



November 2018 News

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SAVE THE DATE!

November 27th is
#GIVINGTUESDAY

Advocating for comprehensive responses and rape crisis services for survivors, and empowering communities to prevent sexual violence.



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This holiday season, give back to survivors across the state of Ohio by supporting OAESV and joining the movement to end sexual violence. Your donation contributes to education and awareness efforts, shaping public policy and providing and advocating for comprehensive services for survivors. Click here to make a donation today!



2019 ANNUAL CONFERENCE

WORKSHOP REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

COMMUNITIES IN ACTION

CONFERENCE THEME:

The theme of this year's conference focuses on the collective power of communities to create change in response to sexual violence.

"Communities" can be defined in many ways and it is our hope that this conference will help to expand the circle of people actively working to end sexual violence as well as those caring for others who have been affected by sexual violence.

By engaging new partnerships and building new coalitions in the movement, we can improve our approach to sexual violence prevention and expand services to previously under/unserved survivors.

CONFERENCE INFO:

The 2019 Annual Conference will be held June 19th and 20th at the Conference Center at OCLC in Dublin, OH. A half-day SART pre-conference will be held on June 18th.

For additional information about the conference, please visit our website at www.oaesv.org/conference.

Deadline: Friday, January 4, 2019
5:00 PM Eastern

WORKSHOP PROPOSALS:

We welcome workshop proposals that are supportive of the overall conference theme and fit into the following categories:

1. Prevention
2. Intervention/Advocacy
3. SART (Sexual Assault Response Teams)

Workshops will be 90 minutes in length.

Please prepare all materials prior to submission as information may not be edited.

Proposals will be accepted via the submission form until 5:00 PM on Friday, January 4, 2019.

To fill out the proposal submission form, [click here](#).

Upcoming Trainings and Events

Friday, November 30
10:00am- 3:00pm

**Ohio Center for Occupational
Safety and Health**
13430 Yarmouth Dr.
Pickerington, OH 43147

Youth Engagement to Empowerment Training: Adults as Allies

This training will explore methods for activating young people as change-makers and discusses the important distinctions between efforts that are "adult mentored" to "adults as partners" when engaging youth. Participants can help build meaningful partnerships with youth. Click here to download the training flyer!

Register today by clicking here!

Columbus:

Friday Nov 30- Saturday Dec 1

Cincinnati:

Thursday Dec 6- Friday Dec 7

Toledo:

Friday Jan 11 - Saturday Jan 12



OHMAN
Ohio Men's Action Network

The New Playbook: Standing Strong to Promote Non-Violence

Presented by Ohio Men's Action Network (OHMAN)

This FREE 2-day conference is open to students, athletes, coaches, faculty, staff from Ohio campuses as well as advocates and preventionists.

Presented as a skill-building prevention workshop, "The New Playbook" offers participants the opportunity to increase knowledge and strengthen skills related to effectively challenging attitudes and behaviors that support multiple forms of violence.

For registration and additional information, visit our training and events page by clicking here!



OHIO ALLIANCE TO
**END SEXUAL
VIOLENCE**

Excellency in Legal Advocacy 2018 Regional Trainings

Whether you are new or experienced, this day on criminal law has something for you. This is a full day training, administered in two sessions: Essential Foundations for Ohio Criminal Procedure and Ohio's Sealing & Expungement Process.

This day long training is conducted in two parts, one in the morning and one in the afternoon.

Part 1 (9am - 12pm): Foundations of Ohio Criminal Procedure
- Review Ohio's criminal procedure, helping survivors navigate the system, and the impact of other systems.

Part 2 (1pm-5pm): Ohio's Sealing & Expungement Process
- Information on Ohio's record sealing process and how advocates can assist survivors

Register today by clicking here!

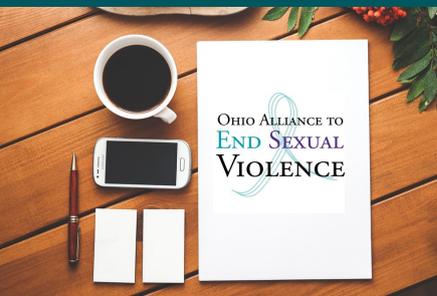
Columbus: December 10

Athens: December 11

Cincinnati: December 12

Toledo: December 13

Cleveland: December 14



Don't Miss Out!

For up-to date information on upcoming trainings and events, including monthly members-only webinars, visit oaesv.org/trainings-events and follow us on Facebook!

Become a 2019 Member of OAESV Today!



OAESV is dedicated to this critical cause, but we cannot do this work alone. Your support powers our statewide efforts and the movement to end sexual violence in Ohio.

OAESV is a membership-based organization that relies on the support of organizations and individuals throughout Ohio to serve as the voice of the sexual assault movement in Ohio. We are a unifying force bringing together parties involved in and affected by sexual assault as a catalyst for change.

By joining us and working together, you can help us achieve even more!

For more information about membership, visit oaesv.org/become-a-member or email us at info@oaesv.org

Will you join us?
Click here to become a member!



Response to Title IX Changes



OAESV knows first-hand that reasonable accommodations for survivors of sexual violence during and after investigations have allowed survivors all over Ohio to continue to pursue an education without fear of further sexual violence or harassment. In cases where Title IX has not been followed, survivors have suffered tremendously in pursuit of their degrees. Further, K-12 survivors, who must attend school each day by virtue of law, have no escape from school-based sexual harassment or violence if school personnel do not act.

It is critical that, despite the deep and frightening changes to Title IX, Ohio's educational institutions commit to protecting survivors and keeping their campuses safe. OAESV implores schools to continue recognizing scientific data on sexual violence and trauma, and support survivors in every possible way allowed under the law.

OAESV will push for changes during the Notice and Comment period, work with campuses to ensure survivors are protected, and support survivors in pursuit of safety and healing.

This fight does not end today.

**Make your voice heard,
Spread the word!**

For information about how to help stop the rollback of survivors' rights and the "Notice-and-Comment" process, visit www.handsoffix.org or by clicking here.

