

Student Scenario 3 Transcript

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Unknown: A student is working as
a research assistant with a

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professor on campus. Her job is
to research, collect samples and

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run tests. One day she had to
work in the lab late with one

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other co worker, she soon
realized she was being sexually

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assaulted. She was really upset
and scared about how this would

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impact her research position and

her work environment. Earlier in

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the year, she heard about the
Sexual Violence Prevention and

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Response Office and decided to
reach out to them. She shared

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with the person supporting her
that she didn't want to disrupt

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her work environment, and didn't
want to do anything about the

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situation. The individual giving
her support, reassured her that

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she doesn't need to share
anything, unless she feels

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comfortable to do so. And that
she can come back anytime for

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support. A week later, she heard
from a coworker that there were

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rumors going around that she had
sexual intercourse with the

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coworker who assaulted her in
the lab. She felt ashamed and

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was hoping the situation would
disappear. But the rumors were

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giving her flashbacks and PTSD
by making her relive the

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situation. At this point, she
isn't sure what to do and where

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to find support for her trauma.
The Sexual Violence Prevention

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and Response Office did say she
can come back at any time, but

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she isn't sure if she should go
back. She's worried about what

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they will think. She decided to
go back and share with the

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Sexual Violence Prevention and
Response Office that she was

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nervous to come back because of
what they would think. The

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person supporting her shared
that the support they offer is

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non judgmental, and they won't
force an investigation. They

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shared that she only has to
share what she feels comfortable

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with. She began to share a bit
about what had occurred. The

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person supporting her shared
that they will continue to meet

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if she would like and support
her however she needs and

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provided a list of on campus and
off campus resources for her to

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reach out to if she needed them.
At this moment, the student knew

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she felt supported and had a
safe space