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Campus crime alerts and timely warnings to the community comply with the federal Jeanne Clery Campus Safety Act (Clery Act).

The Texas A&M University Police Department Detectives are actively investigating the incidents that have recently occurred. These are active investigations, and the preliminary varying descriptions of the suspects from each incident are provided below:

Incident 1

Suspect is described as a male “looking to be black, approximately 5'7-5'9, with a short beard, and wearing a sweater”. He was described as having a “buzz cut, dark hair, dark eyes, and being a bit overweight”.

Incident 2

Suspect is described as being a “college-aged black male, approximately 6 feet tall, with dreadlocks extending down his back, no facial hair, wearing a red jacket with white detailing, blue jeans, and white shoes”.

Incident 3

Suspect is described as a “black man, approximately 30 years old, wearing a violet “The North Face” hoodie and sunglasses”, and stating his name is “James”.

All three incidents remain under investigation to verify details as reported and to identify suspects.

Each incident had four key recurring aspects:

- An individual approached the victim and initiated a conversation with a compliment on the victim's looks.
- The individuals began asking for personal information, including the victim's name, age, and phone number.
- The individuals asked the victim about their current relationship status.
- The individuals initiated physical contact through a handshake or a hug as a ruse to get close to the victim for the indecent assault to occur.

Community members are reminded to be wary of strangers who initiate conversation, immediately asking for personal information. Additionally, everyone is encouraged to be assertive in stating their boundaries and to call 9-1-1 in an emergency and to notify law enforcement of any incident where they feel unsafe.

Anyone having information pertaining to these or other incidents is encouraged to contact the Texas A&M University Police Department at 979-845-2345.

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The Texas A&M University Police Department received information regarding two incidents of Indecent Assault/ Fondling that were reported to a Campus Security Authority and one reported to the Texas A&M University Police.

*Incident 1

The male suspect approached the victim on January 24, 2026 at the Wolf Pen Creek Park bus stop. The suspect began asking questions regarding the bus schedule, her name, and her current relationship status. The suspect initiated the conversation by complimenting the victim. When the suspect shook the victim's hand, he pulled the victim close and grabbed her buttocks.

Incident 2

Two male subjects approached the victim at Century Square on January 25, 2026 at approximately 2:00 pm and began asking her questions regarding her age, name, and her phone number. The suspect initiated the conversation by complimenting the victim. When she declined to provide her personal information, one suspect grabbed her buttocks.

Incident 3

The male suspect approached the victim near Century Square on January 28, 2026 at approximately 2:00 pm and complimented her and asked if she was single. The suspect then grabbed her buttocks.

The identities of these suspects are unknown.

Anyone having information pertaining to this or other incidents is encouraged to contact the Texas A&M University Police Department at 979-845-2345.

While a university is required under the Clery Act to notify the public of such reports, it is also our responsibility to provide information regarding protective measures.

All are encouraged to:

- Be aware of your surroundings and trust your

instincts.

- Communicate boundaries clearly.
- Report suspicious or unwanted behavior immediately.
- Be cautious of "ruses" or pretexts for physical contact.
- Limit sharing personal information to strangers.
- Seek assistance from others nearby if you in need.
- Use your phone to contact authorities via calling 9-1-1 or the Code Maroon App.

*Incident 1 – Due to the suspects' behavior matching the two incidents in Texas A&M University's Clery geography it was included in this Crime Alert.

For more information on resources, support services and reporting options please visit: titleix.tamu.edu

No one has to do everything but everyone has to do something, Step in and Stand Up Against Sexual Violence. <http://stepinstandup.tamu.edu>

The safety of our community does not have borders. It is the goal of every law enforcement agency to protect the citizens that we serve. Be the eyes and ears of your police department. When you see suspicious activity contact the Texas A&M University Police Department at 979-845-2345, the College Station Police Department at 979-764-3600, or the Bryan Police Department and the Brazos County Sheriff's Office at 979-361-3888. Together we can make a difference in our community.

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