

Tufts Attitudes About Sexual Conduct Survey (TASCS)

*Please note: all pages of the survey have this text at the bottom: **Would you like to talk to someone about sexual misconduct at Tufts? Please click [HERE](#) for our Resources page.***

Additionally, there are many links in the survey that connect to the Sexual Misconduct Resource pages. The links do not appear here, but have been tested extensively.

Q1.1 Dear Tufts Students,

Tufts University is asking all students to answer a brief survey. The purpose of this survey is to collect data from current undergraduate, graduate, and professional school students on the social and cultural climate at Tufts.

This survey is made up of several sections that ask about your knowledge, opinions, and beliefs on certain subjects, including how to react in social situations, perceptions, and experience with sexual situations, as well as how you view various aspects of Tufts culture. This survey should take most students 10 minutes to complete.

This survey is completely ANONYMOUS and VOLUNTARY. Your response will NOT be part of any academic, medical, or disciplinary record. You do NOT have to participate in this survey, and if you do choose to participate, you may skip any question you are not comfortable answering and may exit the survey at any time.

If you have questions about this survey, please contact Lauren Conoscenti (Lauren.Conoscenti@tufts.edu) in the Office of Institutional Research and Evaluation.

TRIGGER WARNING: Some of the questions in this survey use explicit language, including anatomical names of body parts and specific behaviors to ask about sexual situations. This survey also asks about sexual assault and other forms of sexual misconduct which may be upsetting. Resources for support will be available on every page of the survey, should you need them.

Q1.2 Do you wish to participate in this survey?

- Yes
- No

If No Is Selected, Then Skip To End of Survey

Q1.3 What type of student are you at Tufts University? Check all that apply.

- Undergraduate student
- Graduate or Professional School student
- Other, please specify: _____

Q1.4 On which campus do you spend the majority of your time?

- Medford
- Boston
- Grafton
- Other, please specify: _____

Undergraduate students will be shown this question:

Q1.5 What is your class year?

- 2015
- 2016
- 2017
- 2018
- Other

Undergraduate students will be shown this question:

Q1.6 Did you transfer to Tufts University from another college or university?

- Yes
- No

Graduate or Professional School students will be shown this question:

Q1.7 In which graduate or professional school are you primarily affiliated?

- GSAS
- GSOE
- Fletcher
- Sackler
- Medical
- Dental
- PHPD
- Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine
- Friedman
- Other

Q1.8 What is your age?

- Under 18
- 18
- 19
- 20
- 21
- 22
- 23
- 24
- 25
- 26
- 27
- 28
- 29
- 30
- 31
- 32
- 33
- 34
- 35
- Over 35

Q1.9 Where do you reside?

- On-campus housing (includes special interest housing and Greek housing)
- Off-campus housing

Q1.10 What sex was assigned to you on your original birth certificate?

- Female
- Male
- I prefer not to answer

Q1.11 What is your current gender identity?

- Woman
- Man
- Transgender
- Transgender Woman
- Transgender Man
- Genderqueer/Gender non-conforming
- Other, please specify: _____
- I prefer not to answer

Q1.12 Which term best describes your sexual orientation?

- Asexual
- Bisexual
- Gay
- Heterosexual/Straight
- Lesbian
- Queer
- Questioning/unsure
- Other, please specify: _____
- I prefer not to answer

Q1.13 What is your race (as you define it)? Mark all that apply.

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian
- Black or African American
- Hispanic or Latino
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- White
- Other, please describe: _____
- I prefer not to answer

Q1.14 Are you a U.S. citizen or permanent resident (hold a permanent Visa)?

- Yes
- No
- I prefer not to answer

Q1.15 Do you participate in extracurricular or co-curricular activities on campus? Please tell us what kinds of activities you have participated in at Tufts. Check all that apply.

- Academic/professional organization (e.g. SCAVMA, Synaptic Scholars, AIChE, Phi Beta Kappa)
- Fraternity or sorority
- Varsity or junior varsity sports
- Intramural or club sports
- Dance, music, or arts group (e.g. 3Ps, Beelzebubs, Torn Ticket II)
- Leonard Carmichael Society (LCS) or other service organizations (e.g. Project Bridge, Engineers Without Borders, Pet Loss Hotline, Ears for Peers, FletcherCARES)
- Identity- or Cultural-based group (e.g. Women's Center, Latino Center, LGBT Center, Asian American Alliance, African Students Organization)
- Religious organization
- Tufts Governance (e.g. TCU Senate, Graduate Student Council)
- Other, please specify: _____

Q2.1 Please indicate your level of agreement with each of the following statements.

| | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| I feel valued in the classroom/learning environment. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Faculty, staff, and administrators respect what students on this campus think. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I think faculty are genuinely concerned about my welfare. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I think administrators are genuinely concerned about my welfare. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| The faculty, staff, and administrators at Tufts treat students fairly. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I feel close to people at Tufts. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I feel like I am a part of Tufts. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I feel safe at Tufts. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I am happy to be at Tufts. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

Q2.2 Please indicate your level of agreement with each of the following statements:

| | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| I think students at Tufts respect one another's personal space. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I feel that most Tufts students would respect someone who did something to prevent an incident of sexual misconduct. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I trust that my friends would watch out for me if it seemed like something bad might happen to me at a party or social event. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

Q2.3 How often do you:

| | Never | Less than Once a Month | Once a Month | 2-3 Times a Month | Once a Week | More than Once a Week |
|--|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Hear Tufts students or see online posts from Tufts students that say that a test or assignment "raped them"? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Hear Tufts students or see online posts from Tufts students that make jokes about sexual harassment, sexual assault, rape, or another form of sexual misconduct? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| See Tufts students describe other students in sexually explicit, graphic, or degrading ways on email lists or social media sites? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

Q3.1 Have you received information from Tufts University about:

| | Yes | No |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| ...policies regarding incidents of sexual misconduct? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| ...complaint and disciplinary procedures regarding incidents of sexual misconduct? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| ...the university's definition of consent? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| ...safe intervention practices for bystanders? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

Q3.2 Please answer the following questions:

| | Yes | No |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Do you know who to report an instance of sexual misconduct to at Tufts? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Do you know how to seek confidential counseling about sexual misconduct at Tufts? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Are you familiar with the disciplinary processes available to you should you decide to file an internal, university complaint regarding any sexual misconduct? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Are you familiar with the options available to file a criminal complaint regarding any sexual misconduct? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

Q4.1 Consent is an informed, knowing, and voluntary decision to engage mutually acceptable sexual activity. Consent cannot be obtained by use of force or under coercion. Additionally, individuals who are under the legal age of consent, mentally disabled, or incapacitated (for example, someone who has used drugs, drank alcohol, or is sleeping) cannot provide consent. For more information about the definition of consent, please click [here](#).

Q4.2 There are many different kinds of sexual misconduct prohibited by Title IX and Tufts University. To review our Sexual Misconduct/Sexual Assault Policy and learn which behaviors are prohibited, please click [here](#).

In this section, we will focus on two specific types of sexual misconduct.

a. Non-Consensual Sexual Intercourse/Penetration: this is defined as any sexual intercourse or penetration (anal, oral, or vaginal), no matter how slight, with any object or body part, by another person, and without consent or upon a person being unable to consent.

This includes, but is not limited to someone's penis, finger, or other object being put in your vagina, anus, or mouth; someone's mouth or tongue making contact with your genitals; or your mouth or tongue making contact with someone else's genitals without your explicit consent.

b. Non-Consensual Sexual Contact/Activity: this is defined as any intentional sexual touching, however slight, with any object, by another person, and without consent or upon a person being unable to consent.

This includes, but is not limited to forced kissing; touching of genitals; grabbing, fondling, or rubbing up against you in a sexual way (even if it is over your clothes) without your explicit consent.

Remember, in both cases, these behaviors carried out on a person who is incapacitated – for example, someone who is "passed out," asleep, or otherwise unable to give consent, or who is mentally disabled or under the legal age of consent – is always considered non-consensual.

Q4.3 Have you experienced non-consensual sexual intercourse or penetration? Check all that apply:

- No
- Yes, during the current academic year (since August 2014)
- Yes, during my time at Tufts prior to the current academic year (before August 2014)
- Yes, before my time at Tufts.

Q4.4 Have you experienced non-consensual sexual contact or activity?

- No
- Yes, during the current academic year (since August 2014)
- Yes, during my time at Tufts prior to the current academic year (before August 2014)
- Yes, before my time at Tufts.

Students who indicate "no" for both Q4.3 and Q4.4 will be directed to the bystander questions (Q7.1).

Students who have experienced non-consensual sexual intercourse/penetration OR non-consensual sexual contact/activity BEFORE becoming a Tufts student (but not since becoming a Tufts student) will see one or both of these prompts:

Q5.1 You indicated that you've experienced non-consensual sexual intercourse/penetration before your time at Tufts. If you would like to share anything about this incident(s), you may do so in the box below.

Q5.2 You indicated that you've experienced non-consensual sexual contact/activity before your time at Tufts. If you would like to share anything about this incident(s), you may do so in the box below.

Events of the past may cause you to experience strong emotions that may manifest in ways that impact your daily life. If you would like to talk to someone about the incident you indicated, please click [here](#) to view on-campus, local, and national resources.

These respondents will then be directed to the bystander questions (Q7.1).

Students who have experienced non-consensual sexual intercourse/penetration since becoming a Tufts student will see this prompt:

Q6.1 You indicated that you've experienced non-consensual sexual intercourse/penetration while at Tufts. The following questions are about that/those experience(s). If you've had more than one experience, please answer the following questions about the experience that has impacted or affected you the most since being at Tufts. You will have a chance later to talk about other experiences if you wish to do so.

We would appreciate it if you would answer as many questions as possible, but you don't have to answer a question if it makes you too uncomfortable.

Students who have experienced non-consensual sexual contact/activity since becoming a Tufts student will see this prompt:

Q6.2 You indicated that you've experienced non-consensual sexual contact/activity while at Tufts. The following questions are about that/those experience(s). If you've had more than one experience, please answer the following questions about the experience that has impacted or affected you the most since being at Tufts. You will have a chance later to talk about other experiences if you wish to do so.

We would appreciate it if you would answer as many questions as possible, but you don't have to answer a question if it makes you too uncomfortable.

Students who have experienced non-consensual sexual intercourse/penetration or contact/activity since becoming a Tufts student will see Q6.3-Q6.27 or some subset of these questions:

Q6.3 In what academic year did the incident take place?

- 2014-15
- 2013-14, including summer 2014
- 2012-13, including summer 2013
- 2011-12, including summer 2012
- 2010-11, including summer 2011
- 2009-10, including summer 2010
- Before 2009-10

Q6.4 How many perpetrators were involved in this incident?

- Unsure
- One
- Two
- Three
- Four
- Five
- Six
- Seven
- Eight
- Nine
- Ten or more

Q6.5 Did you know the perpetrator(s)?

- Yes
- I knew some, but not all (**option only appears if respondent selects an answer OTHER than “1” in Q6.4.**)
- No

Respondents who answer “Yes” or “I knew some, but not all” in Q6.5 will be shown this question.

Q6.6 How did you know the perpetrator(s)? Please check all that apply.

At the time of the incident, the perpetrator(s) was/were...

- An acquaintance, peer, or colleague
- A friend
- Someone I had just met
- A former dating partner, sexual partner, or spouse
- A current dating partner, sexual partner, or spouse
- A resident advisor
- An administrator or other employee of Tufts or a Tufts-sponsored program
- A professor, lecturer, or advisor
- A teaching assistant
- My boss, manager, or supervisor
- My mentor
- Other, please specify: _____

Q6.7 Where did the incident occur? Check all that apply. You may provide additional details if you wish.

- On-campus dorm or apartment _____
- Other on-campus housing, such as special interest or Greek housing _____
- Off-campus residence _____
- Non-residential campus building (e.g. academic building, lab, library, gym) _____
- Study abroad location _____
- Off-campus, not affiliated with Tufts _____
- Other _____

Q6.8 Were alcohol and/or drugs involved in this incident? Please check all that apply. Keep in mind that you are in no way responsible for the incident that occurred, even if you had been drinking or using drugs.

- I voluntarily drank alcohol
- The perpetrator(s) had been drinking alcohol
- The perpetrator(s) deliberately tried to get me drunk
- I voluntarily used drugs
- The perpetrator(s) had been using drugs
- The perpetrator(s) deliberately gave me drugs without my permission
- I did not consume alcohol or drugs, either voluntarily or involuntarily
- The perpetrator(s) had not consumed alcohol or drugs

Q6.9 Were there other people -- bystanders -- who observed some or all of the incident?

- No
- Yes, one bystander
- Yes, more than one bystander
- Unsure

Q6.10 It is common to have mixed feelings when deciding whether or not to tell someone else about your experience. Did any of the following concerns or thoughts about how you or others might feel cross your mind when you decided whether or not to share your experience? Please check all that apply.

Concerns or thoughts about my experience and feelings

- Did not know who I should tell
- Felt embarrassed or ashamed, did not want anyone to know what happened
- Felt that I was at least partly at fault or it was not totally the other person's fault
- Did not think it was serious enough to share
- Did not want anyone to know the other things I was doing at the time (e.g. drinking, using drugs)

Concerns or thoughts about the reactions of other people

- Feared I would be blamed or not believed by the person I would tell
- Feared I would be treated with hostility by the person I would tell
- Worried I would have to comfort the person I would tell
- Felt uncomfortable telling people who are friends with the perpetrator(s)
- Worried that people would not see the harm it caused
- Worried that my identity/identities would make people less likely to believe me.
- Afraid of retaliation by person who did it
- Afraid of retaliation by others

Q6.11 It is common to have mixed feelings when deciding whether or not to tell someone else about your experience. Did any of the following concerns or thoughts about reporting cross your mind when you decided whether or not to share your experience? Please check all that apply.

- Did not think the Tufts administration would do anything
- Worried that there was lack of evidence
- Did not want any action to be taken (e.g. arrests, legal charges, disciplinary action)
- Did not want the person who did it to get into trouble
- Did not want to ruin the person's life or hurt their future
- Worried that if I tell someone at Tufts, the administration would take action against an entire organization/group that the person belongs to, rather than just the person who did something wrong
- Worried that if I tell someone at Tufts, administration will take action on their own without my permission
- Worried that the identity/identities of the perpetrator(s) would make them more likely to receive a favorably biased process.

Q6.12 Did you have any additional concerns or thoughts cross your mind when you decided whether or not to share your experience? If so, please describe:

Q6.13 Did you tell anyone about the incident?

- Yes
- No

Respondents who select Yes in Q6.13 will be shown this question.

Q6.14 Please indicate all of the people that you told about this incident or to whom you reported the incident.

| | I told this person, not wanting them to take official action | I told this person, wanting them to take official action |
|--|--|--|
| Roommate or close friend | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Family member | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Counselor or therapist | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Faculty, administrator, or staff | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Residence hall staff | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Group of Six staff | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Local police (e.g. Medford police) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Campus police (e.g. TUPD) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Campus sexual assault advocate | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Religious staff | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Medical staff | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Title IX reporting liaison | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Title IX coordinator/Office of Equal Opportunity (OEO) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Off-campus sexual assault advocate (e.g. BARCC) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Other, please specify: | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Respondents who select Yes in Q6.11 will be shown this question.

Q6.15 Was a report about the incident officially filed with the Office of Equal Opportunity (OEO)?

- Yes, I filed a report
- Yes, someone else filed a report on my behalf
- No
- I'm not sure

Respondents who select Yes, I filed a report or Yes, someone else filed a report on my behalf in Q6.14 will be shown this question.

Q6.16 Did you authorize OEO to take action in your case (i.e., filing a disciplinary complaint, investigation, or other inquiry)?

- Yes
- No

Respondents who select Yes in Q6.16 will be shown this question.

Q6.17 Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements.

| | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| I felt respected during the formal complaint process. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I felt listened to/heard during the formal process. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I felt supported during the formal process. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I felt the staff members were well trained in the formal process. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I was satisfied with the outcome of the formal process. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

Respondents who select Yes, I filed a report or Yes, someone else filed a report on my behalf in Q6.15 will be shown this question.

Q6.18 Did you request interim measures or other supports? Please indicate if you requested and if you received each of the following:

| | I requested... | I received... | Not Applicable |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| ...housing accommodations | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| ...academic accommodations | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| ...information about financial aid | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| ...information about immigration | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| ...schedule accommodations | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| ...stay-away orders | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| ...no-contact orders | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| ...no-trespass orders | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| ...other, please specify: | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Q6.19 Did your identity/identities impact whether or not you chose to share your experience with someone, file an official report, or seek out resources?

- No
- Yes, my sex
- Yes, my gender identity
- Yes, my gender expression
- Yes, my racial identity
- Yes, my sexual identity
- Yes, my citizenship status
- Yes, my age
- Yes, other:_____

Q6.20 Did the identity/identities of the perpetrator(s) impact whether or not you chose share your experience with someone, to file an official report, or seek out resources?

- No
- Yes, their sex
- Yes, their gender identity
- Yes, their gender expression
- Yes, their racial identity
- Yes, their sexual identity
- Yes, their citizenship status
- Yes, their age
- Yes, other:_____

Respondents who select any option other than “No” in Q6.19 or Q6.20 will be shown this question.

Q6.21 Please describe the way in which this identity/these identities impacted your decision:

Q6.22 Is there anything else you wish to share about this particular incident? If so, please use the box below to do so.

If you wish to speak directly to someone, please visit the [Sexual Misconduct Resources page](#) for a list of individuals, offices, or agencies who can help.

Students who have experienced non-consensual sexual intercourse/penetration since becoming a Tufts student will see this prompt:

Q6.23 Other than the incident you shared with us, did you experience any other incidents of non-consensual sexual intercourse or penetration while a student at Tufts? These additional incidents may have occurred before or after the one you've told us about.

- Yes
- No

Respondents who select Yes in Q6.23 will be shown Q6.24 and Q6.25.

Q6.24 How many times have you experienced non-consensual sexual intercourse/penetration while at Tufts?

- (Please select)
- One other time
- Two other times
- Three other times
- Four other times
- Five other times
- Six other times
- Seven other times
- Eight other times
- Nine other times
- Ten or more other times

Q6.25 Is there anything information you wish to provide about the other experience(s) you had? If so, please use the box below to do so.

If you wish to speak directly to someone, please visit the Sexual Misconduct Resources page for a list of individuals, offices, or agencies who can help.

Students who have experienced non-consensual sexual contact/activity since becoming a Tufts student will see this prompt:

Q6.26 Other than the incident you shared with us, did you experience any other incidents of non-consensual sexual contact or activity while a student at Tufts? These additional incidents may have occurred before or after the one you've told us about.

- Yes
- No

Respondents who select Yes in Q6.26 will be shown Q6.27 and Q6.28.

Q6.27 How many times have you experienced non-consensual sexual intercourse/penetration while at Tufts?

- (Please select)
- One other time
- Two other times
- Three other times
- Four other times
- Five other times
- Six other times
- Seven other times
- Eight other times
- Nine other times
- Ten or more other times

Q6.28 Is there anything information you wish to provide about the other experience(s) you had? If so, please use the box below to do so.

If you wish to speak directly to someone, please visit the Sexual Misconduct Resources page for a list of individuals, offices, or agencies who can help.

Respondents who have answered Q6.1-Q6.28 will then skip to Q8.1.

Q7.1 In these scenarios, how often do you do any of the following? Please note: There is no right answer; these questions aim to establish a baseline of what Tufts students do and do not do. If you haven't encountered a situation where you might do this, please check "no, situation has not arisen."

| | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Never | No, situation has not arisen |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| When at a party, I make sure to leave with the same people I came with. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| After being at a party, bar, or other social event, I walk home friends who have had too much to drink. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| When I see someone drunk at a party, bar, or other social event, I talk to that person's friends to make sure they don't leave him/her behind. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I speak up against sexist jokes. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I try to distract people who attempt to take a drunk person to another room or who try to get them to do something sexual. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| When I see someone I don't know who has had too much to drink or is out of it, I ask them if they need to be walked home. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

Q7.2 Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with the following statements:

| | I AGREE with this statement. | I DISAGREE with this statement. | I am NOT SURE if I agree or disagree with this statement. |
|--|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| Rape and sexual assault happen because people put themselves in bad situations. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Rape and sexual assault happen because people can get carried away in sexual situations once they've started. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Rape and sexual assault can happen unintentionally, especially if alcohol is involved. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| A person who is raped or sexually assaulted while they are drunk is at least somewhat responsible for putting themselves in that position. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| An incident can only be rape or sexual assault if the person says "no". | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| It is not necessary to get consent before sexual activity if you are in a relationship with that person. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I am confident in my ability to judge if someone is too intoxicated to give consent to sexual activity. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Many people who claim they were raped agreed to have sex and then regretted it afterwards. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| People who commit rape or sexual assault know they have done so. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| When someone is raped or sexually assaulted, it's often because the way they said "no" was unclear or there was some miscommunication. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Men can be raped or sexually assaulted. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Most people who are raped know the person who raped them. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| It is important to get consent before sexual activity. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

Q7.3 Please indicate whether you think MOST Tufts students would agree or disagree with the following statements:

| | MOST Tufts students would AGREE with this statement. | MOST Tufts students would DISAGREE with this statement. |
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| Rape and sexual assault happen because people put themselves in bad situations. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Rape and sexual assault happen because people can get carried away in sexual situations once they've started. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Rape and sexual assault can happen unintentionally, especially if alcohol is involved. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| A person who is raped or sexually assaulted while they are drunk is at least somewhat responsible for putting themselves in that position. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| An incident can only be rape or sexual assault if the person says "no". | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| It is not necessary to get consent before sexual activity if you are in a relationship with that person. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I am confident in my ability to judge if someone is too intoxicated to give consent to sexual activity. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Many people who claim they were raped agreed to have sex and then regretted it afterwards. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| People who commit rape or sexual assault know they have done so. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| When someone is raped or sexually assaulted, it's often because the way they said "no" was unclear or there was some miscommunication. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Men can be raped or sexually assaulted. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| It is important to get consent before sexual activity. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

Q7.4 Do you think MOST Tufts students would:

| | Yes | No |
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| Confront people who make inappropriate or negative sexual comments and gestures? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Report other students who continue to engage in sexual harassing or unwanted sexual behaviors after having been previously confronted? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Report other students who use force or pressure to engage in sexual contact? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Allow personal loyalties to affect reporting of sexual assault? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Choose not to report sexual assault out of concern they or others will be punished for infractions, such as underage drinking? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Be interviewed as or serve as a witness in a sexual assault case if they knew relevant information? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

Q7.5 Since the start of the current academic year, have you had a friend or acquaintance tell you that they were the victim of an unwanted sexual experience?

- No
- Yes, one person
- Yes, 2-5 people
- Yes, 6-10 people
- Yes, more than 10 people

Q7.6 Since the start of the current academic year, have you observed inappropriate nonconsensual sexual behavior that concerned you?

- Yes
- No

Respondents who select Yes in Q7.6 will be shown this question.

Q7.7 Did you respond to this situation? Why or why not?

Q8.1 Do you have any suggestions for how Tufts could do a better job educating students about sexual misconduct?

Q8.2 Do you have any suggestions for how to prevent sexual misconduct at Tufts?

Please click the button to below to submit your response.

After survey is submitted, this page appears:

Thank you for participating in this survey.

If you would like to talk to someone about sexual misconduct at Tufts University, please visit our Sexual Misconduct Information Page. This website contains information about how to get help after an incident of sexual misconduct, Tufts policies and procedures, how to support your peers and raise awareness, and links to resources at Tufts and beyond. You can also schedule an appointment to talk to Nandi Bynoe, Tufts' Sexual Misconduct Resource Specialist, using this link.