

INTERIM MEASURES

WHAT IS AN INTERIM MEASURE?

The University of New Mexico supports students affected by sexual harassment, gender-based discrimination, sexual misconduct, or sexual violence. Through the LoboRESPECT Advocacy Center, UNM can implement Academic and Support Measures, and through the Dean of Students UNM can implement Safety Measures designed to preserve the complainant's educational experience, the safety of all parties and the broader University community, maintain the integrity of the investigative and/or resolution process, and deter retaliation. Depending on the situation, these Measures may be placed on an interim or permanent basis, and are available to all students. However, when implementing these Measures, the University will seek to minimize the burden on the victim and/or complainant, in compliance with Title IX guidelines.

ACADEMIC AND SUPPORT MEASURES

Advocates with the LoboRespect Advocacy Center can assist a student in accessing the following Academic and Support Measures:

- Providing information about and facilitating access to counseling and health care resources both on and off campus;
- contacting faculty members on behalf of the student to request Measures such as approved absences from class, extensions on class assignments or exams, or to request an incomplete for the course;
- working with faculty and/or Registrar to make changes to the class assignment or class schedule of the student to eliminate or limit, to the extent possible, contact between the affected parties;
- working with the Student Financial Aid/Scholarship Office to provide documentation on behalf of the student to facilitate any appeals process in the event financial aid or scholarships are at risk;
- on campus housing assistance for student, such as: temporary or permanent changes to a room assignment for any affected party, assistance with dissolving a housing contract in accordance with housing policies;
- changing on-campus work schedules; and,
- helping to create a personal safety plan for the student.

HOW DO I REQUEST INTERIM MEASURES?

The best place to begin questions regarding Interim Measures is with an Advocate at the LoboRespect Advocacy Center, the Women's Resource Center, or the LBGTQ Resource Center. As confidential, anonymous reporting locations, the Advocates in these centers can help you explore all your rights and options without being required to report information to the UNM Title IX Coordinator.

WHERE SHOULD I GO IF I STILL HAVE QUESTIONS?

Speak with an Advocate in the LoboRespect Advocacy Center at 505-277-2911.

SAFETY MEASURES

Interim Bans

The Dean of Students Office has the authority, under the Student Grievance Procedure to issue an Interim Ban when they determine there is a reasonable basis to conclude that the continued presence of the student/chartered student group at the University presents a significant risk of substantial harm, on-going threat to others, the entire University community, and/or University property.

An Interim Ban varies by length of time, and/or location. A student may be banned from any portion or the whole of the University of New Mexico.

No Contact Directives

No Contact Directives can also be put in place by the Dean of Students Office to prevent contact and communication between two or more persons directly affiliated with the University. Mexico