Our mission is to provide children, youth, families and adults affected by sexual assault, traumatic events and adversity with high quality, effective and culturally respectful care that is coordinated and multidisciplinary. We serve the broader community through leadership, research, community and professional education and public policy advocacy.

We recognize that delivery of quality services is enhanced by a strong commitment to teaching, community service and research. We are dedicated to preventing and countering the harmful effects of traumatic experiences on individuals and society through our training and consultation with professionals and through community presentations and community development work.
Professional training and consultation

- Crisis response with sexual assault/trauma.
- Medical/forensic examination of suspected sexual assault victims.
- SANE (Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner) Training.
- Evaluation and treatment of sexual assault and traumatic stress.
- Evaluation and treatment of young children with sexual behavior problems.
- Investigation and forensic interviewing of suspected child sexual abuse.
- Parent/Child Interaction Training (PCIT).
- Health and permanency needs of children in foster care (FCAP).
- Advanced professional training.
- Technical assistance, case review and consultation.

Presentation and education services

Community presentations

Services designed for your program including training, consultation and assistance with curriculum development of written materials.

- Trauma: impacts and intervention.
- Sexual assault: impacts and intervention.
- Sexual harassment.
- Date/acquaintance rape prevention.
- Sexual assault prevention and awareness.
- Children with sexual behavior problems.
- Mandated reporting: identifying concerns and handling reports of child maltreatment.
- Community sexual offender notification/education meetings.

Community development

We collaborate with community groups towards developing comprehensive, community driven solutions to prevent sexual violence.

To request services

All prevention education and training services or consultations are provided by experienced staff including registered/licensed social workers, licensed physicians, nurse practitioners and nurses.

To register for scheduled courses, contact our education and training conference coordinator.

For information on how HCSATS can meet the training needs of your program, contact one of our education and training social workers.

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