IUPUI Crime Notice:
February 27, 2019

In compliance with the federal Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act, a Crime Notice is being issued for a reported robbery.

REPORTED OFFENSE: On February 27, 2019, the IUPD received information from the Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department (IMPD) about a reported robbery that occurred along the canal near the NCAA Headquarters, immediately adjacent to IUPUI property. The victim reported to the IMPD that they were jogging in the area and was approached from behind by 3-4 teenage males who punched the victim in the face and sprayed the victim with a liquid causing a burning sensation. The suspects then stole a wallet from the victim and fled in an unknown direction.

TIME AND LOCATION OF OFFENSE: This incident took place on February 26, 2019 at approximately 7:10 p.m. along the canal near the NCAA Headquarters building.

SUSPECT: The suspects’ identities are unknown at this time. Anyone with information on this crime is encouraged to contact the Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department at 317-327-3811. You may also call Crime Stoppers at 317-262-TIPS (8477).

In an effort to keep yourself and others safe, please consider the following safety tips:

- Always let someone know where you are going and when you expect to return.
- Be aware of your surroundings.
- Avoid walking alone whenever possible.
- Use well-lit, regularly traveled walks and pathways, especially at night. Avoid shortcuts and keep away from shrubbery, bushes, alleyways, or any other poorly-lit area where an assailant might be lurking.
- Keep your ears clear of headphones and your hands free of packages or bags.
- Report suspicious behavior, even if you are not being directly threatened.
- Contact IUPD-IUPUI for a safety escort at 317-274-7233.

Additional safety tips can be found by visiting Safety and Prevention Programs on Protect.IU.edu

Anyone with information on these crimes or any other crime is encouraged to contact the Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department at 317-327-3811 or call the IU Police Department – IUPUI at 317-274-7911.

If additional information or updates are released, they will be posted to Indiana University's emergency alerts website.

Crimes are identified using the terminology from the Clery Act. Additional information on the Clery Act, including definitions of crime terms can be found at the Jeanne Clery Act at IU on Protect.IU.edu.
Update your information on the IU Notify page to receive the most up to date notifications. Instructions for how to update your contact information are found on the IU Knowledge Base Article: About emergency notifications at IU.