SEXUAL ASSAULT PREVENTION & RESPONSE PROGRAM 28 BW, ELLSWORTH AFB, SD

SEXUAL ASSAULT IS A CRIME

Sexual Assault is defined as a sexual act by threat or fear, fraudulent representation, when a victim is asleep, or unconscious, or when a victim does not or cannot consent. Sexual assault includes rape, assault, aggravated and abusive sexual contact, or attempts to commit these acts. Sexual assault can occur without regard to gender, spousal relationship, or age of victim.

24-HR / DAY ELLSWORTH HELPLINE 605-385-SARC (7272)

SAPR Office: Rushmore Center, Building 2500, Suite 2800 Office phone: 605-385-5233 or 605-385-1474 DoD Safe Helpline: 877-995-5247 www.safehelpline.org

SARC & SAPR VA communications are *CONFIDENTIAL*.

Seeking information from SAPR personnel <u>DOES NOT</u> automatically trigger a report.



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REPORTING OPTIONS

RESTRICTED

Allows a victim to report and receive services without triggering an investigation or command notification.

UNRESTRICTED

Allows a victim to report a sexual assault to law enforcement, AFOSI, chain of command, SARC, VA or Health Care Provider and the assault will be investigated.

Both options offer: medical treatment, victim advocate support, legal services and counseling.

The SAPR Program offers Restricted & Unrestricted Reporting Options and advocacy services to Service members who have experienced Sexual Harassment.