



Dear Members of the Northeastern community,

This year marks the 46th anniversary of Title IX, the landmark legislation passed by Congress that prevents discrimination on the basis of sex and gender and protects every student's right to learn in a safe environment. Northeastern takes its responsibilities under Title IX very seriously. With this in mind, I write to share the results of the university's fourth annual campus climate survey, administered during the Spring 2018 semester. This voluntary, confidential effort allows us to gauge students' experience with sexual violence on campus. It also helps shine a light on areas where the university can perform better with respect to its education and prevention programs, and coordination of resources for survivors.

By sharing these results, we seek to raise the community's awareness about the continued importance of our work in this area. Unique about this year's study is that all full-time undergraduate, graduate and law students were invited to participate. Instead of random samples as in previous years, we wanted every student to have the opportunity to have their voices heard. In all, we had a participation rate of 23.5 percent. We remain encouraged by this strong representation of the student community.

We added questions in the climate survey regarding domestic violence, sexual harassment, and stalking in addition to sexual assault. We also provided explicit definitions for each of these prohibited offenses in an effort to give students as much clarity in answering the questions. This is important because it allows us to get a fuller picture of what is happening, and captures experiences that may have been missed on previous surveys. We are committed to tracking trends and using the data to inform our prevention and education services.

For the fourth year in a row, we saw a very high level of Northeastern students expressing that they feel safe on campus (93.6 percent). There were also increases in both the percentage of students reporting knowledge of the Title IX policy's definition of consent (87.7 percent), and those who know where to go to get help if they or a friend experienced sexual violence (78.4 percent). This progress is encouraging.

Among other encouraging signs was a 20 percentage point drop in the number of students who heard jokes about sexual violence or demeaning comments about another person's physique or attractiveness. A growing number of students (91.3 percent) agreed or strongly agreed that Northeastern students would support a person reporting sexual violence, while 81.5 percent—the highest level of all four

years—disagreed or strongly disagreed that students would ostracize or stigmatize the person reporting sexual violence.

Despite this progress, there is always room for improvement. For example, 20.9 percent of the respondents reported being sexually touched without their consent since they've been at Northeastern, representing an increase from past years' surveys. However, we have not seen these increases for attempted and completed sexual penetration without consent. Rates have remained relatively similar over the past three years. While any levels of victimization are too high, there are a variety of ways that we are examining this trend. As we changed the way we asked questions about prohibited conduct this year, it is possible that the increased clarity in the questions more accurately captured student experience. We are also hopeful that increased national concern and attention to this issue may lead to increased willingness to identify and report inappropriate behavior. We rely on the annual climate survey data to evaluate the culture surrounding sexual violence and inform our evidence-based educational opportunities that are focused on prevention as well as supporting affected students.

Second, we saw a decrease in the percentage of students who said they knew about each of the explicit rights and resources for Northeastern students who experience sexual violence – such as counseling, medical care, or alternative housing -- demonstrating continued need for work to increase awareness of on-campus support and resources.

We continue to explore and experiment with ways to reach students throughout the academic year as well as their entire time at Northeastern. To that end, below are some additional steps we've taken in the last year as part of our continued focus on this issue:

Student Education

In addition to the existing efforts to share both policy and education on this topic at all new student orientation programs, the Office of Prevention and Education at Northeastern (OPEN) and the Office for University Equity and Compliance (OU EC) provided consent education at all international student orientation sessions.

We are excited to announce an official brand for Northeastern's bystander intervention program. "Up2Us" aims to prevent sexual violence in our community. Developed by OPEN in 2016, the program has continued to reach more students every year. The workshop teaches about healthy consent, proactive intervention, resource options and how to support survivors. In 2017-2018, OPEN completed bystander intervention programs with nearly 3,000 Northeastern students, including presentations with N.U./n students during Pre-departure Orientation, first-year students in First-Year Seminars, and athletes on varsity athletic teams.

This year's climate survey is one tool that helps us look at the effectiveness of the program. We compared students who received the program with those who had not and found a variety of positive outcomes. Students who received the program obtained greater knowledge of Northeastern's definition of consent, a greater knowledge in campus resources, better understanding of ways to support those affected by sexual violence, and greater feeling of responsibility and intention to intervene in situations that could escalate to violence.

All incoming students, including graduate students, are required to complete an online and interactive interpersonal violence prevention program. This video-based program provides critical information about consent, bystander intervention, sexual assault, dating and domestic violence, stalking, sexual harassment, and much more.

Resources and support

The Sexual Violence Resource Center (formerly the ViSION Resource Center), located at 106 St. Stephen Street, continues to serve as a confidential entry point for survivors of sexual violence. OPEN staff at the center help to connect survivors with information about on- and off-campus resources and reporting options. Since the fall of 2016, the resource center has seen increased visibility and utilization. The university's WeCare team is also available to provide academic and personal support.

The university provides sexual violence survivors with a number of on-campus and off-campus resources to facilitate access to immediate confidential medical care and counseling services, and incident reporting. Information on services and resources of campus and community partners targeting sexual violence, stalking, sexual harassment, and dating violence, can be found on the [OPEN page](#).

With the goal of making more services more accessible, University Health and Counseling Services (UHCS), in conjunction with the Office of Prevention and Education at Northeastern (OPEN), continues to provide a psychoeducational support group, *HEAL*, for survivors of sexual violence. OPEN also hosts a variety of self-care programs including sessions on grounding exercises, trauma sensitive yoga, and healing through the arts.

Title IX policy

We have continued to update the Title IX policy to reflect best practices in the field. See the full policy here: https://www.northeastern.edu/policies/pdfs/Title_IX_Policy.pdf Sexual violence is not tolerated at Northeastern. Incidents of sexual violence should be reported to the Northeastern University Police Department (NUPD) or the Office of University Equity and Compliance (OUEC).

Full Results, Next survey

The full results from this year's survey may be viewed below. Our fifth annual Campus Climate Survey is slated to go live later this month.

Lastly, as you may know, the U.S. Department of Education sought public comment about proposed new Title IX rules. Northeastern joined many of its peer universities in expressing concern with proposed changes that would alter definitions of prohibited sexual conduct and may disincentivize reporting. I want to assure you that the university remains steadfast in its commitment to maintaining a safe learning environment for all, and one in which victims of sexual violence always have access to vital resources and support.

Thank you for your continued participation in the survey and collaboration on these issues. Please do not hesitate to contact me at any time with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Madeleine Estabrook". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name being the most prominent.

Madeleine Estabrook

Senior Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs

Northeastern University 2017-2018 Campus Climate Survey

Q1. What is your student level?

Percent

71.14%	Undergraduate
26.11%	Graduate
2.75%	Law

Q2. What is your class year?

Percent

19.63%	First Year
22.72%	Second Year
22.10%	Third Year
22.08%	Fourth Year
13.02%	Fifth Year
0.27%	Sixth Year or beyond
0.18%	Not classified by year

Q3. In which college is your primary major?

Percent

7.82%	College of Arts, Media and Design
16.91%	D'Amore-McKim School of Business
7.16%	College of Computer and Information Science
23.20%	College of Engineering
11.26%	Bouve College of Health Sciences
0.02%	College of Professional Studies
12.77%	College of Social Sciences and Humanities
0.00%	School of Law
1.28%	University Programs (Explore program, undeclared and general studies)
19.58%	College of Science

Q4. What is your gender?

Percent

41.60%	Man
56.81%	Woman
0.78%	Prefer to specify:
0.81%	I prefer not to respond

Q5. Do you identify as transgender or gender non-conforming?

Percent

1.48%	Yes
97.22%	No
1.30%	I prefer not to respond

Q6. Please describe where you lived during the fall of 2017:

Percent

41.09%	University housing
48.70%	Off-campus, within Boston metro area
8.21%	Off-campus, outside Boston metro area but within the United States
2.00%	Off-campus, outside United States

Q7. In which programs/activities have you been involved at Northeastern? (Check all that apply)

Respondent %	Response %	
44.46%	11.82%	Club or intramural sports
33.50%	8.91%	Community service/service-learning
59.34%	15.78%	Co-op
49.43%	13.14%	Event attendance
14.46%	3.85%	Greek-letter organization
12.88%	3.43%	Honor society
15.56%	4.14%	Leadership or mentoring program
8.49%	2.26%	NUin
10.91%	2.90%	Multicultural organization
36.96%	9.83%	On-campus employment
1.26%	0.33%	Orientation leader
8.42%	2.24%	Performing arts
7.50%	1.99%	Political activism
8.65%	2.30%	Religious or spiritual group
18.75%	4.99%	Research with faculty
2.87%	0.76%	Residential life (Resident Assistant)
2.73%	0.73%	Residential life (Security, desk attendant)
6.39%	1.70%	Student Government (SGA, RSA, GSG)
4.00%	1.06%	Student media (yearbook, newspaper, radio)
14.18%	3.77%	Study abroad (not NUin)
4.16%	1.11%	Student Ambassador
2.31%	0.62%	Varsity Athletics
8.88%	2.36%	Other student club:

Q8. Which term best describes your sexual orientation?

Percent	
2.63%	Asexual
7.29%	Bisexual
2.53%	Gay
1.18%	Lesbian
1.33%	Pansexual
1.34%	Queer
2.00%	Questioning/I don't know
79.87%	Straight/Heterosexual
0.31%	Other (please specify)
1.51%	I prefer not to respond

Q9. Are you an international student or foreign national?

Percent	
22.47%	Yes
77.53%	No

Q10. In the past year, have you taken an on-ground course on the Boston Campus of Northeastern University?

Percent	
88.38%	Yes
11.62%	No

Q11. Where have you received information regarding sexual violence prevention or resources at Northeastern? (Check all the apply)

Respondent %	Response %	
38.08%	8.80%	Presentations/programs outside of Orientation
64.42%	14.88%	Orientation presentations/programs
38.05%	8.79%	Electronic screens/posters
25.66%	5.93%	Handouts
23.14%	5.34%	Tables around campus
29.01%	6.70%	Awareness weeks
23.59%	5.45%	Social media from Northeastern offices
21.73%	5.02%	Social media from other Northeastern students/student groups
8.42%	1.94%	In-person conversations with Northeastern staff member(s)
16.26%	3.75%	In-person conversations with Northeastern student(s)
18.02%	4.16%	University Health and Counseling Services (UHCS)
31.49%	7.27%	Residence Halls
21.38%	4.94%	Northeastern websites
6.07%	1.40%	Northeastern University Police Department (NUPD) waiting area
11.23%	2.59%	Office of Prevention and Education at Northeastern (OPEN)
8.02%	1.85%	Office of Student Conduct and Conflict Resolution (OSSCR)
2.78%	0.64%	Office of the Vice President of Student Affairs
24.99%	5.77%	Title IX/Office of University Equity and Compliance (OUEC)
6.16%	1.42%	Violence Support, Intervention and Outreach Network (ViSION)
4.69%	1.08%	Other (please specify)
9.82%	2.27%	I do not recall receiving information about sexual violence prevention or resources at Northeastern

Q12. Have you ever participated in a bystander intervention program about sexual violence while at Northeastern?

Percent	
1.36%	Yes, during Spring 2018 semester
6.58%	Yes, during Fall 2017 semester
0.45%	Yes, during Summer 2017 session
0.93%	Yes, during Spring 2017 semester
2.57%	Yes, during Fall 2016 semester
1.88%	Yes, prior to Fall 2016 semester
86.24%	No

Q13. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statement:

If a friend or I were to be a victim of sexual violence, I know where to go to get help.

Percent	
4.30%	Strongly disagree
17.35%	Disagree
58.05%	Agree
20.31%	Strongly agree

Q14. Did you know that Northeastern students who experience sexual violence could receive counseling and medical care?

Percent	
77.93%	Yes
22.07%	No

Q15. Did you know that Northeastern students who experience sexual violence could have an OSCCR no-contact order issued against the alleged perpetrator?

Percent

54.84% Yes

45.16% No

Q16. Did you know that Northeastern students who experience sexual violence could seek disciplinary action through OSCCR?

Percent

69.95% Yes

30.05% No

Q17. Did you know that Northeastern students who experience sexual violence could seek a judicial order/restraining order?

Percent

78.07% Yes

21.93% No

Q18. Did you know that Northeastern students who experience sexual violence could get alternative housing arrangements?

Percent

55.35% Yes

44.65% No

Q19. Did you know that Northeastern students who experience sexual violence could change class sections or other sections?

Percent

53.85% Yes

46.15% No

Q20. Did you know that Northeastern students who experience sexual violence could report the incident without facing disciplinary action for other conduct violations such as alcohol or drug use?

Percent

64.06% Yes

35.94% No

Q21. Did you know that the Title IX Policy's definition of consent is the following?

Consent means a voluntary, affirmative agreement to engage in sexual activity proposed by another; it requires mutually understandable and communicated words and/or actions that would demonstrate to a reasonable person agreement by both parties to participate in sexual activity.

Sexual activity requires Consent from all involved parties. Consent must be freely given, without physical force, threats, intimidating behavior, duress, or coercion. Silence, a lack of resistance, previous sexual relationships or experiences and/or a current relationship may not, in itself, constitute Consent. The initiator, or the person who wants to engage in the specific sexual activity, must obtain Consent from the partner(s) for each sexual act. Each participant may be an initiator at different points of sexual activity. If confusion or ambiguity arises during sexual activity, participants are encouraged to stop and clarify a mutual willingness to continue that activity.

A person's initiation of a sexual act constitutes Consent to that act, but not necessarily to subsequent acts. Consent to sexual activity may be withdrawn at any time and the withdrawal must be communicated in mutually understandable words and/or actions; if so, sexual activity must cease immediately. Consent may never be given by minors (in Massachusetts, minors are those not yet 16 years of age), mentally disabled persons, or those who are incapacitated as a result of intoxication by alcohol or other drug consumption (voluntary or involuntary), or those who are unconscious, unaware, or otherwise physically helpless.

Engaging in sexual activity while under the influence of alcohol or drugs may create ambiguity for either party as to whether Consent has been sought or given. A person who has consumed alcohol and/or drugs still has a responsibility to obtain Consent for any sexual activity with another person(s). Being impaired by alcohol or other drugs is no defense to any violation of this Policy.

Percent

87.71%	Yes
12.29%	No

Q22. Since you've been at Northeastern, were you sexually touched without your consent?

Sexual touching includes kissing, touching someone's breast, chest, crotch, groin or buttocks, grabbing, groping or rubbing against the other in a sexual way, even if the touching is over the others clothes.

Percent

20.86%	Yes
74.52%	No
3.32%	I don't know
1.31%	I prefer not to answer

Q23. Since you've been at Northeastern, was sexual penetration or oral sex attempted without your consent?

Sexual penetration is defined as when one person puts a penis, finger, or object inside someone else's vagina and or anus. Oral sex is defined as when someone's mouth or tongue makes contact with someone else's genitals or anus.

Percent

7.34%	Yes
90.57%	No
0.92%	I don't know
1.17%	I prefer not to answer

Q24. Since you've been at Northeastern, did you experience sexual penetration or oral sex without your consent?

Sexual penetration is defined as when one person puts a penis, finger, or object inside someone else's vagina and or anus. Oral sex is defined as when someone's mouth or tongue makes contact with someone else's genitals or anus.

Percent

4.87%	Yes
92.87%	No
1.07%	I don't know
1.18%	I prefer not to answer

Q25. At the time of the event(s), which best describes your status? Please select all that apply.

Respondent %	Response %	
84.63%	68.12%	Taking classes on-campus
18.67%	15.02%	Participating in co-op
4.39%	3.54%	Studying abroad outside US - during NUin Program
5.32%	4.28%	Studying abroad outside US - not during NUin Program
8.87%	7.14%	During holidays or break
1.10%	0.88%	On leave of absence
1.27%	1.02%	Other:

Q26. Which best describes the physical location(s) where the event(s) occurred? Please select all that apply.

Respondent %	Response %	
30.81%	21.65%	University housing
5.01%	3.52%	Other on-campus building
48.47%	34.05%	Off-campus residence
29.88%	20.99%	Bar/restaurant/club
8.49%	5.96%	At social event affiliated with another University
5.43%	3.82%	In hometown
0.93%	0.66%	At co-op site
1.02%	0.72%	At workplace (not on co-op)
7.64%	5.37%	Outdoor or recreational space
4.67%	3.28%	Other:

Q27. Since you've been at Northeastern, have you experienced stalking?

Stalking is defined in the Title IX Policy as a "willful and/or malicious pattern of conduct or series of acts directed at a specific person which seriously alarms or annoys that person and would cause a reasonable person to fear bodily injury or to suffer substantial emotional distress."

Examples include someone making you fear for your personal safety by persistently:

- Posting messages, pictures, or video on social networking sites
- Making unwanted phone calls, emails, voice, text or instant messages
- Showing up somewhere you did not want that person to be

Percent

5.63%	Yes
90.82%	No
2.93%	I don't know
0.62%	I prefer not to answer

Q28. Since you've been at Northeastern, have you experienced domestic or intimate partner violence?

Domestic violence is defined in the Title IX Policy as "the intentional infliction of physical, sexual, or psychological harm on a current or former partner or spouse."

Examples include a sexual or romantic partner:

- Physically harming or threatening to physically harm you or someone you love
- Threatening to hurt themselves if you do not do as they say
- Threatening to "out" you to others
- Preventing you from attending classes
- Preventing you from speaking with friends and family
- Making decisions for you such as where you go or what you wear or eat

Percent

3.25%	Yes
95.23%	No
0.83%	I don't know
0.69%	I prefer not to answer

Q29. Since you've been at Northeastern, have you experienced sexual harassment?

Sexual harassment is defined in the Title IX Policy as "any unwanted or offensive sexual behavior that has the purpose or effect of creating a hostile living, learning, or working environment, or whenever toleration of such conduct or the rejection of it is the basis for a personal or academic decision affecting the individual. Sexual harassment may be found in a single episode, as well as in persistent behavior."

Examples include:

- Saying crude or gross sexual jokes, comments, or stories to you
- Trying to get you to talk about sexual matters when you don't want to
- Sending you offensive sexual remarks, jokes, stories, pictures, or videos that you didn't want
- Making crude or offensive comments about your or someone else's body, appearance, or sexual activity

Percent

20.80%	Yes
75.15%	No
3.21%	I don't know
0.83%	I prefer not to answer

Q30. What best describes where the sexual harassment occurred? Please select all that apply.

Respondent %	Response %	
30.57%	12.65%	University housing
25.73%	10.64%	Other on-campus building
34.10%	14.10%	Off-campus residence
42.11%	17.42%	Bar/restaurant/club
10.48%	4.34%	At social event affiliated with another University
12.95%	5.36%	In hometown
12.42%	5.14%	At co-op site
9.96%	4.12%	At workplace (not on co-op)
36.74%	15.20%	Outdoor or recreational space
20.62%	8.53%	Through electronic means
6.08%	2.51%	Other:

Q31. Have you ever contacted any of the following on-campus resources for support about the experiences you indicated in the previous questions in this section? Please select all that apply.

Respondent %	Response %	
5.75%	4.88%	Northeastern University Police Department (NUPD)
1.60%	1.36%	Academic Advisor
4.65%	3.94%	Title IX/Office of University Equity and Compliance
5.09%	4.32%	University Health and Counseling Services (UHCS)
0.77%	0.66%	ViSION Resource Center (VRC)
2.99%	2.53%	WeCare
0.55%	0.47%	Athletic Coach
1.99%	1.69%	Faculty Member
1.22%	1.03%	Co-op advisor
0.06%	0.05%	Office of the Vice President of Student Affairs
1.94%	1.64%	Office of Student Conduct and Conflict Resolution (OSSCR)
0.55%	0.47%	Spiritual Advisor
0.22%	0.19%	Cultural Center Staff
0.39%	0.33%	Office of Global Services (OGS)
0.33%	0.28%	Center for Student Involvement (CSI)
0.17%	0.14%	Student Athlete Support Services
2.43%	2.06%	Residential Life Staff/RAs/RDs
1.11%	0.94%	Other (please specify)
86.06%	73.02%	I did not reach out to on-campus resources about the event(s) I experienced

Q32. Did you ever report your experiences of nonconsensual sexual experiences, stalking, domestic violence, and/or sexual harassment to the Northeastern University Police Department (NUPD) or Office for University Equity and Compliance (OUEC/Title IX) for investigation?

Percent	
5.02%	Yes, I directly reported to NUPD/Title IX
2.64%	I spoke with a Northeastern employee who filed a Title IX report.
0.65%	I directly reported to law enforcement outside of NUPD
91.69%	No, I never contacted law enforcement or Title IX, directly or indirectly

Q33. What were your reasons for not making a report to NUPD or Title IX (OUEC)? Please select all that apply.

Respondent %	Response %	
41.40%	13.43%	It was a private matter that I wanted to deal with it on my own
8.09%	2.62%	I thought I would be blamed for what happened
9.89%	3.21%	I didn't know reporting procedure on campus
13.24%	4.30%	I felt embarrassed, ashamed or that it would be too emotionally difficult
7.25%	2.35%	I did not think anyone would believe me
59.50%	19.30%	I did not think it was serious or it wasn't clear harm was intended
12.82%	4.16%	I did not want the person to get into trouble
14.50%	4.70%	I feared negative social consequences
28.22%	9.15%	I did not think anything would be done
12.94%	4.20%	I feared it would not be kept confidential
16.42%	5.33%	I thought the university could not do anything because the person who did it was not affiliated with Northeastern or I was away from campus at the time
3.48%	1.13%	I thought the university would not understand an aspect of my culture/identity relevant to the incident(s)
23.43%	7.60%	I didn't have time to deal with it due to academics, work, etc.
4.79%	1.55%	I was afraid I would be punished for infractions, such as underage drinking
20.25%	6.57%	I wanted to forget it happened
4.43%	1.44%	Where I come from, these things aren't talked about
16.00%	5.19%	I didn't want others to worry about me
11.62%	3.77%	Other (please specify)

Q34. In the event that you encounter sexual assault, harassment, stalking, and/or domestic or intimate partner violence, please indicate your likelihood of using campus services:

Percent	
23.61%	Very likely
51.10%	Likely
20.69%	Unlikely
4.60%	Very unlikely

Q35. Going forward, which on-campus resource(s) would you most likely utilize to discuss an incident of sexual violence? Please check all that apply.

Respondent %	Response %	
58.04%	22.96%	Northeastern University Police Department (NUPD)
10.22%	4.04%	Academic Advisor
41.13%	16.27%	Title IX/Office of University Equity and Compliance (OUEC)
41.13%	16.27%	University Health and Counseling Services (UHCS)
8.91%	3.53%	ViSION Resource Center (VRC)
9.06%	3.58%	WeCare
1.16%	0.46%	Athletic Coach
8.58%	3.39%	Faculty Member
6.25%	2.47%	Co-op advisor
1.37%	0.54%	Office of the Vice President of Student Affairs
23.44%	9.27%	Office of Student Conduct and Conflict Resolution (OSSCR)
4.23%	1.67%	Spiritual Advisor
1.40%	0.56%	Cultural Center Staff
1.24%	0.49%	Center for Student Involvement (CSI)
0.72%	0.29%	Student Athlete Support Services
13.64%	5.40%	Residential Life Staff/RAs/RDs
1.66%	0.66%	Other on-campus resource (please specify)
4.23%	1.67%	I do not know where to go on-campus to discuss an incident
16.32%	6.46%	I am not likely to utilize any on-campus resources

Q36. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statement:

I have confidence that the University addresses reports of sexual violence fairly.

Percent

10.12%	Strongly disagree
25.07%	Disagree
52.11%	Agree
12.69%	Strongly agree

Q37. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements:

If someone were to report an instance of sexual violence on campus... - The University would take the report seriously

Percent

4.05%	Strongly disagree
14.08%	Disagree
52.56%	Agree
29.30%	Strongly agree

Q38. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements:

If someone were to report an instance of sexual violence on campus... - The University would limit the disclosure of information to those who need to know

Percent

3.37%	Strongly disagree
8.90%	Disagree
53.38%	Agree
34.35%	Strongly agree

Q39. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements:

If someone were to report an instance of sexual violence on campus... - The University would take steps to protect the safety of the person making the report

Percent

4.57%	Strongly disagree
15.44%	Disagree
52.10%	Agree
27.89%	Strongly agree

Q40. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements:

If someone were to report an instance of sexual violence on campus... - The University would take corrective action against the offender

Percent

9.90%	Strongly disagree
26.56%	Disagree
43.08%	Agree
20.46%	Strongly agree

Q41. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements:

If someone were to report an instance of sexual violence on campus... - The University would take steps to protect the person making the report from retaliation

Percent	
5.61%	Strongly disagree
20.21%	Disagree
51.83%	Agree
22.35%	Strongly agree

Q42. The following questions ask how you and other Northeastern students would react in certain social situations.

Please indicate how likely you or others are to intervene. "Intervene" means you would take action to address the situation by getting involved directly or seeking help from another person. - How likely are you personally to intervene if you saw someone crossing sexual boundaries without the other person's consent?

Percent	
0.90%	Very unlikely
8.03%	Unlikely
51.03%	Likely
40.03%	Very likely

Q43. The following questions ask how you and other Northeastern students would react in certain social situations.

Please indicate how likely you or others are to intervene. "Intervene" means you would take action to address the situation by getting involved directly or seeking help from another person. - In your opinion, how likely are most Northeastern students to intervene if they saw someone crossing sexual boundaries without the other person's consent?

Percent	
3.66%	Very unlikely
37.34%	Unlikely
51.42%	Likely
7.58%	Very likely

Q44. The following questions ask how you and other Northeastern students would react in certain social situations.

Please indicate how likely you or others are to intervene. "Intervene" means you would take action to address the situation by getting involved directly or seeking help from another person. - How likely are you personally to intervene if you heard someone saying that it is okay to have sex with someone who is passed out or incapacitated from drugs or alcohol?

Percent	
1.50%	Very unlikely
6.97%	Unlikely
29.97%	Likely
61.56%	Very likely

Q45. The following questions ask how you and other Northeastern students would react in certain social situations.

Please indicate how likely you or others are to intervene. "Intervene" means you would take action to address the situation by getting involved directly or seeking help from another person. - In your opinion, how likely are most Northeastern students to intervene if they heard someone saying that it is okay to have sex with someone who is passed out or incapacitated from drugs or alcohol?

Percent

3.22%	Very unlikely
22.34%	Unlikely
55.39%	Likely
19.05%	Very likely

Q46. The following questions ask how you and other Northeastern students would react in certain social situations.

Please indicate how likely you or others are to intervene. "Intervene" means you would take action to address the situation by getting involved directly or seeking help from another person. - How likely are you personally to intervene if you heard someone make a joke about sexual violence?

Percent

6.43%	Very unlikely
32.00%	Unlikely
39.30%	Likely
22.28%	Very likely

Q47. The following questions ask how you and other Northeastern students would react in certain social situations.

Please indicate how likely you or others are to intervene. "Intervene" means you would take action to address the situation by getting involved directly or seeking help from another person. - In your opinion, how likely are most Northeastern students to intervene if they heard someone make a joke about sexual violence?

Percent

13.22%	Very unlikely
46.96%	Unlikely
32.71%	Likely
7.11%	Very likely

Q48. The following questions ask how you and other Northeastern students would react in certain social situations.

Please indicate how likely you or others are to intervene. "Intervene" means you would take action to address the situation by getting involved directly or seeking help from another person. - How likely are you personally to ask someone who has had too much to drink if they need help getting home?

Percent

1.45%	Very unlikely
9.68%	Unlikely
40.98%	Likely
47.89%	Very likely

Q49. The following questions ask how you and other Northeastern students would react in certain social situations.

Please indicate how likely you or others are to intervene. "Intervene" means you would take action to address the situation by getting involved directly or seeking help from another person. - In your opinion, how likely are most Northeastern students to ask someone who has had too much to drink if they need help getting home?

Percent

3.69%	Very unlikely
25.23%	Unlikely
56.61%	Likely
14.48%	Very likely

Q50. How much do you personally agree with the following statement?

If a person is sexually assaulted when they are drunk, they are at least somewhat responsible for letting things get out of control.

Percent

56.86%	Strongly disagree
30.83%	Disagree
10.32%	Agree
1.99%	Strongly agree

Q51. In your opinion, how much do most Northeastern students agree with the following statement?

If a person is sexually assaulted when they are drunk, they are at least somewhat responsible for letting things get out of control.

Percent

22.05%	Strongly disagree
57.90%	Disagree
18.88%	Agree
1.17%	Strongly agree

Q52. How much do you personally agree with the following statement?

If a person doesn't physically fight back, you can't really say it was sexual assault.

Percent

80.50%	Strongly disagree
17.31%	Disagree
1.69%	Agree
0.51%	Strongly agree

Q53. In your opinion, how much do most Northeastern students agree with the following statement?

If a person doesn't physically fight back, you can't really say it was sexual assault.

Percent

45.05%	Strongly disagree
48.93%	Disagree
5.46%	Agree
0.57%	Strongly agree

Q54. How much do you personally agree with the following statement?

If a person doesn't say "no," they can't claim sexual assault.

Percent

61.09%	Strongly disagree
31.45%	Disagree
6.28%	Agree
1.18%	Strongly agree

Q55. In your opinion, how much do most Northeastern students agree with the following statement?

If a person doesn't say "no," they can't claim sexual assault.

Percent

27.03%	Strongly disagree
56.10%	Disagree
15.90%	Agree
0.96%	Strongly agree

Q56. How much do you personally agree with the following statement?

If a friend tells me they were assaulted, I have an understanding of how to respond in a compassionate way.

Percent

1.63%	Strongly disagree
8.53%	Disagree
54.04%	Agree
35.80%	Strongly agree

Q57. How often do you experience the following? - Hear or see online posts in which Northeastern students make jokes about sexual violence

Percent

57.04%	Very infrequently
37.16%	Infrequently
4.93%	Frequently
0.87%	Very frequently

Q58. How often do you experience the following? - See Northeastern students describe other students in sexually explicit, graphic, or degrading ways in group texts/messages or social media sites that you belong to

Percent

52.18%	Very infrequently
35.12%	Infrequently
10.86%	Frequently
1.84%	Very frequently

Q59. How often do you experience the following? - Hear Northeastern students make sexist remarks

Percent

24.20%	Very infrequently
45.13%	Infrequently
24.14%	Frequently
6.54%	Very frequently

Q60. How often do you experience the following? - Receive unwanted pictures of a sexual nature

Percent

70.27%	Very infrequently
23.88%	Infrequently
4.70%	Frequently
1.15%	Very frequently

Q61. How often do you experience the following? - Hear Northeastern students make negative comments about some else's body or attractiveness

Percent

22.29%	Very infrequently
35.45%	Infrequently
29.35%	Frequently
12.91%	Very frequently

Q62. How often do you experience the following? - Hear Northeastern students make negative comments about your, or someone else's, sexual orientation

Percent

47.65%	Very infrequently
39.29%	Infrequently
10.20%	Frequently
2.86%	Very frequently

Q63. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements: - Northeastern students would support the person making a report of an instance of sexual violence.

Percent

1.25%	Strongly disagree
7.44%	Disagree
66.33%	Agree
24.98%	Strongly agree

Q64. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements: - Northeastern students would ostracize or stigmatize a person making the report of an instance of sexual violence.

Percent

27.91%	Strongly disagree
53.64%	Disagree
15.38%	Agree
3.07%	Strongly agree

Q65. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements: - I feel safe on this campus

Percent

1.31%	Strongly disagree
5.06%	Disagree
58.64%	Agree
34.99%	Strongly agree

Q66. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements: - There is a good support system on campus for students going through difficult times

Percent

11.62%	Strongly disagree
24.72%	Disagree
49.29%	Agree
14.36%	Strongly agree

Q67. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements: - I have a role in making Northeastern a safe and supportive community

Percent

1.59%	Strongly disagree
7.28%	Disagree
56.52%	Agree
34.61%	Strongly agree