



CALIFORNIA RESOURCE GUIDE

COUNSELING AND OTHER SUPPORT SERVICES

Bay Area Women Against Rape

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Bay Area Women Against Rape (BAWAR) is a non-profit organization formed in 1971 to provide free, in-person counseling to survivors of sexual assault and their significant others. BAWAR also offers accompaniment to survivors visiting police, courts, and hospitals, a 24-hour hotline, support groups, and community education. All services are available to survivors in detention.

Bienestar Human Services, Inc.

5326 E. Beverly Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90022
Office: (323) 727-7896
Website: www.bienestar.org

Bienestar is committed to enhancing the health and well-being of the Latino Community and other underserved communities in Los Angeles. Bienestar accomplishes this through community education, prevention, mobilization, advocacy, and the provision of direct social support services. Bienestar offers mental health programs specifically for people living with HIV/AIDS.

California Coalition Against Sexual Assault

1215 K Street, Suite 1100
Sacramento, CA 95814
Office: (916) 446-2520
Website: www.calcasa.org
E-mail: info@calcasa.org

California Coalition Against Sexual Assault (CALCASA) is a statewide coalition of rape crisis centers and prevention programs that provides leadership, vision and resources to rape crisis centers, individuals and other entities committed to ending sexual violence in California. CALCASA works closely with other statewide organizations such as the California District Attorneys Association and the California Police Officers Standards and Training to develop a statewide response to sexual violence and serves as a resource for policy makers working to change society's response to sexual violence by providing information and expertise on a wide range of issues. With over 90 rape crisis centers in California, CALCASA can connect survivors with the center that can serve them and their family or friends.

California Coalition for Women Prisoners

1540 Market Street, Suite 490
San Francisco, CA 94102
Office: (415) 255-7036 x 314
Website: www.womenprisoners.org
E-mail: info@womenprisoners.org

California Coalition for Women Prisoners (CCWP) is a grassroots racial justice organization that challenges the institutional violence imposed on women and communities of color by prisons and the criminal justice system. CCWP is building a movement with women prisoners, family members of prisoners, and the larger communities through organizing, leadership development, and political education. Programs include visiting people in California state women's prisons; political education work; *Compañeras*, which focuses on issues faced by Latina, Chicana, and immigrant people in women's prisons; *The Fire Inside* newsletter which is published 4 times per year and is free to all people in prison; and the Crisis Response Network, a program that provides a means for prisoners to contact people on the outside to work together to respond to crises.

Center for Community Solutions

4508 Mission Bay Drive
San Diego, CA 92109
Office: (858) 272-5777
24-hour Hotline: (888) 385-4657
Website: www.ccssd.org

Since 1969, the Center for Community Solutions (CCS) has been creating safe and healthy communities with a core emphasis on the prevention and intervention of sexual assault and relationship violence. CCS offers a 24-hour Crisis Line for immediate, confidential phone counseling; individual, family, couple, and group counseling for survivors of adult or childhood sexual assault; and phone and in-person counseling. All services are free and confidential.

Center for Health Justice

8235 Santa Monica Blvd, Suite 214
West Hollywood, CA 90046
Office: (323) 822-3835
Hotline (accepts collect calls): (888) 372-0888
Hotline Hours: Monday-Friday, 10am-4pm PST

Website: www.healthjustice.net
Email: info@healthjustice.net

Center for Health Justice offers programs and services to both men and women in correctional facilities with a focus on prisoners who are HIV+ or at greatest risk of acquiring or transmitting HIV and other sexually transmitted diseases. Center for Health Justice operates a free national prisoner HIV prevention & treatment hotline that accepts collect calls from inmates during regular business hours. The hotline provides general HIV treatment and prevention information, support for callers who are ill or newly diagnosed with HIV, and advocacy support regarding medical care, medications or other health issues inside the jails and prisons across the country.

Center for the Pacific-Asian Family

543 North Fairfax Ave., Room 108
Los Angeles, CA 90036
Office: (323) 653-4045
Toll-free 24-hour Hotline: (800) 339-3940
Website: www.cpaf.info
E-mail: contact@capf.info

Center for the Pacific Asian Family (CPAF) is committed to meeting the specific cultural and language needs of Asian Pacific Islander women and their families. CPAF operates a 24-hour crisis hotline to support survivors of sexual assault and provides crisis intervention, advocacy, information, and referral resources. Emergency response services such as hospital/court accompaniment, survivor advocacy, and access to legal and financial assistance are available to survivors of sexual assault. Additionally, individual and family counseling are available.

Community Service Programs, Sexual Assault Victim Services

P.O. Box 1994
Santa Ana, CA 92701
South County Office: (949) 752-1971
North County Office: (714) 834-4317
24-hour Hotline for South County: (949) 831-9110
24-hour Hotline for North County: (714) 957-2737
Website: www.cspinc.org/sexual.html
E-mail: sexualassault@cspinc.org

The Sexual Assault Victim Services Program is a component of Community Service Programs and provides extended support services to victims of rape and sexual assault who are residents of or victimized within Orange County. Certified Sexual Assault Counselors work with law enforcement and the Criminal Justice System serving Orange County. The Program maintains 24-hour crisis counseling hotlines with on-call counselors available to provide 24-hour telephone response to clients. Additional services include: crisis intervention and counseling for victims and their families; support groups for mutual sharing and support (support groups for survivors of sexual assault are offered in English and Spanish); emergency assistance; accompaniment to hospitals, law enforcement agencies, court proceedings, and other agencies; advocacy and

intervention on behalf of clients; and information and referrals to connect clients with various community resources.

Community United Against Violence

170 A Capp Street
San Francisco, CA 94110
24-hour Hotline: (415) 333-4357
Website: www.cuav.org
Email: info@cuav.org

Community United Against Violence (CUAV) is a multicultural organization working to end violence against and within our lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, and questioning (LGBTQQ) communities. The Crisis Line is staffed by diverse volunteers and staff who annually respond to over 1,200 calls from LGBTQQ people who are being harassed, threatened, attacked, abused or stalked. Program staff offer case management and peer-based counseling to approximately 400 LGBTQQ survivors of hate violence each year. CUAV provides referrals to health services, safety planning assistance, criminal justice system advocacy, and other support services. CUAV accepts collect calls from prisoners.

Community Violence Solutions, Rape Crisis Center of Marin and Contra Costa Counties

2101 Van Ness Street
San Pablo, CA 94806
Office: (510) 237-0113
24-hour Hotline: (800) 670-7273
Website: www.cvsolutions.org

Community Violence Solutions' Rape Crisis Center responds to more than 1,300 requests for help each year. Survivors of sexual assault receive immediate help through 24-hour crisis line counseling and in person support, including accompaniment to hospitals, police interviews, and legal proceedings. Community Violence Solutions' Stepping Stones Counseling Center specializes in providing counseling for people whose lives have been affected by sexual assault. Services are available to child, adolescent, and adult survivors of recent or past rape, incest, molestation or other forms of sexual abuse, as well as to friends or family members of sexual assault survivors. These services are provided to individuals from offices in San Pablo, Antioch, Concord, and San Rafael.

East Los Angeles Women's Center

1255 South Atlantic Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90022
Office: (323) 526-5819
Toll-free East L.A. Rape and Battering Hotline: (800) 585-6231
Website: www.elawc.org

The mission of the East Los Angeles Women's Center (ELAWC) is to provide a variety of services for women, focusing on sexual and domestic violence and HIV/AIDS. ELAWC offers crisis intervention, prevention, education, and advocacy in order to address the needs of East

LA's multicultural and multilingual community. With an emphasis on the Latino community, ELAWC works to empower and give hope to individuals, families, and the community at large.

Los Angeles Gay and Lesbian Center Anti-Violence Project

1625 N. Schrader Boulevard
Los Angeles, CA 90028-6213
Office: (323) 993-7670
Toll-free (English): (800) 373-2227
Toll-free (Spanish): (877) 963-4666
Website: www.lagaycenter.org
Email: avp@lagaycenter.org.

The L.A. Gay & Lesbian Center Anti-Violence Project provides a broad array of services for people who are, or are perceived to be, lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, intersex, and/or HIV-positive survivors of hate crimes and other forms of violence. As the largest victim-services program of its kind in Southern California, the Anti-Violence Project offers the following resources: crisis and follow-up counseling; detailed documentation and reporting of the hate crimes and hate incidents; advocacy with law enforcement agencies, service providers, and employers; restraining order preparation; accompaniment to court; assistance in securing compensation under California's Victims of Crime Program; attorney consultations; and referrals to long-term mental health services. Whether or not a survivor decides to report the crime to the police, it may help to talk to an advocate about what happened. All victim services are free and confidential. Spanish-speaking staff and volunteers are available. Hay hispanohablantes disponibles para ayudar a víctimas de violencia.

North County Rape Crisis and Child Protection Center

P.O. Box 148
Lompoc, CA 93438
Office: (805) 736-8535
24-Hour Hotline: (805) 736-7273

P.O. Box 6202
Santa Maria, CA 93456
Office: (805) 922-2994
24-Hour Hotline: (805) 928-3554
Email: lompocrc@verizon.net
Website: www.sbcountyrapecrisis.org

The mission of the North County Rape Crisis and Child Protection Center is to reduce sexual assault and child abuse in Northern Santa Barbara County, including Lompoc and the Santa Maria and the Santa Ynez. The North County Rape Crisis and Child Protection Center provides education and prevention skills to children and adults and works to alleviate trauma through direct services. North County Rape Crisis and Child Protection Center can provide advocacy and accompaniment to survivors of sexual assault at local hospitals for SART exams and offers a twenty-four hour confidential crisis line. Prevention education, self-defense classes, support groups, and counseling services in English and Spanish for survivors and their loved ones are

also offered. North County Rape Crisis and Child Protection Center will provide immediate crisis intervention to anyone who contacts them, including men and women of all races, ethnicities, abilities and gender and sexual identities. For survivors convicted of sex crimes, North County Rape Crisis and Child Protection Center will provide appropriate referrals for ongoing support services. All services are free of charge

Operation Care

621 New York Ranch Road
Jackson, CA 95642
Office: (209) 223-2897
24 Hour Hotline: (209) 223-2600
Toll Free 24-hour Hotline: (800) 675-3392
Website: www.operationcare.org

Operation Care is a non-profit organization founded in 1980 that provides domestic violence and sexual assault support services, crisis intervention, and education to Amador County. The Rape Crisis Assistance Program offers counseling, advocacy, and accompaniment services for survivors of family/domestic violence and sexual assault. Counselors are also available 24-hours a day for people experiencing depression, loneliness, substance abuse, stress, parenting difficulties, teenage crisis, and/or child abuse. All services are confidential and free of charge.

Peace Over Violence

605 West Olympic Boulevard, Suite 400
Los Angeles, CA 90015
Office: (213) 955-9090
24-hour Hotline for Central Los Angeles: (213) 626-3393
24-hour Hotline for South Los Angeles: (310) 392-8381
24-hour Hotline for West San Gabriel Valley: (626) 793-3385
24-hour Stalking Hotline: (877) 633-0044
TDD Hotline: (213) 955-9095
Website: www.peaceoverviolence.org
E-mail: info@peaceoverviolence.org

Peace Over Violence is a non-profit, multi-cultural, feminist, community-based volunteer organization whose mission is the elimination of violence against women, youth, and children through working toward social change, equality and social justice. Peace Over Violence Emergency Services offer survivors of sexual assault, domestic violence, and stalking emotional support, information, compassion, accompaniment, and referral and advocacy services, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Project Sister Family Services

P.O. Box 1369
Pomona, CA 91769
Office: (909) 623-1619
Office: (626) 915-2535
24-hour Hotline: (909) 626-4375

24-hour Hotline: (626) 966-4155
Website: www.projectsister.org
E-mail: info@projectsister.org

Project Sister Family Services (PSFS) is dedicated to reducing the trauma and risk of sexual violence and child abuse for women, children, and men of all ages. PSFS annually serves 26,000 individuals through its crisis hotline, individual and group counseling, and prevention education programs in a 70 square-mile service area from the East San Gabriel and Pomona Valleys to Western San Bernardino County communities. Comprehensive services are available to survivors of sexual assault and child abuse and their non-offending family members. Crisis services include: 24-hour help line, information and referrals, advocate support, counseling services, and support groups.

Resource Center for Survivors of Sexual Assault and Family Violence

259 N. Blackstone Avenue
Fresno, CA 93701
Office: (559) 497-2900
24-hour Hotline: (559) 222-7273
Website: www.rcsfresno.com

Resource Center for Survivors of Sexual Assault and Family Violence (RCS) is a non-profit, victim advocacy agency. RCS offers a 24-hour crisis-line available 365 days a year. RCS has advocates who provide crisis intervention, counseling, and advocacy for victims of sexual assault and their families. RCS also offers individual therapy to victims of sexual assault and their families. All services are free of charge.

Riverside Area Rape Crisis Center

1845 Chicago Ave., Suite A
Riverside, CA 92507
24-hour Hotline: (951) 686-7273
24-hour Southwest County Hotline: (866) 686-7273
Website: www.rarcc.org

The Riverside Area Rape Crisis Center is committed to providing support and services to survivors of sexual assault and their families and to providing community education to achieve awareness and prevention of sexual assault. Advocates provide in-person crisis intervention, information, and referrals to victims of sexual assault, family members, and friends. These services are provided at local hospitals, police stations, court, etc. The Crisis Hotline provides crisis intervention, information, and referrals to victims of sexual assault, family members, and friends by telephone. All phone calls are confidential.

San Francisco Women Against Rape

3543 18th Street, #7
San Francisco, CA 94110
Office: (415) 861-2024
24-hour Hotline: (415) 647-7273

Website: www.sfwar.org
E-mail: info@sfwar.org

San Francisco Women Against Rape (SFWAR) provides resources, support, advocacy and education to strengthen the work of all individuals, and communities in San Francisco that are responding to, healing from, and struggling to end sexual violence. SFWAR is a women of color led, volunteer-based organization that has provided rape crisis services to survivors of sexual assault for over 30 years. As the primary provider of rape crisis services in San Francisco, SFWAR also offers support to friends and families of survivors and provides expert advice, training, and assistance to healthcare workers, medical professionals, educators, law enforcement officers, and other professionals throughout the city. All services are confidential and free of charge.

Santa Barbara Rape Crisis Center/Centro Contra la Violación Sexual

433 East Cañón Perdido St.
Santa Barbara, CA 93101
Office: (805) 963-6832
24-Hour Hotline: (805) 564-3696
Website: www.sbrapecrisiscenter.org
Email: sbrcc@silcom.com

Santa Barbara Rape Crisis Center (SBRCC) has been working since 1974 to support survivors of sexual assault and their loved ones and to build a just community free from all forms of sexual violence. SBRCC offers a 24-hour hotline, crisis and long-term counseling, advocacy and accompaniment services, support groups, self-defense training, and sexual assault prevention education. All services are offered in Spanish and English and available regardless of the ability to pay. SBRCC is an inclusive organization that welcomes individuals of all gender identities, sexual orientations, races, classes, abilities, and ages.

The Sexual Assault Recovery and Prevention Center of San Luis Obispo

51 Zaca Lane, Suite 140
San Luis Obispo, CA 93401
24-hour Hotline: (805) 545-8888
Toll-free 24-hour Hotline (800) 656-4673
Website: www.sarpcenter.org
Email: contact@sarpcenter.org

The Sexual Assault Recovery and Prevention Center of San Luis Obispo County is a non-profit organization that provides a safe and caring atmosphere in which survivors of sexual assault can begin to heal. The SARP Center Crisis Line is available 24 hours a day to offer confidential support to survivors and their significant others. Trained Crisis Line volunteers can make referrals to many other community resources, support groups, and mental health care professionals. All calls are kept confidential, and callers are not required to give their names. The crisis line is also available for significant others of sexual assault survivors.

United Against Sexual Assault of Sonoma County

835 Piner Road #D
Santa Rosa, CA 95403
Office: (707) 545-7270
24-hour Hotline: (707) 545-7273
Website: www.uasasonoma.org
E-mail: info@uasasonoma.org

United Against Sexual Assault's (UASA) goal is to provide support to survivors, their family, and friends. UASA promotes social justice and equality for all women, men, and children who have been sexually assaulted. Services include a 24/7 Crisis Hotline, medical accompaniment and legal advocacy, individual therapy, and support groups. The Prevention Department provides outreach programs and seminars to schools, community organizations, and any group looking to educate themselves. All services are confidential.

WEAVE, Inc.

1900 K. Street
Sacramento, CA 95814
Office: (916) 448-2321
24-hour Hotline: (916) 920-2952
Toll Free 24-hour Hotline: (866) 920-2952
TDD Hotline: (916) 443-3715
Website: www.weaveinc.org
Email: info@weaveinc.org

Founded in 1978, WEAVE is the primary provider of crisis intervention services to survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault in Sacramento County. WEAVE serves women, men, teens, and children who are survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault. Free services include: 24-Hour Crisis Line, counseling, prevention and education, emergency response, legal advocacy, and a confidential Safehouse program. Individual and group counseling is available to all survivors of sexual assault: male, female, teen, lesbian, gay, bi-sexual, and transgender. WEAVE offers counseling for significant others and relatives of survivors who may be struggling with their own reactions to the assault.

Women's Center of San Joaquin County

620 North San Joaquin Street
Stockton, CA 95202
Office: (209) 941-2611
24-hour Hotline: (209) 465-4997
Website: www.womenscenterofsjc.com

29 South Washington
Lodi, CA 95241
Office: (209) 368-3406

35 East 10th Street, Suite A

Tracy, CA 95376
Office: (209) 833-0300

The Women's Center has three locations that provide a wide range of services for survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault including women, children, and men. The Women's Center offers a 24-hour Helpline staffed by certified rape crisis counselors who offer crisis intervention, counseling, hospital accompaniment, legal advocacy, and information and referral services to men, women, children, and families surviving sexual assault. Assistance is available even if the assault is not reported. Callers may remain anonymous; all calls are confidential and services are provided free of charge. The Women's Center also offers counseling and support groups for survivors of sexual assault.

Women's Crisis Support - Defensa de Mujeres

233 East Lake Avenue
Watsonville, CA 95076
Office: (831) 722-4532
24-hour Hotline: (831) 685-3737
Website: www.wcs-ddm.org
E-mail: saprogram@wcs-ddm.org

Women's Crisis Support - Defensa de Mujeres (WCSDDM) provides services to survivors of sexual assault for all of Santa Cruz County through their Sexual Assault Program. A 24-hour crisis hotline is staffed by trained sexual assault peer counselors who are always available for support, information, and referrals. Sexual Assault Advocates are specially trained to address issues relating to sexual assault. Advocates are available 24 hours a day to accompany survivors to the hospital, police station and/or to provide court accompaniment. Advocates work collaboratively with law enforcement, hospital staff, and the District Attorney's Office to help sexual assault survivors to understand their options and to navigate the criminal justice system. Advocates also provide information and support for survivors and their families. Additionally, peer counseling and support groups are available for sexual assault survivors, family members or significant others.

YWCA in Santa Clara Valley, Rape Crisis Center

375 South Third St.
San Jose, CA 95112
Office: (408) 295-4011
24-hour Hotline (collect calls accepted): (408) 287-3000
Website: www.ywca-scv.org

Serving all of Santa Clara County, the YWCA offers a broad range of services to a diverse constituency. The Rape Crisis Center works to minimize the traumatic aftermath of sexual assault. Some of the Rape Crisis Center programs include: 24-hour rape crisis hotline, counseling services, support groups, safe ride home, and legal advocacy. Counseling services and support groups are available for survivors, their families, and friends. All services are offered at no charge.

LEGAL RESOURCES

Justice Now

1322 Webster Street, Suite 210
Oakland, CA 94612
Office: (510) 839-7654
Website: www.jnow.org

Justice Now is the nation's first legal training program serving imprisoned women. Undergraduate students and law school students are trained and supervised in providing women prisoners with legal assistance, information, and referrals. Services are offered in prisons and county jails. Individual cases are not accepted, but Justice Now can help women navigate the state's Compassionate Release program when there has been abuse and sexual violence against female inmates. Incarcerated women should send a letter detailing their experience and desired assistance.

Lambda Legal: Western Regional Office

3325 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1300
Los Angeles, CA 90010-1729
Office: (213) 382-7600
Fax: (213) 351-6050
Website: www.lambdalegal.org
E-mail: legalhelpdesk@lambdalegal.org

Lambda Legal is a national organization committed to achieving full recognition of the civil rights of lesbians, gay men, bisexuals, transgender people, and those with HIV through impact litigation, education and public policy work. Western Regional Office provides services for those who are located in Alaska, Arizona, California, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming.

Help Desk Hours (Pacific Standard Time):

Mondays: 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Tuesdays: 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Wednesdays: 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Thursdays: 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Friday: 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

If Help Desk staff are busy helping other callers, your call will be routed to the Legal Help Desk voicemail. Please leave the following information: name, state, contact info, best time to reach you, and a brief message outlining your legal inquiry. A Help Desk staff person will return your call.

It is usually most efficient for Help Desk callers to contact Lambda Legal by phone. If you are in a place where you are not able to make long distance calls, Lambda Legal can make an appointment to call you. If you are absolutely unable to call, you may e-mail Lambda Legal at legalhelpdesk@lambdalegal.org or write to the addresses above.

Legal Services for Prisoners with Children

1540 Market Street, Suite 490
San Francisco, CA 94102
Office: (415) 255-7036
Website: www.prisonerswithchildren.org
E-mail: info@prisonerswithchildren.org

Legal Services for Prisoners with Children does not have funding to provide individual legal assistance to prisoners, but does respond to hundreds of inquiries each month. Legal Services for Prisoners with Children will investigate cases of abuse, assault, and rape by conducting legal visits. They will provide information and referrals that are advocacy-related and they may be able to help guide you through the litigation process. For more information contact Heidi at (415) 255-7036 ext. 321.

Prison Law Office

General Delivery
San Quentin, CA 94964
Office: (415) 457-9144
Website: www.prisonlaw.com

The Prison Law Office provides free legal services to California state prisoners, and occasionally to California state parolees. Assistance is generally limited to cases regarding conditions of confinement. Self-help and informational materials are also provided free of charge to prisoners. All issues concerning individual prisoners and prison conditions should be sent via mail. Telephone calls from prisoners and their families are not accepted.

Transgender, Gender Variant, and Intersex Justice Project

342 9th Street, Suite 202B
San Francisco, CA 94103
Office: (415) 252-1444
Website: www.tgijp.org

The Transgender, Gender Variant, and Intersex (TGI) Justice Project's mission is to challenge and end the human rights abuses committed against transgender, gender variant/genderqueer, and intersex (TGI) people in California prisons and beyond. Specifically, TGIJP assists TGI people in the San Francisco Bay Area awaiting sentencing to petition their judges to divert them into plans that would connect them to needed health, social and economic services, rather than sentencing them to jail or prison. TGIJP also supports base-building projects that build the leadership capacity of TGI communities, and especially among TGI prisoners and former prisoners. Although TGIJP focuses most of its work in California, TGI prisoners and former prisoners from outside California are encouraged to contact the organization for information and support. Prisoners can send confidential legal mail to the above address.

GOVERNMENT RESOURCES

Office of the Inspector General, Sexual Abuse in Detention Elimination Ombudsperson

P.O. Box 348780

Sacramento, CA 95814

Office: (916) 830-3600

Website: www.oig.ca.gov

Through the Office of the Sexual Abuse in Detention Elimination Ombudsperson, the Office of the Inspector General is responsible for overseeing what happens inside California state prisons and ensures the impartial resolution of inmate and ward sexual abuse complaints. The ombudsperson has the authority to inspect all California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) institutions and to interview all inmates and wards.

Write confidentially to the Office of the Inspector General (OIG) at the address above and be sure to mark the envelope “Legal Mail”. The OIG will contact officials at your prison to determine if a report of the alleged abuse has been made and to determine the status of the institutional investigation. Please note that your identity – and that of the alleged perpetrator(s) – likely will become public once the OIG gets involved.

The OIG investigates reports of the mishandling of incidents of sexual abuse within correctional facilities and may be able to provide assistance to prisoners who have been victims of sexual abuse, including transfer to another facility in some cases.

JDI has directly contacted each organization listed in the Resource Guide in hopes of pointing survivors toward those currently accepting new clients. However, the inclusion of any group or individual in the Resource Guide does not necessarily constitute an endorsement or recommendation by JDI, nor can JDI guarantee the availability of the services described here.