Mob Harassment

Do it Now

- **Secure** your physical safety
  - *Consider:* Call 911, move location if you feel unsafe, tell a friend
  - Turn off location sharing and tracking if concerned about stalking
- Consider telling someone you trust for help
- **Review and adjust privacy & security settings** if harassed via social media
  - *Options:* Block, filter, mute and/or turn off notifications

Next, choose what to do

- **Identify key online accounts for digital security precautions**
  -- Basic steps: List accounts (email, social, financial, shopping) and confirm passwords
  -- Then, set up two-factor authentication, unique passwords and password manager
- **Conduct a threat assessment**
  -- *Tip:* Talk through what’s happening with someone or aloud
- **Choose if, and how, to respond** (to perpetrators and/or publicly)
- **Reach out to your communities—online, in person—for help**
- **Consider turning off social media notifications**

Also, consider these steps

- **Find and document post(s) that incited harassment and one that concerns you most**
  -- *Tip:* Have a trusted party help you with this
- **Decide how to monitor online communication about you**
- **Report incident to platform**
- **Decide how to manage your social media**
  -- *Tip:* Consider taking a break, having a friend manage, etc.

Consider

- Review info/photos stored on dormant or alias accounts
- If harassment is related to something you’ve produced for work, communicate with your employer