



# TITLE IX QUICK REFERENCE FOR TA'S AND INSTRUCTORS

## A Brief Overview

**Title IX** is a **federal law** that **prohibits sex-based discrimination** in education programs, and any other programs that receive federal funding.

Remember these key points:

- UArk is a federally funded institution and therefore must uphold Title IX standards.
- As a university employee, you are a mandated reporter.



## Your Responsibilities



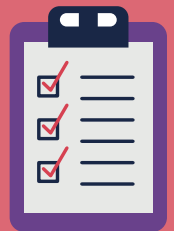
As a **mandated reporter**, you should **report potential Title IX violations** (sexual misconduct, sexual violence, sex discrimination, etc.) **within 24 hours** of receiving information.

As a mandated reporter, **you cannot promise confidentiality. Be upfront** about your obligation to report early in the conversation.

## Why File?

### Filing a Title IX report...

- gives a victim **access to university resources**
- may help UArk **identify individuals with problematic behavior**
- allows the campus to **analyze behavioral trends**
- helps **keep campus safe!**



For more information about when to file, please visit <http://titleix.uark.edu>

## HOW TO FILE A TITLE IX REPORT

**Consider the person's health and safety.** If a person requires **medical attention**, **escort them to the nearest emergency room.** If a person is in **immediate danger**, **dial 911** or **contact UArk police.**

**Listen carefully and kindly**, but be honest early in the conversation that you are a **mandated reporter** and cannot offer confidentiality.

**Highlight Title IX office resources**, which a person may use **even if they choose not to file a formal complaint.**

**Report the incident** to the **Title IX coordinator**, or by using the **"Report" link** on the Title IX website.

Unsure about reporting?  
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