

Title IX Notice of Nondiscrimination

The University of Arkansas at Monticello strives to be a place of work and study free from all forms of discrimination, sexual intimidation and exploitation. In accordance with the requirements of Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, 20 U.S.C. Sec.1681, *et seq.*, which prohibits all recipients of federal funds from discriminating on the basis of gender in its educational programs and activities, the University will not tolerate sexual discrimination. Sexual discrimination includes all forms of: sexual harassment, sexual assault, and sexual violence by an individual against employees, students, or third parties. The University will respond promptly to all complaints of sexual discrimination. Any person having inquiries concerning the University's compliance with regulations implementing Title IX or having a need to report an act of sexual harassment or discrimination is directed to contact the appropriate Title IX Coordinator listed below.

Complaints against UAM students (Monticello campus) for sexual harassment or sex discrimination are encouraged to contact:

Title IX Coordinator
Mrs. Renea McClendon
Dean of Students
(870) 460-1110
mcclendon@uamont.edu
University Center
517 University Dr.
Monticello, AR 71656

Title IX Investigator
Helen Davis
Conduct Case Manager
(870)- 460-1353
davisht@uamont.edu
Harris Hall, Room 212
517 University Dr.
Monticello, AR 71656

Complaints against UAM faculty or staff members or visitors for sexual harassment or sex discrimination are encouraged to contact:

Deputy Title IX Coordinator
Mrs. Debbie Gasaway
Associate Vice Chancellor for Administration
(870) 460-1622
gasaway@uamont.edu
Babin Business Center, Room 205G
140 University Place
Monticello, AR 71656

NOTE: *The Associate Vice Chancellor for Administration is responsible for Title IX compliance for matters involving faculty and staff, including training, education, communication, and administration of the grievance procedure for all complaints against faculty, staff, and visitors, including those complaints filed by students.*

Complaints against UAM students (McGehee campus) for sexual harassment or sex discrimination are encouraged to contact:

Deputy Title IX Coordinator
Mr. Cyrus Vance
Director of Student Services
(870) 460-2103
vancecj@uamont.edu
UAM-CTM
1609 East Ash
McGehee, AR 71654

Complaints against UAM students (Crossett campus) for sexual harassment or sex discrimination are encouraged to contact:

Deputy Title IX Coordinator
Dr. David Streeter
Director of Student Services
(870) 364-6414
Streeter@uamont.edu
UAM-CTC
1326 Hwy 52 West
Crossett, AR 71635

REPORTING A SEXUAL ASSAULT

Although it may be extremely difficult, it is always best to report an act of sexual violence (rape, sexual assault, sexual battery, and sexual coercion) to:

University Police Department
(870) 460-1083 or (870) 460-1000
Chief John Kidwell
kidwell@uamont.edu
University Police Department
211 Science Center Drive
Monticello, AR 71656

Individuals may also report a sexual assault to:

Monticello Police Department (870) 367-3411

Drew County Sheriff's Office (870) 367-6211
Ashley County Sheriff's Office (870) 853-2040
McGehee Police Department (870) 222-3636

Students who have been victims of sexual assault may receive help through private and confidential counseling sessions (at no cost) in the UAM Office of Counseling Services. The Director of Counseling in conjunction with the Dean of Students, will assist sexual assault victims with personal trauma, police interview, and the filing of criminal charges should the victim wish to do so.

Professional Counselor
Ms. Emily Stell
(870) 460-1554
stellem@uamont.edu
Student Success Center
P. O. Box 3458
Monticello, AR 71656

Other resources available to victims of sexual assault, include but are not limited to: Title IX Coordinators (see contact information above), Drew Memorial Hospital (870)-367-2411 or Delta Counseling Associates (870)-367-2461.

Additional resource:

The OCR office for Arkansas is located at:
Dallas Office
Office for Civil Rights
U.S. Department of Education
1999 Bryan Street, Suite 1620
Dallas, TX 75201-6810
Telephone: 214-661-9600
FAX: 214-661-9587; TDD: 877-521-2172
Email: OCR.Dallas@ed.gov