

The university learned of an assault that occurred off-campus at the corner of Seventh and Maria last night, September 22, at approximately 11:30 PM. The victim reported it to the campus Safety Officer who maintained visual contact on the suspect while calling 911. Saint Paul Police quickly responded and apprehended the suspect.

The university Safety Office makes every effort to provide a safe environment on our campus. But it is still important that you always be aware of your surroundings. If you feel any uncertainty about anything going on near you, be sure to use caution and your best judgment so you can avoid potential threats. Immediately first call 911 if you are involved in any adverse incident. Then also report it to the campus Safety Office.

Please review these personal safety tips:

1. Call 651-775-0444 for an escort or be sure to walk with others. Choose well lit and direct pathways at night and remain alert; walk confidently and purposefully.
2. Be prepared to physically or psychologically protect yourself by reviewing how you would react during an incident.
3. If you notice any suspicious behavior on or around campus, immediately notify Metropolitan State safety staff and/or the Saint Paul Police.

Safety Officer contact phone numbers

Saint Paul Security Officer's cell phone: 651-775-0444. Desk phone: 651-793-1717

Library Security Officer's cell phone: 651-775-0715

Midway Safety Office cell phone: 651-775-6122

Minneapolis Security Officer's cell phone: 612-659-6910 & Emergency 612-659-6900

Administrative Affairs 24 hour answering service: 651-793-1700.

Direct any questions or concerns to the university Safety Office at 651-793-1725.

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