



SEXUAL ASSAULT AWARENESS MONTH

Office of Title IX and Sexual Misconduct Prevention and Response

During the months of March and April, Duquesne University is sponsoring activities to raise awareness about preventing sexual violence. Learn how **YOU** can play a role in creating a safer campus!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MARCH 29, 2022

LEARN YOUR RESOURCES – GET TO KNOW YOUR TITLE IX TEAM

11 a.m. – 1 p.m. | 3rd Floor Union

Meet your Title IX Coordinator and Deputy Title IX Coordinators!

Stop by to ask questions, share a message of support for survivors, and pick up your teal ribbon/ Title IX swag!

MARCH 30, 2022

RESPONSIBLE EMPLOYEE REFRESHER

10 – 11 a.m. | Virtual

A refresher course for all employees on what it means to be a Responsible Employee and your reporting requirements.

Virtual meeting information will be provided via email to all employees.

APRIL 5, 2022

SAAM DAY OF ACTION – TEAL TUESDAY!

**11 a.m. – 1 p.m. | Academic Walk
Rain location 3rd Floor Union**

Show your support for awareness and prevention of sexual violence by wearing teal today! Pick up your teal “swag” at the Title IX table.

APRIL 6, 2022

PB&J WEDNESDAY

12 – 1 p.m. | Commuter Lounge

Come meet your Title IX team as they prepare and serve lunch in the Commuter Lounge!

APRIL 10, 2022

WOMEN’S LACROSSE 5TH ANNUAL TEAL GAME

2 p.m. | Rooney Field

Come cheer on the women’s lacrosse team against La Salle! The team will wear their “It’s On Us” t-shirts during the pre-game warm-up to draw attention to sexual violence and to support survivors of sexual assault.

APRIL 11, 2022

COFFEE, COLORING, AND CONSENT

10 a.m. – 12 p.m. | 3rd Floor Union

Color a message of support for consent and survivors while sharing a coffee with friends.

APRIL 12, 2022

RESTORATIVE YOGA

7 p.m. | Location: TBD

Join Pittsburgh Action Against Rape (PAAR) and Students Against Sexual Violence (SASV) for some restorative yoga to help combat end of semester stress. The yoga experience focused on gentle movements, body awareness, and listening to our needs.

APRIL 19, 2022

HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS AND COMMUNICATION WORKSHOP

7 – 8 p.m. | Location: 105 College Hall

Join the Title IX Coordinator and staff from Counseling Services for a relaxed, interactive discussion about healthy relationships and supporting peers who might be experiencing abuse within a relationship.

Refreshments will be provided.

APRIL 20, 2022

PAAR & TITLE IX EMPLOYEE WEBINAR: SUPPORTING SURVIVORS

10 a.m. – 12 p.m. | Virtual

Join Pittsburgh Action Against Rape for a training on how to better support survivors of sexual violence on your campus and in your classrooms. This event is open to all employees.

Virtual meeting information will be provided via email to all employees.

APRIL 26, 2022

TIE-DYE YOUR TEAL

12 – 2 p.m. | Mellon Patio

Show your support for SAAM by tie-dyeing a shirt in the color teal! T-shirts and all tie-dye materials provided free of charge, while supplies last.

APRIL 28, 2022

LET’S TALK ABOUT IT: A CONVERSATION ABOUT BARRIERS TO REPORTING SEXUAL MISCONDUCT

5 p.m. | Location: Towers MPR

Join Dr. Anthony Kane, Director of Diversity and Inclusion and the Title IX Coordinator for a student-driven, constructive conversation focused on identifying the barriers of reporting sexual assault and ideas for reducing or eliminating those obstacles.

Refreshments will be provided.



duq.edu/titleix/saam



Scan for more details on all SAAM events

THROUGHOUT APRIL

TURN THE CAMPUS TEAL

Teal is nationally recognized as the awareness color for Sexual Assault Awareness Month. Duquesne’s campus fountain will be colored teal in support of Sexual Assault Awareness Month. Show your support for survivors and to end sexual violence by:

- Wearing teal – pick up your teal ribbon on March 29th or April 5th
- Changing your Zoom background
- Writing a message of support for survivors
- Taking the Pledge at It’s On Us (www.itsonus.org)

COMFORT CLOTHING DRIVE

Donate new comfort clothing items (i.e. sweats) for survivors of sexual assault whose clothing may be taken as evidence while at the hospital. Donations may be brought to the Women’s Lacrosse Teal Game on April 10th at 2 pm. Please contact Sherene Brantley at lemoniass@duq.edu for additional clothing drop-off times and locations.

#30DAYSOFSAAMCHALLENGE

Get involved in Sexual Assault Awareness Month this April on Instagram. Daily prompts encourage creative ways for you to raise awareness, educate, and connect with others – plus you have a chance to win prizes every day you participate.

Daily activities, instructions, and prize information can be found at nsvrc.org/saam.

PAAR’S WELLNESS SERIES

Throughout April, Pittsburgh Action Against Rape is hosting several wellness events, including Zen Painting, Energy Healing online workshop, SETpoint Self-Defense Workshop, Purrrfectly Relaxing Raja Yoga, and Tea for Wellness.

Additional details and sign-up information can be found at paar.net/calendar.

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