WHOM DO WE SERVE?

You!

STUDENTS, FACULTY, STAFF

MISSION

To advocate, educate, and provide supportive services for the advancement of gender equity on campus, with an emphasis on student safety, health and success

OUR GOALS

- To provide a comfortable place where students, staff and faculty can seek information and obtain confidential referrals
- To educate the University of Houston community on topics that concern women, with a focus on violence prevention and intervention.
- To celebrate the achievements of University of Houston women

SERVICES

Information and Referral
Programs and Speakers
Computers
Small Library
(Magazines, Books, Movies)
Volunteer Opportunities
Lactation Rooms/Pump
Friendly Hangout
Dress for Success Referral Source

WOMEN'S RESOURCE CENTER

University of Houston 4100 University Drive, Room N201 Houston, TX 77204-4014

(832) 842-6191

Email: wrc@uh.edu

Website: www.uh.edu/wrc

Facebook: www.facebook.com/UHWRC

Location: University Center North, Building 487

WE ARE HERE TO LISTEN, HELP AND INFORM.





SPECIALIZED PROGRAMS

We can also bring programs to your group or organization, including topics on:

- Obtaining Sexual Consent
- Sexual Health and Responsibility
- Dating Violence and Sexual Assault

NEWSLETTER

The WRC has a weekly electronic newsletter to keep the campus community informed of our activities. To be added to the list, go to our website (www.uh.edu/wrc) to subscribe.

INTERNSHIPS

The WRC is pleased to be an internship site for several graduate programs. Students will gain experience in program planning, working with students, and learning about women's issues.

PROGRAMS

Gender Talk – A weekly opportunity to learn about current gender issues in an informal discussion group

\$tart \$mart – A program presented once a semester to inform students about the wage gap and how they can successfully negotiate for their first salary upon graduation

The Vagina Monologues – A theatrical performance presented each year by students to celebrate women's bodies and their lives. The performance is also a fundraiser for a local Houston nonprofit that serves women.

Take Back the Night March – An annual event in the fall to educate students about sexual assault on college campuses

Summer Book Club – A yearly event where we select and read two books, often by and about women, over the course of the summer, one fiction and one nonfiction, with a lively discussion to follow

RESOURCES

The WRC offers free feminine hygiene products, over the counter pain relievers, condoms, and Band-Aids to support our students.

Mother's (Lactation) Rooms – The WRC manages lactation rooms across campus to serve our new parents.

VOLUNTEERS

WRC volunteers help our small staff do the work of the WRC by tabling, helping at events and around the office. A great introduction to women's issues and the campus community.

THE WRC ALSO WELCOMES MEN

The WRC is your place, too! Although "gender" is often used as a proxy for "women," men have a gender, too. Restrictive gender role stereotypes about men and masculinity abound. Also, many issues that have historically been called "women's issues" are significant to all members of our campus community, such as sexual assault and relationship violence. Male students, staff and faculty are welcome to attend WRC programs and take advantage of WRC resources, whether for themselves or on behalf of women in their lives. Men are also welcome as WRC volunteers.

