

The Facts About Sexual Violence:

One in three females and one in six males will be sexually assaulted in their lifetime.

- ◆ 93% of sexual assault victims know the person who attacked them.
- ◆ Sexual assault is a social problem crossing all racial, and ethnic groups, socioeconomic classes, religions, genders, sexual orientations and ages.
- ◆ Sexual assault is an act of violence. It is about power and control, not sex.
- ◆ Sexual assault is not caused by what the victim is wearing, where they happen to be or what they happen to be doing. It is **ALWAYS** the responsibility of the offender.
- ◆ Regardless of the circumstances, sexual assault is **NEVER** the fault of the victim.
- ◆ One out of five 10-17 year olds received an unwanted sexual solicitation while using the internet.
- ◆ 33% of sexual assaults occur when the victim is between the ages of 12-17.
- ◆ 49% of people with disabilities who are victims of sexual violence will experience 10 or more abusive incidents.
- ◆ 18% of women raped each year are 60 years of age or older.

Volunteer Opportunities

The Sexual Assault Center needs your help. You can volunteer your time to provide support, advocacy, and follow-up assistance to victims of sexual assault and abuse.

- ◆ Make a difference in your community.
- ◆ Help someone recover from abuse.
- ◆ Gain valuable experience.
- ◆ No experience is necessary and flexible training schedules are provided.

Donations are always welcome and help us continue our services to those in need.

Protect. Heal. Care.



24-hour Crisis Locations:

Brown County: (920) 436-8899
300 Crooks St, Green Bay, WI 54301

Door County: (920) 746-8996
57 N 12th Ave, Sturgeon Bay, WI 54235

Oconto County: (920) 846-2111
512 Brazeau Ave, Oconto, WI 54153

Marinette County: (715) 732-7300
1907 Ella Ct, Marinette, WI 54143

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**sexual
assault center**
Family Services

*Providing services in Brown, Door,
Oconto and Marinette Counties*



At a difficult time in a person's life, the Sexual Assault Center of Family Services is here to help. Our staff and volunteers provide support and advocacy to victims of sexual assault and abuse, 24 hours a day/ 365 days a year. The center also serves as a resource for family members, friends, and partners/spouses to learn more about supporting their loved ones at a time of need.

Unfortunately, sexual assault and sexual harassment touches many lives. We know that it happens to children, adolescents, and adults; both females and males.

No matter what your situation is, the Sexual Assault Center is here to support you.



What is Sexual Assault?

Sexual assault is any forced, threatened, unwanted or illegal sexual activity. It is an act of power and control. Sexual assault can include date or acquaintance rape, child sexual abuse, marital or domestic partner sexual assault, incest, sexual assault by a stranger, and sexual harassment.

Services Available

Professional staff and trained volunteers provide services 24 hours a day, 365 days a year to victims of sexual violence, their families, and friends. Services are confidential and free of charge. The Sexual Assault Center provides sensitive services to all victims regardless of their age, gender, race, sexual orientation, or disability.

◆ Crisis Intervention and Supportive Counseling

Crisis intervention and supportive counseling are available by telephone or in person. When needed, referrals are made to therapists.

◆ Medical Advocacy

An advocate will be available to you at the hospital. The advocate will listen, offer support, and accompany you through the medical process. The advocate will provide information for you to make informed choices.

◆ Legal Advocacy

An advocate will support you at the police station if you choose to file a police report. The Sexual Assault Center will provide support and assist you throughout the court process.

◆ Follow-up Assistance

An advocate will continue to provide information and emotional support as long as the assistance is requested.

◆ Support Group/Treatment

The Sexual Assault Center provides a support group free of charge for adult victims who have past and/or present issues of sexual assault or abuse.



Community Education

Staff members are available to make presentations to organizations, school classes, and other community groups.

- ◆ **Kids Can** - pre-school prevention education program for 3 - 6 year olds.
- ◆ **Prevention Education** - grades K - 12 on developmentally appropriate topics.
- ◆ **In-Service Training** - for professionals, church groups, and other community organizations
- ◆ **Community Awareness Events**

Services to Underserved Populations

Culturally diverse, bilingual staff are available at the Sexual Assault Center to provide services to the Hispanic and Southeast Asian communities. The Sexual Assault Center also provides services that are sensitive to the needs of Native American, African American, the developmentally disabled, elderly, and LGBTQ populations.

Confidential Assistance 24-hour Crisis Lines:

Brown County: 920-436-8899
Oconto County: 920-846-2111
Door County: 920-746-8996
Marinette County: 715-732-7300