

## Clery Compliance

In an effort to provide timely and accurate information to our students, staff, and faculty members, the following information is being provided to you so that you can make informed decisions about your safety.

On Tuesday, March 9, at 10:15 p.m. the UT Police Department was notified by Housing staff about a burglary and assault that had occurred in Stokely Hall around 8:00 p.m. that evening.

A witness to the event reported that their roommate answered the door and was immediately assaulted by one male, while three to four other males entered the residence and went to another room in the apartment where it was believed they took items belonging to the victim. The witness and the victim stated they did not know the identities of the suspects.

Officers attempted to get further information from the victim but he refused to discuss the incident with police.

### **Information we want you to know about your safety and the safety of all Volunteers.**

- Confirm the identity of visitors before opening the door to your residence.
- Avoid propping doors open and allowing visitors to walk in behind you.
- If you are victim of a crime, we encourage you to report the incident as soon as possible so appropriate measures can be taken for your safety and the safety of others.

- If you see something that doesn't look right or makes you feel concerned, please report that as well.
- You can report criminal or suspicious activity on the [LiveSafe app](#) or by calling UTPD at 865-974-3111. [Download the app](#) from the UT website.

### [Clery FAQs](#)

#### [Information on Clery](#)

For information on prevention and reporting options, [contact the Office of Title IX](#)

[Be an ACTIVE Bystander!](#) Acknowledge the situation, Consider options, and Take action.

#### [Join the UTK LiveSafe community](#)

The [Clery Act](#) requires the university to notify the campus community of certain criminal activity that occurs on university owned or controlled property. In addition, the university is required to provide safety tips that may aid in the prevention of similar crimes. The intent of a warning regarding a criminal incident(s) is to enable individuals to protect themselves.

For Safety Notices and Clery statistics, crimes are classified according to the regulations of the Clery Act mandated by the Department of Education. Though state law may categorize an incident differently, [Clery definitions and classifications](#) are strictly followed when labeling an incident for Clery reporting purposes.

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