



The “AURORA” University Anti-Violence Desk is a **free service**, established as part of the [AURORA project](#), dedicated to all cisgender and transgender women within the university community: students, faculty members, researchers, administrative and technical staff, and collaborators of any kind at Unife.

The Desk provides a **safe space to be heard and receive non-judgmental support from qualified experts of the Centro Donna Giustizia**, for anyone experiencing or who has experienced violence either within or outside the University.

The service ensures **the highest level of confidentiality and privacy** for those who contact the Desk. Personal stories are known only to the assigned professional, who will submit only a semi-annual report to the University with anonymized data. This report is used to monitor the service and assess whether additional measures to prevent and address gender-based violence within Unife are needed.

Contacting the Desk does not involve any obligation to file a report, either with the authorities or with University offices. The decision to report is entirely personal and will always be respected. If desired, the Desk can provide guidance on reporting to the appropriate authorities and—if the incident occurred at the University—to the relevant Unife offices.

Practical materials and guidance are also available on the Project website under “[Useful Materials](#).”

Opening Days and Hours

The Desk will be available by appointment every Wednesday from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

To schedule an appointment, you can:

- Email: sportelloaurora@unife.it
- Call: **3317303342** (calls or WhatsApp messages are accepted to ensure accessibility)

On days when the Desk is closed, calls will be redirected to the Centro Donna Giustizia headquarters. Please specify that the appointment is for the University Desk.

If an appointment is scheduled during working hours, administrative staff may use their personal leave or compensatory time code, without needing to provide a reason.

Where to Find the AURORA Desk

Department of Law – Ground Floor, Room “Associazioni Studentesche” (formerly “Stanza ELSA”) – Corso Ercole I d’Este, 37.

Directions to the Desk

- **Main Entrance (Corso Ercole I d’Este, 37):** After passing the reception, turn left and continue down the corridor leading to Aula 3. The Desk, marked with a sign, is on the right (second door).

- **Alternate Entrance (via Arianuova, opposite the University Bookstore):** Follow the building wall, turn right, and enter through the first emergency door on the right. Continue and turn right again after passing the stairwell. The Desk is the first door on the right.

Visual directions can be found at [this link](#).