

UCPD Crime Alert: Attempted Robbery Occurred Near Campus

On March 7, 2019, at 12:30 am, a male UCR student was talking on his phone near Valencia Hills Drive north of Big Springs Road when he was approached by a man who got out of a vehicle and requested a lighter. After the victim said he did not have a lighter, he turned around to continue his phone call. He then he saw two other males from the vehicle running towards him. As the victim attempted to run away, the first male subject blocked his path. The victim was repeatedly struck by all the suspects. As the victim was on the ground the suspects attempted to steal his phone and wallet, but they were unable to take any of his property. The victim ran to the Glen Mor parking structure where he was able to contact a UCPD Community Service Officer to report the crime. UCPD officers responded and searched the area, but could not find the suspects. The victim had moderate injuries and was transported to the hospital for treatment.

The primary suspect was described as a Hispanic male adult, 20-25 years old, 5'8" tall, 210 pounds, wearing dark clothing. The suspect vehicle was described as a silver colored unknown brand sedan occupied by the two other suspects.

The Riverside Police Department is investigating this crime. Please use caution when outside late at night and remain alert to your surroundings.

Remember that UCPD operates the Point 2 Point shuttle at night if you need a ride home from campus and the Campus Safety Escort Service is a great resource staffed by student volunteers. Details can be found at these links:

https://police.ucr.edu/police_department_point_to_point_shuttle_service.html

<https://wrc.ucr.edu/programs/campus-safety-and-escort/using-the-campus-escort-service>

If this event personally triggered or affected you, please know that UC Riverside offers a vast array of resources to support you.

- *For students, counseling and psychological services can be reached at [951-827-5531](tel:951-827-5531) 24hours a day, 7 days a week. Go to www.counseling.ucr.edu for details.*
- *For faculty and staff, resources for counseling services are available through the Faculty and Staff Assistance Program, which can be found at <http://hr.ucr.edu/employee/fsap.html> , [\(951\) 781-0510](tel:951-781-0510) or [\(800\) 266-0510](tel:800-266-0510)*
- *Our CARE Advocates provide confidential and privileged assistance to survivors of sexual violence at UCR. The CARE Advocates can be reached at: 384 & 386 Surge Building, care.ucr.edu, [951-827-6225](tel:951-827-6225)*
- *To file an on-campus report of harassment or sexual violence: Title IX Office, 349 Surge Building, www.titleix.ucr.edu, [951-827-7070](tel:951-827-7070)*
- *To file a police report: UCPD [3500 Canyon Crest Dr.](http://www.police.ucr.edu), www.police.ucr.edu, [951-827-5222](tel:951-827-5222)*

- *Our Student Affairs Case Managers offer support and guidance in all areas:* casemanager@ucr.edu, [951-827-5000](tel:951-827-5000)

It is the duty of the University of California Police Department to warn of possible dangerous conditions on or near campus. This message is being sent in compliance with the "Timely Notice" provisions of the federal Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security and Campus Crime Statistics Act of 1998.