

The Charleston County Housing and Redevelopment Authority Violence Against Women Act Policy

The Charleston County Housing and Redevelopment Authority (CCHRA) is to implement strategies in compliance with the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA). Our objective is to collaborate with local agencies to prevent offenses identified by VAWA.

CCHRA has the following procedures in place to assure applicants and residents are aware of their rights under the Violence Against Women Act.

Information on domestic violence is available to all visitors. The information provides a list of local domestic violence resources services/programs available to persons in need of services. In addition, a copy of form HUD 52641 and a copy of the information are given to all new move-ins as a part of the Orientation Process. Current residents that become victims of domestic violence are referred to local Law Enforcement Agencies for Victim's Advocacy Programs. In addition they are referred to My Sister's House for assistance with temporary housing in a safe environment.

CCHRA provides or offers the following activities, services or programs, either directly or in collaboration with other service providers, to child or adult victims of sexual assault, stalking, domestic or dating violence.

Victims are referred to My Sister's House Volunteer Program, Charleston Domestic Violence Services, Turning Point, Family Violence Intervention Program, Family Violence Treatment Center, Domestic Violence Support Group (Mt. Pleasant), Dee Norton Lowcountry Children's Center, and The Family Violence Intervention Program. In addition Trident United Way provides a 24 hour hotline which contains a database of agencies that provide emergency shelter, case management, youth activities, life skills and after care.

By offering these services, CCHRA complies with the VAWA and its requirements. It is our objective to provide domestic violence services information at the time of orientation, and annual recertification to offer current residents that become victims of domestic violence protection through collaborative efforts with local community organizations and to empower victims with resources to obtain a normal life after the abuse.

CCHRA Human Services Referral List

Domestic Abuse Support Group

My Sister's House

Charleston, SC

(843) 744-3242

Spouse/Domestic Partner Abuse Counseling, Abuse/Violence Related Support Groups



Charleston Domestic Violence Services

City of Charleston Police Dept.

1525 Sam Rittenberg Blvd., Ste. D

Charleston, SC 29407

(843) 720-2473

Spouse/Domestic Partner Abuse Counseling, Crime Victim/Witness Counseling, General Crime Victim Assistance, Family Violence Prevention



Family Violence Intervention Program

4925 LaCross Rd.

Ste. 215

North Charleston, SC 29406

7357802

Spouse/Domestic Partner Abuse Counseling, Anger Management, Abuse/Violence Related Support Groups, Domestic Violence Intervention Programs



Family Violence Treatment Center

1056 E. Montague Ave.

North Charleston, SC 29405

7459111

Spouse/Domestic Partner Abuse Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Group Counseling, Abuse/Violence Related Support Groups



Domestic Violence Support Group (Mt. Pleasant)

Mt. Pleasant Police Department

309 Banks St.

Mount Pleasant, SC 29464

8562189

Spouse/Domestic Partner Abuse Counseling, Abuse/Violence Related Support Groups



Dee Norton Lowcountry Children's Center

1061 King St.

Charleston, SC 29403

7233600

Child Sexual Abuse/Incest Counseling, Child Abuse Counseling, Abuse/Violence Related Support Groups, Sexual Assault Treatment



Parents Anonymous - Trident Area

1285 Avenue G

North Charleston, SC 29405

7470480

Child Sexual Abuse/Incest Counseling, Child Abuse Counseling, Parenting Education, Abuse/Violence Related Support Groups



Sexual Abuse/Incest Support Group

Lowcountry Children's Center

1061 King St.

Charleston, SC 29403

7233600

Child Sexual Abuse/Incest Counseling, Abuse/Violence Related Support Groups, In Person Support Groups



Family Violence Intervention Program Volunteer Program

4925 LaCross Rd.

Ste. 215

North Charleston, SC 29406

7357854

Abuse Support Volunteer Opportunities, Public Relations Volunteer Opportunities, Administration Volunteer Opportunities



My Sister's House Volunteer Program

PO Box 71171

North Charleston, SC 29415

7474069

School Supplies Donation Programs, Personal Care Supplies Donation Programs, Office Equipment/Supplies Donation Programs, Household Goods Donation Programs, Children's Clothing Donation Programs, Baby Clothing/Diaper Donation Programs, Recreational Activities/Sports Volunteer Opportunities, Interpretation/Translation Volunteer Opportunities, Abuse Support Volunteer Opportunities, Criminal Justice/Legal Services Volunteer Opportunities, Counseling/Information Support Volunteer Opportunities, Construction/Home Maintenance Volunteer Opportunities, Public Relations Volunteer Opportunities, Administration Volunteer Opportunities