

Utah Transit Authority Police Department

Officer _____ Badge Number _____

Case Number _____ Other Relevant Case Numbers _____

Additional Resources for Victims of Sex Crimes, Stalking, Dating Violence, and Identity Theft

Call 9-1-1 — if there is an emergency, it is best to call 9-1-1

Call UTA Police Dispatch — to reach UTA Police by phone, call 801-287-3937 (801-287-EYES)

Text us — send text messages to UTA police at 274-637 (CRIMES). Start your message with UTATIP and then include your message.

Crisis and Immediate Help

National Suicide and Crisis Hotline-899 Text or Call (English and Spanish). <https://988lifeline.org/>

Sexual Assault

Utah Coalition Against Sexual Assault (UCASA) 24-Hour Sexual Violence Helpline- (801) 763- 4356 Espanol (801) 924-0860. <https://www.ucasa.org/>

National Sexual Assault Hotline (RAINN)- 800 656 HOPE (4673) English/ Espanol- Online Hotline Chat
<https://hotline.rainn.org/online> <https://www.rainn.org/resources>

Counseling, Advocacy, Medical, and Financial Resources

- Where can I go?
- Locate your nearest Emergency Department
- Sexual assault exams are free. Costs are covered by the Utah Office for Victims of Crime **if** the survivor establishes a case number with the responding police officer.
- By law, anyone can receive treatment for sexual violence in a hospital emergency room regardless of age, gender identity, sexual orientation, drug or alcohol use, or documentation status. If the patient is under age 18, a child advocate will be available and mandatory reporting laws apply. Patients participating in illegal activity and patients without documentation have the right to treatment and will not be interrogated, detained, or turned away. A confidential victim advocate will be available to answer questions and help protect the best interests of the patient.
- A sexual assault medical forensic exam offers several services to survivors, including collection of forensic evidence, treatment for injuries, emergency contraception and preventive sexually transmitted infection treatment.
- In Utah, medical forensic (Code-R) exams may be done up to five days after a sexual assault — or longer if a patient is experiencing pain or bleeding. However, medical forensic evidence is perishable **and should be collected as soon as possible (within five days)**. A patient seeking a medical exam will also be offered medication to prevent sexually transmitted diseases and pregnancy. Medication to prevent pregnancy is most effective if taken within three days after an assault.

** For more information about the **Collection and Storage of Evidence**, refer to “Sexual Assault Investigations” at <https://www.rideuta.com/Rider-Info/Public-Safety/Police>

** For more information regarding **HIV Testing** information, refer to https://le.utah.gov/xcode/Title53/Chapter10/53-10-S804.html?v=C53-10-S804_2023050320230503

** For more information regarding reviews of your case, refer to https://le.utah.gov/xcode/Title11/Chapter64/11-64-S101.html?v=C11-64-S101_2019051420190514

Community Resources for Victims of Sexual Assault

YWCA Family Justice Center 801-236-3370
310 E. Broadway, Salt Lake City, UT 84111

The Family Justice Center provides sexual assault forensic exams 24/7 in a family friendly environment. A playroom is available for children and appointments may be made in advance over the telephone. <https://slcfamilyjusticecenter.org/>

Rape Recovery Center 801-467-7282
2035 S 1300 East
Salt Lake City, UT 84105

Provides 24-hour mobile response team of advocates who respond to Salt Lake County hospitals and outpatient clinics to support survivors after an assault. Survivor groups, counseling, referrals, crisis services, and education.
<https://www.raperecoverycenter.org/>

Financial Assistance Information

The Utah Office for Victims of Crime 801-238-2360
350 E. 500 S.
Suite 200
Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

<https://crimevictim.utah.gov/victim-financial-assistance/>

For more information about **Dating Violence**, refer to https://le.utah.gov/xcode/Title78B/Chapter7/78B-7-S102.html?v=C78B-7-S102_2023050320230701

For more information about **Stalking**, refer to <https://le.utah.gov/xcode/Title76/Chapter5/76-5-S106.5.html> and contact the district court in the county where the incident was committed.

For more information on how to obtain a stalking injunction or other protective orders, refer to the “Protective Order” section of the UTA Domestic Violence Pamphlet

Victim Services Utah Department of Corrections

<https://corrections.utah.gov/victim-resources/office-of-victims-of-crime/>

Identity Theft Resources

<https://dcp.utah.gov/education/identity-theft/>

“U” and “T” Visa Information

<https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/immigration/u-t-visa>

The person who was arrested may be released on bond or some other form of release and that the victim should not rely upon an arrest as a guarantee of safety.

To view the Utah Transit Authority Police Department’s policy on Sexual Assault Investigations and Victim Witness Policy, visit <https://www.rideuta.com/Rider-Info/Public-Safety/Police>

