

| Resource/Support Service   | n  |
|--|----|
| On-Campus counseling   | NR |
| Non-institution counseling support   | NR |
| Local Law Enforcement (City, County, or State Police)                                    | NR |
| Campus Security/ safety  | NR |
| On-campus survivor support services and/or advocacy                                      | NR |
| Off-campus survivor support services and/or advocacy services (e.g., rape crisis center) | NR |
| Medical care, whether on or off-campus   | NR |
| Campus legal services  | NR |
| Campus Title IX office   | NR |
| Other services   | NR |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR |
| None of the above  | NR |

## Q45: Many people choose not to tell anyone about experiences of sexual misconduct. This is a very normal response. What led you to choose not to tell anyone about your experience? (n=7) Select all that apply

| Reason   | n  |
|--|----|
| I did not know where to go or who to tell.   | NR |
| I felt embarrassed, ashamed or that it would be emotionally difficult.               | NR |
| I did not think anyone would believe me.   | NR |
| I did not think it was serious enough to contact any of these programs or resources. | NR |
| I did not want the person to get in trouble.   | NR |
| I feared negative academic, social or professional consequences.                     | NR |
| I feared it would not be kept confidential.  | NR |
| I could handle it myself.  | NR |
| I feared retaliation.  | NR |
| I didn't think these resources would give me the help I needed.                      | NR |
| Incident occurred while school was not in session                                    | NR |
| Other  | NR |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR |



## **Dating and Domestic Violence**

Q46: While you have been at the University of Illinois Springfield in the last 12 months, has a partner controlled or tried to control you? (n=554) Select one

| Response              | n   |
|-----------------------|-----|
| Yes                   | NR  |
| No                    | 492 |
| Prefer not to respond | 44  |



## Q47: How many times have one or more people done the following things to you in the last 12 months. Select one

| Statement   | None | 1 time | 2-3 times | 4 or More times | PNTR |
|---|------|--------|-----------|-----------------|------|
| The person threatened to hurt me and I thought I might really get hurt. (n=540) | 494  | NR     | NR        | NR              | 36   |
| The person pushed, grabbed, or shook me. (n=541)                                | 493  | NR     | NR        | NR              | 37   |
| The person choked me and/or tried to stop me from breathing. (n=538)            | 493  | NR     | NR        | NR              | 36   |
| The person hit me. (n=538)  | 494  | NR     | NR        | NR              | 35   |
| The person beat me up. (n=538)  | 498  | NR     | NR        | NR              | 35   |
| The person stole or destroyed my property. (n=539)                              | 490  | NR     | NR        | NR              | 36   |
| The person scared me without laying a hand on me. (n=541)                       | 485  | NR     | NR        | NR              | 35   |
| The person controlled my finances. (n=540)                                      | 498  | NR     | NR        | NR              | 35   |
| The person blocked my exit or physically restrained me. (n=540)                 | 493  | NR     | NR        | NR              | 35   |



NR

NR

NR

NR

| Q48: Where did this happen? (n=42) Select one  |                       |
|--|-----------------------|
| Location Option  | n                     |
| On campus, in an academic building (classroom, library   | y, etc.) NR           |
| On campus, in a nonacademic building or some other lo include athletic arenas, theatre, and arts center) | ocation (Examples NR  |
| On campus, in a dormitory or other campus housing (no sorority house)                                    | ot a fraternity or NR |
| In a fraternity or sorority house.   | NR                    |
| Study abroad, study away, or other off-campus study p  | rogram NR             |
| Off-campus internship  | NR                    |

Q49: You indicated that you experienced at least one situation in which someone caused you harm. Now think about which ONE SITUATION had the greatest effect on you. Are you willing to answer some additional questions about this situation, or would you like to skip to the next section of the survey? (n=42) Select one

Off campus, at an apartment, restaurant, bar, or another location

Electronically

Other

Prefer not to respond

| Response  | n  |
|---|----|
| Yes, I am willing to answer additional questions about this situation.    | NR |
| No, I am NOT willing to answer additional questions about this situation. | 25 |

# Q50: How was the individual(s) who did the unwanted behavior associated with the University of Illinois Springfield? (n=NR) Select all that apply

| Association with UIUC  | n  |
|--|----|
| Student  | NR |
| Student teaching assistant   | NR |
| Faculty or instructor  | NR |
| Research staff   | NR |
| Other staff or administrator   | NR |
| Coach or trainer   | NR |
| Alumni   | NR |
| Other person associated with University of Illinois Springfield (e.g., internship, study abroad) | NR |
| The person was not associated with the University of Illinois Springfield .                      | NR |
| Unsure about association with University of Illinois Springfield                                 | NR |



## Q51: Please describe the gender(s) of the individual(s) who committed the unwanted behavior. (n=NR) Select all that apply

| Identity   | n  |
|--|----|
| Woman  | NR |
| Genderqueer / gender non-conforming / non-binary | NR |
| Man  | NR |
| Prefer not to respond                            | NR |
| Unknown  | NR |
| Prefer to self-describe:                         | NR |

#### Q52: Had the other person been consuming alcohol or drugs just prior to the incident? (n=NR) Select one

| Consumption   | n  |
|---|----|
| They had been consuming alcohol                     | NR |
| They had been consuming drugs                       | NR |
| They had been consuming both alcohol and drugs      | NR |
| They had not been consuming either alcohol or drugs | NR |
| Prefer not to respond                               | NR |
| I don't know  | NR |

## Q53: Keep in mind that your consumption of alcohol or drugs in no way excuses a person who acted against your will; had you been consuming alcohol or drugs just prior to the incident? (n=NR) Select all that apply

| Consumption  | n  |
|--|----|
| I had been-consuming alcohol   | NR |
| I had been consuming drugs   | NR |
| I am certain I was given drugs or alcohol without my knowledge or consent                    | NR |
| I believe I was given drugs or alcohol without my knowledge or consent, but I am not certain | NR |
| I had not been consuming alcohol or drugs  | NR |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR |

#### Q54: Did you tell anyone about the incident(s) before this questionnaire? (n=NR) Select one

| Response              | n  |
|-----------------------|----|
| Yes                   | NR |
| No                    | NR |
| Prefer not to respond | NR |



## Q55: Which of the following persons (if any) did you tell? (n=NR) Select all that apply

| Person  | n  |
|---|----|
| School personnel (Administration, Resident Assistant, etc.)           | NR |
| School faculty (Professors, Coaches, etc.)                            | NR |
| Friends, family (Trusted Social Circle)                               | NR |
| Community based Organizations   | NR |
| Health and Wellness Providers (Physician, Counselor, Therapist, etc.) | NR |
| Hotline (Local or National)   | NR |
| Local Law Enforcement (City, County, or State Police)                 | NR |
| Campus Security/ safety   | NR |
| Other   | NR |
| Prefer not to respond   | NR |

# Q56: When you disclosed this experience, did you receive information on or were you referred to any of the following resources/support services? (n=NR) *Select all that apply*

| Resource/Support Service   | n  |
|--|----|
| On-Campus counseling   | NR |
| Non-institution counseling support   | NR |
| Local Law Enforcement (City, County, or State Police)                                    | NR |
| Campus Security/ safety  | NR |
| On-campus survivor support services and/or advocacy                                      | NR |
| Off-campus survivor support services and/or advocacy services (e.g., rape crisis center) | NR |
| Medical care, whether on or off-campus   | NR |
| Campus legal services  | NR |
| Campus Title IX office   | NR |
| Other services   | NR |
| No information or referral provided  | NR |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR |



## Q57: Following when you disclosed this experience, did you choose to use any of these services? (n=NR) Select all that apply

| Resource/Support Service   | n  |
|--|----|
| On-Campus counseling   | NR |
| Non-institution counseling support   | NR |
| Local Law Enforcement (City, County, or State Police)                                    | NR |
| Campus Security/ safety  | NR |
| On-campus survivor support services and/or advocacy                                      | NR |
| Off-campus survivor support services and/or advocacy services (e.g., rape crisis center) | NR |
| Medical care, whether on or off-campus   | NR |
| Campus legal services  | NR |
| Campus Title IX office   | NR |
| Other services   | NR |
| None of the above  | NR |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR |

# Q58: Many people choose not to tell anyone about experiences of sexual misconduct. This is a very normal response. What led you to choose not to tell anyone about your experience? (n=NR) Select all that apply

| Reason  | n  |
|---|----|
| I did not know where to go or who to tell                                 | NR |
| I felt embarrassed, ashamed or that it would be emotionally difficult     | NR |
| I did not think anyone would believe me                                   | NR |
| I did not think it was serious enough to contact any of these programs or | NR |
| resources   | ND |
| I did not want the person to get in trouble                               | NR |
| I feared negative academic, social or professional consequences           | NR |
| I feared it would not be kept confidential                                | NR |
| I could handle it myself  | NR |
| I feared retaliation  | NR |
| I didn't think these resources would give me the help I needed            | NR |
| Incident occurred while school was not in session                         | NR |
| Other   | NR |
| Prefer not to respond   | NR |



## **Sexual Violence**

## Q59: How many times have one or more people done the following things to you in the last 12 months? Select one

| Statement  | None | 1 time | 2-3<br>times | 4 or More times | PNTR |
|--|------|--------|--------------|-----------------|------|
| Someone fondled, kissed, or rubbed up against the private areas of my body without my consent. (n=532)   | 480  | NR     | NR           | NR              | 32   |
| Someone removed some of my clothes without my consent (but did not attempt sexual penetration). (n=530)  | 492  | NR     | NR           | NR              | 30   |
| Someone orally or anally penetrated me or made me orally or anally penetrate them without my consent. (n=532)  | 498  | NR     | NR           | NR              | 30   |
| Someone put their penis, fingers, or other objects into my vagina and/or butt without my consent. (n=532)  | 489  | NR     | NR           | NR              | 31   |
| Someone forced me to put my penis, fingers, or other objects into their vagina and/or butt without my consent. (n=532)   | 498  | NR     | NR           | NR              | 30   |
| Someone attempted to engage in nonconsensual sexual contact with me (including oral, anal, or vaginal penetration even though they were not successful). (n=530) | 486  | NR     | NR           | NR              | 32   |



#### Q60: Where did this happen? (n=24) Select one

| Location Option  | n  |
|--|----|
| On campus, in an academic building (classroom, library, etc.)  | NR |
| On campus, in a nonacademic building or some other location (Examples include athletic arenas, theatre, and arts center) | NR |
| On campus, in a dormitory or other campus housing (not a fraternity or sorority house)                                   | NR |
| In a fraternity or sorority house.   | NR |
| Study abroad, study away, or other off-campus study program  | NR |
| Off-campus internship  | NR |
| Off campus, at an apartment, restaurant, bar, or another location  | NR |
| Electronically   | NR |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR |
| Other  | NR |

Q61: You indicated that you experienced at least one situation in which someone caused you harm. Now think about which ONE SITUATION had the greatest effect on you. Are you willing to answer some additional questions about this situation, or would you like to skip to the next section of the survey? (n=23) Select one

| Response  | n  |
|---|----|
| Yes, I am willing to answer additional questions about this situation.    | NR |
| No, I am NOT willing to answer additional questions about this situation. | NR |

Q62: You indicated that you experienced at least one situation in which someone caused you harm. Now think about which ONE SITUATION had the greatest effect on you and answer the following questions. Were the following tactics used by the other person(s) during the events you reported on the prior screen? (n=NR) Select one

| Tactic   | n  |
|--|----|
| The other person told lies, threatened to end the relationship or friendship, threatened to spread rumors about me, made me promises I knew were         | NR |
| untrue, or continually verbally pressured me after I said I didn't want to.  |    |
| The other person showed displeasure, criticized my sexuality or attractiveness, got angry but did not use physical force, after I said I didn't want to. | NR |
| The other person took advantage of me when I was unable to give consent.   | NR |
| Threatened to physically harm me or someone close to me.   | NR |
| The other person used force, for example held me down with their body weight, pinned my arms, or had a weapon.   | NR |

Q63: How was the individual(s) who did the unwanted behavior associated with the University of Illinois Springfield? (n=NR) *Select all that apply* 

Association with UIUC n



| Student  | NR |
|--|----|
| Student teaching assistant   | NR |
| Faculty or instructor  | NR |
| Research staff   | NR |
| Other staff or administrator   | NR |
| Coach or trainer   | NR |
| Alumni   | NR |
| Other person associated with University of Illinois Springfield (e.g., internship, study abroad) | NR |
| The person was not associated with the University of Illinois Springfield.                       | NR |
| Unsure about association with University of Illinois Springfield                                 | NR |

# Q64: Please describe the gender(s) of the individual(s) who committed the unwanted behavior. (n=NR) Select all that apply

| Identity   | n  |
|--|----|
| Woman  | NR |
| Genderqueer / gender non-conforming / non-binary | NR |
| Man  | NR |
| Prefer not to respond                            | NR |
| Unknown  | NR |
| Prefer to self-describe:                         | NR |

## Q65: Had the other person been consuming alcohol or drugs just prior to the incident? (n=NR) Select one

| Consumption  | n  |
|--|----|
| They had been consuming alcohol.                     | NR |
| They had been consuming drugs.                       | NR |
| They had been consuming both alcohol and drugs.      | NR |
| They had not been consuming either alcohol or drugs. | NR |
| I don't know   | NR |
| Prefer not to respond                                | NR |



#### Q66: Keep in mind that your consumption of alcohol or drugs in no way excuses a person who acted against your will; had you been consuming alcohol or drugs just prior to the incident? (n=NR) Select all that apply

| Consumption   | n  |
|---|----|
| I had been consuming alcohol.   | NR |
| I had been consuming drugs.   | NR |
| I am certain I was given drugs or alcohol without my knowledge or consent.                    | NR |
| I believe I was given drugs or alcohol without my knowledge or consent, but I am not certain. | NR |
| I had not been consuming alcohol or drugs.  | NR |
| Prefer not to respond   | NR |

#### Q67: Did you tell anyone about the incident(s) before this questionnaire? (n=NR) Select one

| Response              | n  |
|-----------------------|----|
| Yes                   | NR |
| No                    | NR |
| Prefer not to respond | NR |

#### Q68: Which of the following persons (if any) did you tell? (n=NR) Select all that apply

| Person  | n  |
|---|----|
| School personnel (Administration, Resident Assistant, etc.)           | NR |
| School faculty (Professors, Coaches, etc.)                            | NR |
| Friends, family (Trusted Social Circle)                               | NR |
| Community based Organizations   | NR |
| Health and Wellness Providers (Physician, Counselor, Therapist, etc.) | NR |
| Hotline (Local or National)   | NR |
| Local Law Enforcement (City, County, or State Police)                 | NR |
| Campus Security/ safety   | NR |
| Other   | NR |
| Prefer not to respond   | NR |



#### Q69: When you disclosed this experience, did you receive information on or were you referred to any of the following resources/support services? (n=NR) Select all that apply

| Resource/Support Service   | n  |
|--|----|
| On-Campus counseling   | NR |
| Non-institution counseling support   | NR |
| Local Law Enforcement (City, County, or State Police)                                    | NR |
| Campus Security/ safety  | NR |
| On-campus survivor support services and/or advocacy                                      | NR |
| Off-campus survivor support services and/or advocacy services (e.g., rape crisis center) | NR |
| Medical care, whether on or off-campus   | NR |
| Campus legal services  | NR |
| Campus Title IX office   | NR |
| Other services   | NR |
| No information or referral provided  | NR |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR |

## Q70: Following when you disclosed this experience, did you choose to use any of these services? (n=NR) Select all that apply

| Resource/Support Service   | n  |
|--|----|
| On-Campus counseling   | NR |
| Non-institution counseling support   | NR |
| Local Law Enforcement (City, County, or State Police)                                    | NR |
| Campus Security/ safety  | NR |
| On-campus survivor support services and/or advocacy                                      | NR |
| Off-campus survivor support services and/or advocacy services (e.g., rape crisis center) | NR |
| Medical care, whether on or off-campus   | NR |
| Campus legal services  | NR |
| Campus Title IX office   | NR |
| Other services   | NR |
| None of the above  | NR |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR |



#### Q71: Many people choose not to tell anyone about experiences of sexual misconduct. This is a very normal response. What led you to choose not to tell anyone about your experience? (n=NR) Select all that apply

| Reason   | n  |
|--|----|
| I did not know where to go or who to tell.   | NR |
| I felt embarrassed, ashamed or that it would be emotionally difficult.               | NR |
| I did not think anyone would believe me.   | NR |
| I did not think it was serious enough to contact any of these programs or resources. | NR |
| I did not want the person to get in trouble.   | NR |
| I feared negative academic, social or professional consequences.                     | NR |
| I feared it would not be kept confidential.  | NR |
| I could handle it myself.  | NR |
| I feared retaliation.  | NR |
| I didn't think these resources would give me the help I needed.                      | NR |
| Incident occurred while school was not in session                                    | NR |
| Other  | NR |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR |



## **Student Outcomes**

| Response   | n  |
|--|--|
| Yes  | NR   |
| No   | 169  |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR   |
| Was your decision to withdraw influenced by the experient at University of Illinois Springfield? (n=NR) Select one   |  |
| Response   | п  |
| Yes  | NR   |
| No   | NR   |
| Prefer not to respond  | NR   |
| Have you ever taken a leave of absence from the Univer   | rsity of Illinois Springfield? (n=180) Sele  |
| Response   | п  |
| Yes  | NR   |
| No   | 166  |
|  |  |
| Prefer not to respond  Was your decision to take a leave of absence influenced yere a student at University of Illinois Springfield? (n=NF)  |  |
|  | by the experience(s) identified above v  |
| Was your decision to take a leave of absence influenced vere a student at University of Illinois Springfield? (n=NF  | by the experience(s) identified above v<br>R) <i>Select one</i>  |
| Was your decision to take a leave of absence influenced vere a student at University of Illinois Springfield? (n=NF  | by the experience(s) identified above was select one   |
| Was your decision to take a leave of absence influenced vere a student at University of Illinois Springfield? (n=NFResponse Yes  | by the experience(s) identified above was select one   |
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| Prefer not to respond   | NR  |
|---|---|
| : Have you ever withdrawn from a class(es) at University o  | of Illinois Springfield? (n=180) Select one                     |
| Response  | n   |
| Yes   | 49  |
| No  | 128   |
| Prefer not to respond   | NR  |
| : Was your withdrawal from a class(es) influenced by the eois Springfield? (n=48) <i>Select one</i>   | experience(s) identified above at Unive                         |
| Response  | n   |
| Yes   | NR  |
| No  | 39  |
| Prefer not to respond   | NR  |
| : Have you ever been placed on academic probation at Un   | iversity of Illinois Springfield? (n=178) \$                    |
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| Response  | n   |
| Response<br>Yes   | n<br>NR   |
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## Q82: In thinking about the events related to sexual misconduct described in the previous sections, did University of Illinois Springfield play a role by... Select one

| Statement  | Yes | No | Does Not<br>Apply | Prefer not to respond |
|--|-----|----|-------------------|-----------------------|
| Actively supporting you with either formal or informal resources (e.g., counseling, academic services, advocacy services, meetings, or phone calls)? (n=175) | 38  | NR | 108               | NR                    |
| Taking your report seriously? (n=176)  | 22  | NR | 126               | NR                    |
| Allowing you to have a say in how your report was handled? (n=174)   | NR  | NR | 131               | NR                    |
| Ensuring you were treated as an important member of the institution? (n=176)   | 28  | 21 | 116               | NR                    |
| Meeting your needs for support and accommodations? (n=175)   | 29  | NR | 120               | NR                    |
| Discussing its policies about protection from retaliation? (n=175)   | 29  | NR | 120               | NR                    |
| Sharing options for academic and other accommodations? (n=175)   | 31  | NR | 118               | NR                    |
| Giving you information about options through a criminal process? (n=176)   | NR  | 20 | 129               | NR                    |

## Q83: In thinking about the events related to sexual misconduct described in the previous sections, did University of Illinois Springfield play a role by... Select one

|  |     |    | Does Not |      |
|--|-----|----|----------|------|
| Statement  | Yes | No | Apply    | PNTR |
| Making it difficult to report the experience/s? (n=174)  | 22  | 28 | 112      | NR   |
| Responding inadequately to the experience/s, if reported? (n=175)                                      | 21  | 23 | 123      | NR   |
| Mishandling your case, if disciplinary action was contemplated? (n=173)                                | NR  | 26 | 130      | NR   |
| Covering up the experience/s? (n=173)  | NR  | 24 | 122      | NR   |
| Denying your experience/s in some way? (n=174)   | NR  | 29 | 124      | NR   |
| Punishing you in some way for reporting the experience/s (e.g., loss of privileges or status)? (n=175) | NR  | 32 | 130      | NR   |
| Suggesting your experience/s might affect the reputation of the institution? (n=175)                   | NR  | 33 | 125      | NR   |
| Creating an environment where you no longer felt like a valued member of the institution? (n=175)      | NR  | 34 | 119      | NR   |



| Creating an environment where staying at University of Illinois Springfield was difficult for you? (n=174) | NR | 35 | 118 | NR |
|--|----|----|-----|----|
| Responding differently to your experience/s based on your sexual orientation or gender identity? (n=175)   | NR | 35 | 126 | NR |
| Responding differently to your experience/s based on your racial or ethnic background? (n=175)             | NR | 33 | 124 | NR |
| Responding differently to your experience/s based on your disability status? (n=175)                       | NR | 33 | 130 | NR |

Q84: If you reported or were considering making a report of sexual misconduct to University of Illinois Springfield did University of Illinois Springfield play a role by... Select one

|   |     |    | <b>Does Not</b> | Prefer not |
|---|-----|----|-----------------|------------|
| Statement   | Yes | No | Apply           | to respond |
| Warning you that you could face lawsuits from the person who harmed you? (n=33) | NR  | NR | NR              | NR         |
| Threatening to file a lawsuit against you? (n=33)                               | NR  | NR | NR              | NR         |
| Encouraging you to take a leave of absence? (n=33)                              | NR  | NR | NR              | NR         |
| Encourage you to transfer schools? (n=33)                                       | NR  | NR | NR              | NR         |
| Encourage you to drop out of school? (n=33)                                     | NR  | NR | NR              | NR         |
| Other (n=31)  | NR  | NR | NR              | NR         |



## Q85: If you reported or were considering making a report of sexual misconduct to University of Illinois Springfield, please indicate your experience(s) of the following: Select one

|   |     |    | Does Not | Prefer not |
|---|-----|----|----------|------------|
| Statement   | Yes | No | Apply    | to respond |
| The person who caused you harm filed a Title IX complaint. (n=172)  | NR  | 38 | 124      | NR         |
| The person who caused you harm filed a protective order against you in court. (n=172)                             | NR  | 38 | 127      | NR         |
| The person who caused you harm threatened to sue you. (n=172)   | NR  | 38 | 126      | NR         |
| The person who caused you harm (or their attorney) threatened to sue or did sue the school over the case. (n=171) | NR  | 37 | 126      | NR         |

## Q86: Has the following happened at any time when you were a student at University of Illinois Springfield during the last 12 months? Select one

|   |     |     | Prefer not to |
|---|-----|-----|---------------|
| Statement   | Yes | No  | respond       |
| I was pressured, intimidated, and/or threatened by someone to not make a report. (n=172)  | NR  | 125 | 39            |
| I was pressured, intimidated, and/or threatened by someone after making a report. (n=171) | NR  | 129 | 38            |



## Q87: Since you came to University of Illinois Springfield, which of the following have you done? (n=162) Select all that apply

| Action  | n  |
|---|----|
| Discussed sexual misconduct or sexual assault in class  | 54 |
| Discussed the topic of sexual misconduct with friends   | 96 |
| Discussed sexual misconduct with a family member  | 59 |
| Attended an event or program about what you can do as a bystander to stop sexual misconduct                                       | 52 |
| Attended an event, program, or rally about sexual misconduct or sexual assault  | 52 |
| Seen posters or social media posts about sexual misconduct (e.g., raising awareness, preventing rape, defining sexual misconduct) | 93 |
| Seen or heard campus administrators or staff address sexual misconduct  | 32 |
| Seen crime alerts about sexual misconduct   | 56 |
| Read a report about sexual violence rates at UIS  | 40 |
| Visted a UIS website with information on sexual misconduct  | 43 |
| Volunteered or interned at an organization that addresses sexual misconduct   | NR |
| Seen or heard about sexual misconduct in a student publication or media outlet  | 34 |
| Taken a class to learn more about sexual misconduct   | NR |
| Completed annual online sexual assault prevention course, Voices for Change   | 84 |
| Prefer not to respond   | NR |

Q88: Since coming to University of Illinois Springfield, have you received a written (e.g., brochures, emails) or verbal information (e.g., presentations, training) from anyone at University of Illinois Springfield about the following? (n=146) *Select all that apply* 

| Action  | n  |
|---|----|
| The definitions of types of sexual misconduct   | 81 |
| How to report an incident of sexual misconduct  | 66 |
| Where to go to get help if someone you know experiences sexual misconduct                   | 72 |
| Title IX protections against sexual misconduct  | 80 |
| Protections against retaliation against those who experience and disclose sexual misconduct | 43 |
| How to help prevent sexual misconduct   | 71 |
| Student code of conduct   | 79 |
| Information on the sexual misconduct policy   | 59 |
| Prefer not to respond   | 28 |



#### Q89: If someone were to report a case of sexual misconduct to University of Illinois Springfield ... Select one

|   | Strongly |          |         | Strongly |       |      |
|---|----------|----------|---------|----------|-------|------|
| Statement   | Disagree | Disagree | Neutral | Agree    | Agree | PNTR |
| Students would label the person making the report a troublemaker. (n=514)                               | 166      | 121      | 106     | 43       | NR    | 65   |
| Students would have a hard time supporting the person who made the report (n=512)                       | 159      | 149      | 99      | 31       | NR    | 64   |
| The alleged offender(s) or their friends would try to get back at the person making the report. (n=512) | 106      | 85       | 148     | 78       | 23    | 72   |
| Students would support the person making the report. (n=511)  | 30       | 23       | 90      | 174      | 128   | 66   |

## Q90: If you experienced sexual misconduct and you told friends/peers at University of Illinois Springfield, how would they respond? Select one

|  | Strongly |          |         |       | Strongly | у    |  |
|--|----------|----------|---------|-------|----------|------|--|
| Statement  | Disagree | Disagree | Neutral | Agree | Agree    | PNTR |  |
| Tell you that you could have done more to prevent this (n=505)                   | 128      | 120      | 97      | 62    | NR       | 85   |  |
| Showed understanding of your experience. (n=503)                                 | NR       | NR       | 92      | 170   | 133      | 81   |  |
| Helped you get information of any kind about coping with the experience. (n=505) | NR       | NR       | 97      | 166   | 133      | 79   |  |
| Encouraged you to keep the experience a secret. (n=505)                          | 135      | 135      | 111     | 29    | NR       | 85   |  |
| Told you to stop thinking about it. (n=505)                                      | 133      | 120      | 111     | 41    | NR       | 82   |  |
| Treated you differently in some ways that made you feel uncomfortable. (n=505)   | 149      | 130      | 109     | 27    | NR       | 82   |  |



#### Resources

UIS acknowledges that completing the survey may elicit some feelings of past negative experiences. As such, the survey instrument provided the following resource information on every survey page and/or at the conclusion of the survey:

#### **CAMPUS and SPRINGFIELD RESOURCES**

**University of Illinois Springfield resources:** 

UIS Counseling Center: 217-206-7122

Campus and Local Police Departments: Dial 911 for emergencies, (217) 206-7777 UIS Police

Emergency, (217) 206-6690 for non-emergencies

Dean of Student Office: 217-206-8211; deanofstudents@uis.edu

If I wish to report an instance of sexual violence, misconduct, or harassment, contact the Title

IX Coordinator at 217-206-6222, titleix@uis.edu or use the online report form.

**Community resources:** 

Prairie Center Against Sexual Assault: 217-206-7122 Illinois Domestic Violence Hotline: 1-877-863-6338

Sojourn Shelter & Services: 217-726-5100

#### **NATIONAL RESOURCES**

National Domestic Violence Hotline: (800) 799-7233 National Sexual Assault Hotline: (800) 656-HOPE [4673] National Suicide Prevention Lifeline: (800) 273-TALK [8255]

Support, information, and referrals for mental illness: (800) 950-NAMI [6264]