# **Consider Reporting**

You have two options if you choose to report an incident of sexual misconduct. You may pursue either or all of these options at any time. Perry Technical Institute encourages you to bring an incident to our attention sooner rather than later.

- 1) File a complaint with the Title IX Coordinator to initiate the school disciplinary process and/or
- 2) File a report with the police, which may lead to criminal charges

#### **Report Online**

perrytech.edu/safety

#### Report to the Title IX Coordinator

509.895.5755 titleix@perrytech.edu

PTI has trained staff who investigate sexual misconduct, facilitate needed resources and interim measures (which may include no-contact orders), and may impose sanctions.

#### **Report to Yakima Police Department**

To initiate a criminal investigation, **call 911** or **509.575.6200** 

You may request the help of an experienced victim support person by contacting ASPEN (see inside).

## **Protective Measures**

You may request protective measures and assistance with changes to academic (or employment) situations during your time at Perry Technical Institute. These can be instituted before, during or after an investigative process takes place. They vary for each situation, but make safety a top priority.

Students may seek protective measures without pursuing law enforcement or institutional investigations by contacting the Dean or Assistant Dean of Education or the Title IX Coordinator. Staff requesting protective measures should contact the HR Manager/Title IX Coordinator for Faculty & Staff Development.

If you wish to pursue a legal protection order, the school is available to assist you through that process.

#### **Contact Us**

Perry Technical Institute

Title IX Coordinator 2011 W. Washington Ave. Yakima, WA 98903

509.895.5755 titleix@perrytech.edu

Visit us on the web: perrytech.edu/safety

### Resources

For those who have experienced sexual misconduct, sexual harassment, gender-based harassment, and sexual violence, which includes sexual assault, dating and domestic violence, and stalking.



## **Seek Emotional Care**

Attending to your emotional health can be an important part of your healing process. The following support services are available to you. No personal information is shared without your permission.

#### Comprehensive Healthcare 509.575.4084

Counseling services are available to PTI students with a recommendation. Ask the Title IX Coordinator for a "no questions asked" referral. PTI employees may make use of the Employee Assistance Plan for no-cost counseling by mentioning that you are employed at Perry Tech.

#### Lower Valley Crisis and Support Center Hotline **509.837.6689**

Rape Crisis and Victim Services Hotline **817.927.2737** 

YWCA **509.248.7796** Domestic violence support and shelter.

Yakima County Sexual Assault Resource Center 24-hour line **509.575.4200** or **1.800.572.8122** 

#### ASPEN Sexual Assault Victim Advocacy Services **509.452.9675**

24-hour crisis line and response. Confidential resource to connect you to services for counseling, advocacy, medical treatment, legal assistance and visa/immigration assistance if necessary. Trained advocates support victims of crime, whether or not the crime is reported to law enforcement.

## **Seek Medical Care**

Medical attention can be critical to assessing your overall health needs, testing for sexually transmitted infections, and pregnancy, and collecting evidence that may be used in legal proceedings. Staff at these facilities are specially trained and sensitive to your needs and concerns.

#### Memorial Hospital 509.575.8000

Yakima Regional Medical Center 509.575.5000

#### Planned Parenthood 866.904.7721

Provides emergency contraceptive services and treatment for sexually transmitted infections. Offers sliding scale for some services.

Emergency Contraception can be purchased without a prescription at any pharmacy.

### **Retaliation-Free Zone**

All forms of retaliation are strictly prohibited. You should in no way experience retaliation for bringing an incident to the attention of the school or for participating in an investigation. If you believe anyone is retaliating against you in any way (i.e. threats to harm, intimidation, cyber stalking or bullying, etc.) please contact the Title IX Coordinator immediately.



### If you are reading this, it is likely you have been impacted by sexual misconduct or sexual violence.

Deciding whether or how to respond to an incident can be overwhelming. We want to help you stay in control and make the right choice for you, when and how you choose, based on the available options.

This brochure outlines local resources, options for reporting, and how Perry Technical Institute can support you if you choose to bring an incident to our attention.

Please consider preserving evidence of an incident of sexual assault, sexual harassment, dating or domestic violence, or stalking. This keeps your options open if you decide to pursue an investigation in the future.