TRAINING DETAILS

WHO SHOULD ATTEND
This training is essential for: law enforcement, campus security, victim advocates, SANEs, prosecutors, SART members, college campus staff, social workers, counselors and other health care providers.

CONTINUING EDUCATION
This two day training meets the requirements for the following:

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LODGING ACCOMMODATIONS
Lodging accommodations are available at Stonewall Resort for $77.00 per night plus parking fee and taxes with a valid government ID and reference to attendance at the Symposium/SART Summit. Without a valid government ID, lodging accommodations are $119.00 per night plus parking fee and taxes.

Deadline to receive the discounted rate is March 10, 2012.

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12th Annual
West Virginia
Sexual Assault
& Stalking Symposium

What’s Trauma Got To Do With It?

Tuesday, April 10, 2012
9:30a.m.–4:45p.m.

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A Multidisciplinary Response: Where Do You Fit In?

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AGENDA—12th Annual WV Sexual Assault and Stalking Symposium

Day 1—Tuesday, April 10, 2012
9:00a.m.–10:00a.m. REGISTRATION
10:00a.m.–12:00p.m. KEYNOTE
Understanding and Dealing with Counter-Intuitive Behavior in Sexual Assault Cases—Roger Canaff, J.D.
This session addresses the ‘counter-intuitive’ behavior sometimes exhibited by victims of sexual assault, especially in non-stranger cases or ones involving intoxicants. The focus will be on where this type of behavior comes from, and if it is really ‘counter-intuitive’. Participants will learn how it can be overcome and explained in investigation and trial.
12:00p.m.–1:15p.m. WORKING LUNCH
Victorious Trauma: Assessing Your Needs—Susan Folwell, MSW, LICSW
Understanding trauma and traumatic stress responses in victims of violent crimes is important in order to ensure that the most effective, empathic, and appropriate help is provided. However, it is equally important for first responders to assess personal tools and coping strategies in order to ensure effective self-care.
1:15p.m.–2:45p.m. PLENARY SESSIONS (Participants will choose 1 of the 2 plenary sessions.)
PLENARY 1
Victorious Trauma/Compassion Fatigue: Understanding Burnout—Susan Folwell, MSW, LICSW
This session will equip participants with knowledge of the sources and impact of stress, burnout and trauma. Learn why it is vital, for advocates and other first responders who work with victims of crime, to develop self-care tools and incorporate them into their work routine to help ensure balance and lessen the impact of vicarious trauma.
PLENARY 2
Dynamics of Non-Stranger Sexual Violence—Roger Canaff, J.D.
Learn how offenders in non-stranger sexual assault cases identify and then entrap victims in common scenarios. This session will examine the barriers to investigation and prosecution (i.e., delayed reporting, intoxication and self-doubt on the part of victims) as well as common offender characteristics and strategies for overcoming ‘consent defense’ cases.
2:45p.m.–3:00p.m. BREAK
3:00p.m.–4:45p.m. BREAKOUT SESSIONS A.1–A.3 (Participants will choose 1 of the 3 breakout sessions.)
A.1—Victorious Trauma/Compassion Fatigue: Developing Resilience—Susan Folwell, MSW, LICSW
Working with victims of violent crimes can make victim service providers vulnerable to personal negative effects. Providers can also experience many positive rewards and satisfaction as they become more resilient. This session will provide adaptive strategies that can be used to decrease stress, increase positive outcomes and assist service providers in feeling fulfillment in their work.
A.2—Utilizing Experts in Sexual Assault Cases—Roger Canaff, J.D.
This session will address the appropriate use of various kinds of experts (i.e., medical, forensic, psychological) in sexual assault cases, how those experts are best utilized by investigatory teams and how each type of witness best interacts with the team and the victim (if at all) as the investigation and litigation of the case proceed.
A.3—Victim Interview: Victimization and the Impact of Trauma—Mike Miller, M.A.
This session will focus on sexual assault victimology and the different effects trauma can have on victim behavior. The personal nature of this crime makes it critical that specific techniques be used in victim interviews versus suspect interviews, remembering the need for the first responder to posses sensitivity and skills necessary to support the victim’s needs.
4:45p.m. Evaluations/Certificate Distribution
Keynote Speakers

ROGER CANAFF, J.D.—Mr. Canaff is a practicing attorney who has devoted his legal career to the eradication of violence against women and children, first as an Assistant Commonwealth Attorney in Alexandria, Virginia, then as a Special Victims ADA in the Bronx, New York, and as an Assistant Attorney General with the state of New York. With more than 10 years experience, he has prosecuted cases involving sexual and physical abuse against children and adolescents, and also sexual assault against adults, the elderly and persons with disabilities.

WENDY J. MURPHY, J.D.—Ms. Murphy is an adjunct professor at New England Law/Boston. She is a trial and appellate attorney specializing in the representation of crime victims, women, children and victim service providers and is the founder and director of the Victim Advocacy & Research Group, a volunteer legal advocacy organization that has provided free legal services to victims and other third-parties in the criminal justice system since 1992. Ms. Murphy is a former child abuse and sex crimes prosecutor who sits on many boards and has served on the Massachusetts Governor's Crime Commission and Commission against Sexual and Domestic Violence.

Featured Speakers

SUSAN FOWLE, MSW, LCSW—Ms. Fowle's clinical areas of specialty include interpersonal violence and family abuse (physical and non-physical), trauma, PTSD and related issues. She also specializes in the areas of crisis intervention and post-abuse parenting issues among others. In addition to her private practice and consulting work, she is a staff psychotherapist and program manager at a Metro-Detroit Community Health Center and a member of, and Board Certified by, the American Academy of Experts in Traumatic Stress and the National Center for Crisis Management and has been certified by the Manhasset Community on Domestic and Related Services, and Circuit Court as an expert witness.

SALLY L. LASKEY—Ms. Laskey joined the National Sexual Violence Resource Center (NSVRC) in 2001. She currently serves as the Director of Special Projects and manages several national technical assistance projects. The NSVRC is a comprehensive collection and distribution center for research and emerging policies on sexual violence prevention. Laskey has worked for 20 years in community service and has worked for social change at local, state and national levels. She has experience as an advocate, prevention educator, trainer, researcher and as the Director of the Prevention Division for the Sexual Harassment and Rape Prevention Program at the University of New Hampshire.

MARC MILNOR, M.A.—Senior Investigator Milnor is a 30 year law enforcement professional and holds a Master's Degree in Management & Leadership. Investigator Milnor is responsible for the supervision and management of the entire investigations division of the Campbell County Sheriff's Office in VA. He is an instructor for Virginia DCJS, the Virginia Commonwealth's Attorney's Association, and the Virginia Attorney General's Office in sexual assault investigations. Investigator Milnor has served as Public Safety Director, Sheriff, and Director of a FBI Narcotics Task Force. He is also Vice President of New Forensic Technologies, in addition to his duties with Campbell County Sheriff's Office. His specialties include polygraph examine, interview and interrogation expert, hostage negotiator, emergency management and homicide investigations.

AGENDA—SART SUMMIT

Day 2—Wednesday, April 11, 2012

6:00a.m.-8:30a.m. REGISTRATION
8:30a.m.-10:00a.m. KEYNOTE

Language of Violence, In Law and Society—Wendy Murphy, J.D.

This session will address the problematic nature of language commonly seen but rarely understood as harmful, using examples from court decisions and the media, and will include a discussion of specific ideas for change.

10:00a.m.-10:15a.m. BREAK
10:15a.m.-11:45a.m. PLENARY SESSIONS (Participants will choose 1 of the 2 plenary sessions.)

PLenary 1

Investigations of Sexual Assault: Difficult Yes, Impossible No—Mike Milnor, M.A.

This session will address techniques and tools (i.e., role of the investigator, evidence collection, report documentation, etc.) that result in successful investigations and provide for a victim-centered response.

PLenary 2

SART Sustainability—Sally Laskey

This discussion will allow team members to plan for their SARTs future! Based on several years of research, this presentation will examine key factors for sustainability including building a successful team, member retention, long- and short-range planning, and collaboration.

11:45a.m.-1:15p.m. WORKING LUNCH

Sexual Violence, Criminal Justice & Privacy Rights: Victims Have Liberty at Stake Too—Wendy Murphy, J.D.

This session will address the myriad ways victims' privacy and liberty interests become vulnerable in connection with criminal proceedings. Attention will be given to understanding the various ways a victim's personal and private information becomes subject to disclosure during criminal litigation, and the different ways victims can anticipate and protect against needlessly disclosures of private information.

1:15p.m.-2:45p.m. BREAKOUT SESSIONS—B.1, B.3 (3 breakouts)

B.1—Bullying & Campus Sexual Assault: What's Title IX Got To Do With It?—Wendy Murphy, J.D.

Participants will gain an understanding related to the various mechanisms for enforcement of a victim's rights under Title IX, to evaluate and address and to ensure that any harmful effects on campus are remedied so that the victimized student can enjoy an equal educational opportunity.

B.2—SART Toolkit: Resources to Improve SARTs to Better Serve Our Communities—Sally Laskey

This workshop will provide a hands-on experience with the newly released National Sexual Assault Response Team Toolkit, which was developed by the National Sexual Violence Resource Center with support from funding from the Office for Victims of Crime. An overview of the Toolkit will be provided and access to tools to assist multidisciplinary teams and communities in improving their response to victims of sexual assault.

B.3—Building Capacity Through SARTs—Mike Milnor, M.A.

Participants will discuss real case examples, the importance of case reviews and identify strategies to increase the capacity of SARTs.

2:45p.m.-3:00p.m. BREAK

3:00p.m.-4:30p.m. BREAKOUT SESSIONS B.1—B.2 Repeated: SESSION C.3 NEW

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B.2—SART Toolkit: Resources to Improve SARTs to Better Serve Our Communities—Sally Laskey

C.3—We're In This Together: Panel Discussion—Mike Milnor, M.A.

Participants will gain insight from members of SARTs across the state and have an opportunity to ask questions, share ideas and improve SART responses.

4:30p.m. Evaluations/Certificate Distribution