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<td>Student shared concerns about course grade he received and believes it may be related to his ethnicity.</td>
<td>Student</td>
<td>Dean of Students Office</td>
<td>- Outreach to the complainant - July 22, 2021 &amp; August 3, 2021&lt;br&gt;- Complainant did not respond to outreach&lt;br&gt;- Referral to Provost's office for faculty outreach - July 22, 2021&lt;br&gt;- Referral to Office of Institutional Equity (OIE) - July 21, 2021&lt;br&gt;- OIE reached out to complainant</td>
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<td>Dean of Students Office</td>
<td>- Outreach to complainant/reporting party – August 2, 2021&lt;br&gt;- Referral to ODI and Asian American Cultural Center for support/resources&lt;br&gt;- Referral to UConn Police- August 3, 2020&lt;br&gt;- Complainant connected with campus resources</td>
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<td>Off Campus – non residential</td>
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<td>Alumni</td>
<td>Dean of Students Office</td>
<td>- Outreach to complainant/reporting party (alum) – August 3, 2021&lt;br&gt;- Referral to ODI and Asian American Cultural Center for support/resources – August 3, 2021&lt;br&gt;- Referral to UConn Police- August 3, 2020&lt;br&gt;- Complainant met with Associate Dean and ASACC Director for support/resources – August 6, 2021&lt;br&gt;- Associate Dean will connect complainant with UCPD for investigation – August 6, 2021</td>
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| 8/19/2021     | 8/19/2021     | South Campus Halls – Interior | Report of a swastika drawn on the wall in a stairwell. | Staff | Residential Life | • Incident reported to UCPD to investigate  
• Hall Director met with RAs who were involved in the training session when the incident was reported – 8/23/21 & 8/24/21  
• Referral to UConn faith community liaison who notified leaders of impacted faith communities – 8/23/2021  
• Hall Director emailed residents living in the building at the time of the incident offering support and included anti-Semitic resource information – 8/26/2021  
• Hall Director will hold open office hours on August 31, 2021 for residents looking for support  
• No one attended the office hours |
| 8/24/2021     | 9/3/2021      | UConn Health Center | Report of offensive verbal comment targeting someone based on race/ethnicity | Staff | Dean of Students Office | • Outreach to the complainant by staff at UCHC  
• Complainant provided support by UCHC Student Affairs and Office of Multicultural Affairs and Diversity  
• Referral to Provost's office for faculty outreach  
• Referral to Office of Institutional Equity (OIE)  
• OIE reached out to reporting staff to discuss steps moving forward |
| 8/25/2021     | 8/25/2021     | Stamford Campus | Report of a photo of a student using language targeting someone based on immigration status | Community member | Dean of Students Office | • Complainant sent an email to Admissions to report the behavior  
• Associate Dean reached out to complainant requesting additional information  
• Unable to proceed with investigation as complainant did not respond to request for information. |
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| 8/26/2021     | 8/31/2021     | Husky Village     | Report of verbal comment targeting someone based on racial identity | Student         | Residential Life   | ● Complainant reported to incident to Residential Life staff  
● Residential Life staff investigating to try and determine possible respondent  
● Hall Director working directly with complainant to provide support |
| 9/9/2021      | 9/9/2021      | Social Media      | Social media post targeting a student based on racial identity | Student         | Dean of Students Office | ● Outreach to the complainant – September 10, 2021  
● Associate Dean met with complainant – September 10, 2021  
● Complainant met with supervisor for support, this was coordinated with staff in Dean of Students Office  
● Complainant referred to UConn police to file a report  
● Case is still under review |
| 9/7/2021      | 9/8/2021      | Northwest Halls – interior | Graffiti of genitalia posted on a student’s white board. | Student         | Residential Life   | ● Complainant reported to incident to Residential Life staff  
● Residential Life staff investigating to try and determine possible respondent  
● Hall Director working directly with complainant to provide support |
| 9/4/2021      | 9/10/2021     | Shippee Hall - interior | Report of roommate conflict where individual felt targeted by race/ethnicity | Student         | Residential Life   | ● Hall Director reached out to complainant, and met with them on September 17, 2021 to offer support  
● Hall Director met with the respondent to discuss the referral, the impact and steps to move forward – September 20, 2021 |
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<td>Report of student feeling targeted at internship experience based on race/ethnicity</td>
<td>Staff</td>
<td>Dean of Students</td>
<td>• Outreach to the complainant – September 13, 2021&lt;br&gt;• Associate Dean to meet with complainant week of September 20, 2021&lt;br&gt;• Referral to Office of Institutional Equity (OIE) – September 13, 2021</td>
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<td>Graffiti posted on a student’s white board targeting sexual orientation</td>
<td>Staff</td>
<td>Residential Life</td>
<td>• Outreach to the complainant – September 14, 2021&lt;br&gt;• Hall Director to meet with complainant week of September 20, 2021</td>
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<td>Garrigus Suites - Interior</td>
<td>Graffiti posted on a student’s door tags targeting sexual orientation</td>
<td>Staff</td>
<td>Residential Life</td>
<td>• Outreach to the complainants – September 21, 2021&lt;br&gt;• Hall Director met with RAs who filed the report – September 22, 2021&lt;br&gt;• Hall Director met with the complainants to offer support and resources. – September 23, 2021&lt;br&gt;• Hall Director has not received response from 2 of the complainants</td>
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<td>North Campus Halls - interior</td>
<td>Verbal remarks that are bias in nature</td>
<td>Staff</td>
<td>Residential Life</td>
<td>• Hall Director reached out to complainants, they responded that they do not wish to participate in the bias response process.&lt;br&gt;• Hall Director met with the respondent to discuss the referral, the impact and steps to move forward – October 4, 2021</td>
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| 9/21/2021     | 9/21/2021     | McHugh Hall (Laurel) | Reports of individuals preaching on Fairfield Way, making remarks targeting individuals based on sexual orientation, religion and gender identity | Students | Dean of Students Office | • Associate Dean reached out to Director of Rainbow Center to offer support for impacted students—September 21, 2021  
• Associate Dean reached out to 18 complainants, offering to meet with each one, two meetings have been scheduled. – September 22, 2021  
• Associate Dean spoke with one complainant by phone to offer support and resources. – September 22, 2021  
• Assistant Dean met with one complainant to offer support and resources – September 21, 2021  
• Faith liaison confirmed the respondents are not affiliated with any of the organizations connected to UConn Faith – September 21, 2021  
• ODI held a Community Healing space in the Rainbow Center on September 28, 2021  
• Associate Dean met with 3 students to offer support and resources |
| 9/21/2021     | 9/22/2021     | Northwest Halls - interior | Writing on a student’s white board targeting religion | Staff | Residential Life | • Outreach to complainants to offer support and resources  
• Outreach to respondent – HD met with respondent on September 30, 2021  
• HD met with RAs (complainants) to offer support and resources – September 28, 2021 |
| 9/24/2021     | 9/24/2021     | Route 195 near Mirror Lake | Report of an incident where individuals in a car shouted homophobic slurs out a car window, comments were | Staff | Dean of Students Office | • Associate Dean reached out to Director of Rainbow Center to offer support for impacted students–September 21, 2021  
• Students are not identified so further outreach is not possible  
• UCPD has reached out to Associate Dean offering to meet with impacted students |
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<td>Report of individual who felt targeted based on disability status</td>
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<td>Dean of Students Office</td>
<td>• Associate Dean shared information with Rainbow Center Director about police offer of a meeting, will follow up if students wish to pursue this option</td>
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| 9/28/2021     | 9/29/2021     | Garrigus Suites – Interior | Report of verbal comments targeting a student based on sexual orientation | Staff            | Residential Live       | • Hall Director reached out to complainant to arrange a meeting.  
• Residential Life staff managing the response through bias protocol |
| 9/30/2021     | 9/30/2021     | Northwest Halls – interior | Written remarks on a white board based on sexual orientation | Staff            | Residential Live       | • Outreach to the complainants – October 5, 2021  
• Hall Director met with residents of room to offer support and resources – October 8, 2201  
• Students indicated they did want a community message sent out and passive programming about how to support the LGBTQIA+ community |
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| 9/30/2021     | 9/30/2021     | Student Union      | Report of verbal comments targeting a student based on gender identity | Student         | Dean of Students Office | • Associate Dean reached out to 3 complainants, offering to meet with each one– September 30, 2021  
• Associate Dean met with the 3 complainants to offer support and resources. – October 1, 2021  
• Associate Dean reached out to Director of Rainbow Center to offer support for impacted students– October 1, 2021  
• Associate Dean connected with Interim Director of Dining Services to share the concerns related to staff  
• Referral shared with Community Standards, UConn Police and OIE  
• Associate Dean reached out to One Card Office to inquire about preferred name on One Card |
| 10/2/2021     | 10/2/2021     | Northwood Apartments – exterior | Report of racists and sexual verbal comments being yelled out a car window at students walking on campus. | Student         | Dean of Students Office | • Graduate School Student Affairs providing outreach to the students |
| 10/4/2021     | 10/7/2021     | Stamford Residence Halls – Interior | Offensive social media post targeting sexual orientation | Student         | Community Standards | • Community Standards & Stamford Student Services staff managing the response through bias protocol |
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| 10/02/2021    | 10/8/2021     | Off-Campus non-residential | Verbal remarks directed at race | Community member | Dean of Students Office | • Complainant received an email of support from event organizers  
• Director of Center for Fraternity/Sorority Development providing support to complainant |