



SAFETY ADVISORY

Washington College of Law

The Department of Public Safety (DPS) and The Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) responded to a report of a suspicious person near the Washington College of Law on October 16, 2014. The subject engaged a staff member in conversation and then attempted to touch her hand as she was walking home.

The subject is described as a male possibly of Hispanic descent. He is described as approximately 5'10" tall with a heavy build. He was last seen wearing a white polo shirt with dark horizontal lines and jeans. The suspect was last seen walking down 47th Street, NW D.C. It is believed that this may be the same subject from an indecent exposure incident at the Washington College of Law that occurred earlier this week.

If you have information relating to these incidents, or witness suspicious activity, please call the Department of Public Safety at 202-885-3636 or 911 for the Metropolitan Police Department if you are off campus.

SAFETY TIPS

- Program Public Safety's emergency number 202-885-3636 into your cell phone.
- Report any suspicious activity or suspicious individuals to the Department of Public Safety.
- The Department of Public Safety provides escorts, 24 hours/7 days a week, for community members to and from university owned property. To arrange for an escort, call 202-885-2527 or use a blue light or red emergency phone.
- The sexual assault prevention coordinator (SAPC) serves to develop and implement prevention and education programs for the AU community about sexual assault, dating violence, and stalking. The SAPC is also available to provide resources and referrals for survivors of sexual assault and can assist survivors in contacting counselors or a victim advocate when requested. The SAPC can be reached at 202-885-3055 and is a confidential resource.
- For information about resources available to victims/survivors of sexual assault, please visit the Wellness Center website at:
<http://www.american.edu/ocl/wellness/sexual-assault-resources.cfm>