Crime Alert

Content Warning: This crime alert includes sexual violence.

Today, the UCR Police & Campus Safety Department (UCR PD) received a report that a rape took place at a campus housing apartment on Saturday, October 1, 2022, at approximately 1:30 a.m. The survivor described the suspect as a male, early 20s, medium build, blond hair, last wearing a black sports sleeve and shorts. The survivor had met the suspect at a local store and exchanged social media information.

If you have information that could be helpful in this investigation, please contact the UCR PD at (951) 827-6022.

Help prevent crime by reporting suspicious activity to UCR PD immediately - race, gender, and religious affiliation are not suspicious.

Things to Consider

- If you are going out alone, make sure that someone knows where you are going, who you will be with, and when you expect to return.
- If you start to feel concerned about a person or a situation, trust your feelings and try to remove yourself as quickly as possible from the potential threat, even if it is someone whom you know and even if it feels awkward to do so.
- If you think someone is at risk of assault or abuse, you should consider it an emergency and act to support that person.
- You can call the police or ask for help from other people, intervene directly if safe, or create a distraction to help remove the potential victim from the situation.
- Dial 9-1-1 for emergency or in-progress events. Non-emergency call (951) 827-6022.

Resources

- The UCR Care office provides confidential support and advocacy to students who have experienced sexual assault,关系性 abuse and stalking.

- The UCR Compliance office works to resolve complaints of discrimination, sexual harassment, and sexual violence through informal resolution or formal investigation. The office also assists with supportive remedies and resources for sexual violence.

- The UCR PD Safety Escort program available to anyone by calling (951) 827-6022. This is a free service provided to members of the UCR community as a safe alternative to walking alone at night.

Sincerely,

Anthony Friedman
Interim Chief of Police
UCR Police & Campus Safety

UCR Crime Alerts are released by the UCR Police & Campus Safety Department when crimes are reported to UCR PD. They are intended to provide information about crimes that may affect the safety of the UCR community and its members to take precautions for personal safety.