

1 July 2019 – 30 June 2020 Safety/Behaviour Reports

These numbers are based on the reports made to the RNA team from the period of 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2020.

Table 1. Number of Reports made to RNA team 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2020

System name	Number of Reports Received
Salesforce	50
Advocate	5
Total reports received	55

Note: In some cases, several reports were made about what appears to be the same incident. In June 2020, RNA moved from Salesforce to Advocate system to manage reports.

What kind of behaviour was reported?

- **53%** of reports received appeared to relate to sexual harassment
- **18%** of reports received appeared to relate to sexual assault
- **29%** of reports received appeared to relate to other kinds of behaviour such as stalking, racism, homophobia, or intrusive/aggressive behaviour which was not sexual.

Reports made for yourself or someone else

- **69%** of reports were made by the person who experienced the reported behaviour (self-report)
- **31%** of reports were made on behalf of someone else (third-party report)

Contact Details/Anonymous

- **80%** reports received included contact details. This includes reports which:
 - were initially anonymous, but later the person who experienced the behaviour identified themselves or gave permission for someone else to identify them; and
 - reports where contact information was provided in the incident description free text box
- **20%** of reports received were anonymous (the identity of the person who experienced the reported behaviour was unknown)

Who experienced the behaviour reported?

- In **82%** of reports, the person who experienced the behaviour was a student or former student
- In **7%** of reports, the person who experienced the behaviour was a member of the public
- In **7%** of reports, the person who experienced the behaviour did not provide their relationship to Macquarie University
- In **4%** of reports, the person who experienced the behaviour was staff

Whose behaviour was the report about?

- **62%** of reports received were about the behaviour of a student or former student
- **16%** of reports received were about the behaviour of a member of staff at Macquarie, or staff at another organisation located on campus
- **13%** of reports received involved the behaviour of someone whose relationship to Macquarie was not provided in the report, or the reporter was unsure
- **9%** of reports received involved the behaviour of a member of the public

Where did the event happen?

Note: reporters could select more than one option, some reports indicated there were multiple locations where incident(s) took place. Some reports did not include information about where an incident occurred.

- **55%** of reports were about an incident which occurred on campus (ie University social space, University grounds, teaching space, library)
- **25%** of reports received were about an incident which occurred online or involved technology such as SMS messaging, Facebook
- **9%** of reports were about an incident which occurred in private accommodation
- **4%** of reports were about an incident which occurred in residential or student accommodation

Experiencing disruption

Note: Some reporters did not respond to this question on the report form

In **51%** of reports received, the reporter indicated they were experiencing disruption to study or work because of the incident(s)



Have you contacted anyone about this incident?

Note: reporters could select more than one option. Some reports did not include information about whether they contacted anyone about the incident.

- **40%** contacted Student Wellbeing
- **38%** discussed the incident with friends or family
- **16%** contacted Police