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## BIAS INCIDENT SUPPORT SERVICES (BISS)

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Bias Incident Support Services (BISS) is a team within the Office of Diversity and Inclusion that is charged with addressing hate-bias incidents targeting UMD students, faculty and staff. The program responds to incidents with trauma-informed care, collects and shares data about hate-bias incidents through the Bias Dashboard (https://umd.edu/bias-reporting-dashboard/), and educates the campus community about identity-based trauma and its impact. If you have been affected by bias, you can submit a bias report (https://cm.maxient.com/reportingform.php?UnivofMaryland&layout\_id=50) to BISS or email BiasSupport@umd.edu to receive compassionate care.