Resource Page: Concern Reporting

Introduction
What should you do if you see something you don’t think is right or if you are aware of something that violates university policies or even the law? You should report your concern.

Objectives
1. Understand why reporting concerns is important
2. Know where to go to report a concern

Key Concepts
1. If you suspect a violation of laws, rules, regulations, or policies, you should report your concern.
2. You can report your concerns to a supervisor or another appropriate person, use the anonymous reporting line, or email the Office of University Compliance and Integrity.
3. All concerns are taken seriously and reviewed carefully.
4. Ohio State prohibits retaliation against any individual who reports or inquires about potential misconduct.
5. For additional guidance email: compliance-integrity@osu.edu.

Why Reporting Concerns is Important
1. Promotes a culture of compliance, integrity, and transparency
2. Keeps the community safe
3. Complies with laws and university policies
4. Fosters an ethical culture

How to Report a Concern
1. Speak with your supervisor or another appropriate person in your department, school, or unit.
2. Use EthicsPoint, the anonymous reporting line, by phone or online form.
   - Note: if you are a mandatory reporter regarding certain topics, the anonymous reporting line does not fulfill your duty to report.
3. Email your question or concern to the Office of University Compliance and Integrity.

More Information
- Visit the Office of University Compliance and Integrity website
- Make an anonymous report using EthicsPoint

Further Questions?
Email: compliance-integrity@osu.edu
Visit: compliance.osu.edu
Call: 614-292-5880