

## KNOW YOUR RIGHTS

You have options and we are here to help you understand your rights so you can decide the best options for yourself.

- You determine what kind of help you need and when.
- You can receive a forensic medical examination without having to make a report to the police.
- Washington State has sexual assault protection orders which can provide survivors protection from their assailant, such as requiring the offender to stay away from the home, work, and places frequented by the survivor.
- There are confidential hotlines and service providers to call for help and support.

A WORLD WHERE  
**EVERYONE**  
LIVES IN A SAFE  
VIOLENCE-FREE HOME

## CONTACT US TODAY

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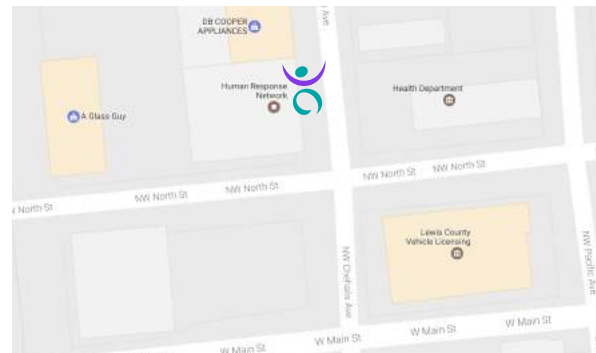
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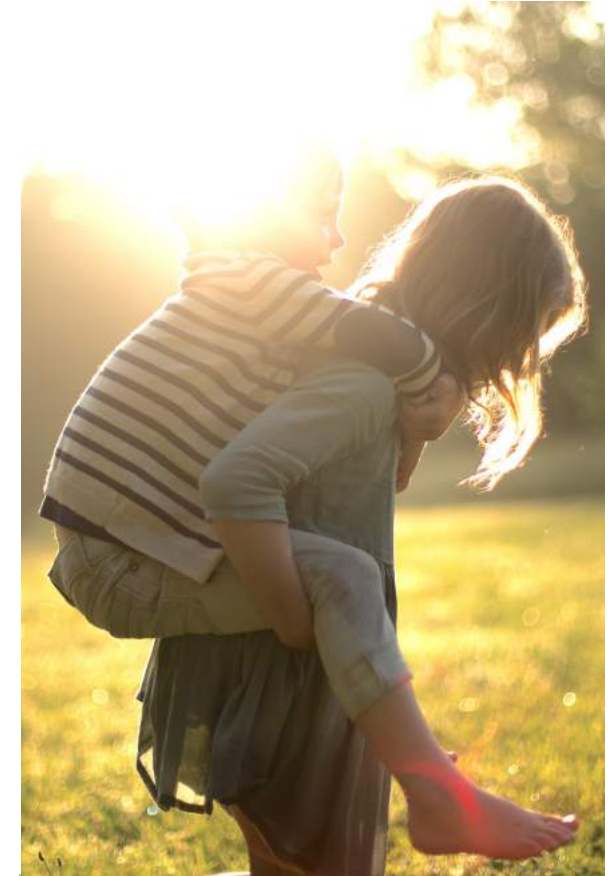
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### Location

125 NW Chehalis Ave. Chehalis WA. 98532



Human Response Network provides services for survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault regardless of age, race, ethnicity, nationality, gender, sexuality, class, religion, veteran status, the presence of a disability, or marital or pregnancy status.



BECAUSE  
**EVERYONE**  
DESERVES TO FEEL SAFE  
AT HOME

# WHAT IS SEXUAL ASSAULT

**Sexual Assault occurs when a person is forced or manipulated into unwanted sexual activity. It can include failed attempts and does not always involve force or threats.**

There are many types of sexual violence including rape, child sexual abuse, and can even occur between intimate partners.

## Who are Victims?

1 out of every 6 American women has been the victim of an attempted or completed rape in her lifetime (RAINN)

1 in 5 women and 1 in 71 men will be a victim of sexual assault in their lifetime according to the CDC. (CDC)

1 in 4 Girls and 1 in 6 Boys experience sexual abuse before the age of 18. (NSVRC)

## Who are Abusers?

Most often rapes are committed by someone known to the victim.

Offenders are overwhelmingly male, ranging from adolescents to the elderly ([victimsofcrime.org](http://victimsofcrime.org))

Some perpetrators are female. It is estimated that women are the abusers in about 14% of cases reported among boys and 6% of cases reported among girls. ([victimsofcrime.org](http://victimsofcrime.org))

# EMPOWERMENT BASED ADVOCACY

**Your life, your choices, your path.**

Human Response Network helps victims understand their situation and their options. We support victims through their process as they move forward and regain control of their life.

Our services are always safe and completely confidential.

**ALWAYS AVAILABLE!**

**We are here for you  
24 hours a day 7 days a week**

**For intervention, information and referrals,  
medical advocacy, and on-going support**

**1.800.244.7414**



# HOW WE HELP

## Advocacy

We empower victims by providing the knowledge and confidence they need to make safe decisions. We are here to support survivors as they navigate their road to recovery.

**WE GIVE YOU THE SAFE,  
CONFIDENTIAL  
HELP YOU WANT**

## Legal Advocacy

Guidance through the legal processes of protection orders and support during court proceedings.

## Medical Advocacy

Information and support related to the forensic medical examination and assistance with Crime Victim Compensation applications is provided by trained advocates.

## Parent Education

Offered to parents of young victims to help understand offender behavior, the needs of their child post abuse, and concrete ways to continually support their child's healing.

## Support Groups

Fellow survivors come together in a supportive environment to share you experiences, strength, and hope with each other.