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## Overview

Interpersonal violence education and programming at the University of South Carolina primarily originates with two offices: SAVIP and EOP. These two departments work with campus partners to create a cross-campus and community-wide effort that addresses sexual assault with students, faculty and staff. SAVIP's programming focuses primarily on prevention and education, offering presentations that include information on healthy relationships and consent, understanding trauma, bystander intervention, interpersonal violence and the LGBTQ community, and trauma-informed language and behavior. SAVIP also educates and provides guidance to people who are responding to a disclosure, so they can learn the most appropriate way to support a survivor. SAVIP partners with SAPE to provide online sexual assault prevention training which is required for all new undergraduate and transfer students.

EOP provides faculty, staff, and students with information, resources, and tools to help identify and address allegations of unlawful discrimination and harassment, including discrimination and harassment prohibited by Title IX, such as sexual misconduct and interpersonal violence.