

Dennis-Yarmouth Regional High School

POLICE SERVICES UNIT

A Joint Unit of the Yarmouth Police & Dennis Police Departments

SEXUAL ASSAULT HANDOUT

SEX CRIMES

Consent: Acceptance or approval of what is planned or done by another. Sexual activity without consent is a crime. Conditions that negate consent - person says no, is intoxicated, underage, or of a diminished mental capacity.

RAPE MGL Ch265 §22

Sexual intercourse or unnatural acts with a person against his or her will, by force, or threat of bodily injury.

▷ Felony - Up to 20 Years in State Prison - Second or Subsequent Offense: Life in State Prison

STATUTORY RAPE MGL Ch265 §23

Sexual intercourse or unnatural acts with a person under 16.

▷ Felony - Life in State Prison - 5 Year Mandatory State Prison Sentence for Second and Subsequent Offense.

INDECENT ASSAULT & BATTERY MGL Ch265 §13H

"Intentional, unprivileged and indecent touching of a victim, i.e., immodest, immoral, and improper."

"Where the defendant inserted his tongue into the victim's mouth, it constituted an indecent assault and battery." Commonwealth v. Mamay, 407 Mass. 412 (1990)

▷ Felony - Up to 5 Years in State Prison

DRUGGING PERSONS FOR SEXUAL INTERCOURSE MGL Ch272 §3

- Whoever applies, or administers or causes to be taken by a person,
- any drug, matter or thing,
- with intent to stupefy or overpower such person,
- so as thereby to enable any person to have unlawful sexual intercourse with such person.

▷ Felony - Up to 3 Years in State Prison or House of Correction for 2 ½ Years and or \$1000 Fine

Education Reform Act of 1993

Provides for a 10-Day suspension followed by an expulsion hearing for the following:

MGL Chapter 71 § 37H

- Drugs
- Weapons
- Assault on School Staff

MGL Chapter 71 § 37H ½

- Felonies Committed in the Community

Conviction of any of the above crimes results in lifetime membership in the Massachusetts Sex Offender Registry.

SEXUAL ASSAULT STATISTICS

- ▷ A rape occurs every 7 minutes in the USA
- ▷ 90,000 rapes are reported to police annually
- ▷ 1 of every 3 women will be sexually assaulted in their lifetime
- ▷ 85% of all rapes go unreported
- ▷ 85% of rape victims know their attackers
- ▷ One in four girls and one in seven boys will experience some form of sexual abuse before the age of eighteen.
- ▷ Out of every 1000 rapist, only about 3 ever serve prison sentences.
- ▷ 60%-80% of rapes are acquaintance rapes (including friends, boyfriends, neighbors, colleagues, fathers, brothers, etc.)
- ▷ In a recent study, 1 out of 12 college men admitted to having committed what would legally be considered rape.
- ▷ 1% of rapes committed on college campuses are reported to authorities.
- ▷ 1 in 7 women will be raped by her husband.
- ▷ 83% of rape cases are ages 24 or under.
- ▷ 1 in 4 college women have either been raped or suffered attempted rape.
- ▷ 1 in 12 males students surveyed had committed acts that met the legal definition of rape. Furthermore, 84% of the men who had committed such acts said what they had done was definitely not rape.
- ▷ 75% of male students and 55% of female students involved in acquaintance rape had been drinking or using drugs.

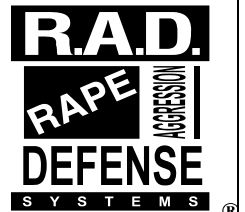
Ladies, take a *RAD* Class

Rape Aggression Defense

Self Defense For Women

The RAD Motto:

“To Develop And Enhance The Options Of Self Defense, So They May Become Viable Considerations To The Woman Who Is Attacked.”



16 Hour Basic Class

- ▷ *Phase 1 - Risk Reduction*
- ▷ *Phase 2 - Physical Defense Techniques*
- ▷ *Phase 3 - Dynamic Simulation*

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