



JB MDL Sexual Assault Prevention and Response

Sexual Assault Response Coordinators and Victim Advocates are available at major Department of Defense installations to assist victims and survivors of sexual assault.

The JB MDL SARC serves as the single point of contact for integrating and coordinating sexual assault victim (survivor) care 24/7, 365 days a year. The SAPR Office is also responsible for providing Sexual Assault Prevention training throughout the installation.

Sexual Assault Program Assistance

The JB MDL Sexual Assault Prevention and Response (SAPR) program is a collaborative effort between SAPR/SHARP that provides comprehensive services for all branches of Service represented at JB MDL. The list at the bottom of the page provides all POC information to ensure that all Service members have access to immediate rapid response capabilities, advocacy and support services 24/7, 365 days a year. Each program provides prevention and education training upon request.

After you contact the SAPR office, you will be assigned a trained Victim Advocate. Your Victim Advocate will explain reporting options, and may meet you at the hospital for a medical evaluation, treatment and examination. It is your option to accept or decline victim advocacy.

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Sexual Assault Defined

Sexual Assault is criminal conduct that falls well short of the standards America expects of its men and women in uniform and is a violation of our Air Force Core Values.

Sexual Assault is defined as intentional sexual conduct, characterized by use of force, physical threat or abuse of authority or when the victim does not or cannot consent. Sexual assault includes rape, nonconsensual sodomy (oral or anal sex), indecent assault (unwanted, inappropriate sexual contact or fondling), or attempts to commit these acts. Sexual assault can occur without regard to gender or spousal relationship or age of victim.

Consent shall not be deemed or construed to mean the failure by the victim to offer physical resistance. Consent is not given when a person uses force, threat of force, coercion or when the victim is asleep, incapacitated, or unconscious.

Sexual Assault Reporting Options

The Department of Defense has instituted new avenues for reporting sexual assault in the form of Restricted and Unrestricted Reporting. Restricted Reporting allows a victim to report a Sexual Assault without triggering an investigation. It is intended to give the victim (survivor) time and control over the release of their information. Further, it also empowers the survivor to make an informed decision about participating in the criminal process.

Unrestricted Reporting is any report of sexual assault made through normal reporting channels (for example: reports to chain of command, security forces, and/or civilian law enforcement).

Restricted Reporting is available to active duty military, Coast Guard, Reservist performing federal training, members of the National Guard under Title 10 status and military dependents over 18 years of age.

Independent Reporting is an assault reported by someone other than the victim.

If you have been sexually assaulted, help is just a phone call away at JB MDL:

- Air Force Hotline (609) 203-6134
- Army Hotline (609) 562-3849
- Army Reserve (99th Regional Support Command) SARC: 609-562-7541
- Army SHARP Office (609)562-4375
- Marine Corps Hotline: 1-877-432-2215
- Navy Hotline (732) 573-5199
- Navy Civilian Victim Advocate (848) 303-0139

For more information on the JB MDL SAPR program, call the SAPR office at (609) 754-2968.