



Dedicated to confronting oppression and eliminating sexual violence

Ohio Alliance to END SEXUAL

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## 2019 Advocacy Day to End Sexual Violence



Over 100 advocates, survivors, and community members joined in OAESV's 2019 Advocacy Day to End Sexual Violence on April 8th. Our program included remarks from Attorney General Yost and the Office of Governor DeWine. Panelists included Senator Stephanie Kunze and Representatives Galonski and Lanese. Attendees conducted meetings with 92 legislative offices, focusing on increasing the Rape Crisis Centers budget line item to \$3 million per fiscal year. Thank you to all lawmakers and participants for bringing sexual violence survivor priorities to the forefront of Statehouse discussions!

Moving forward, we need to continue this momentum and continue reminding our Ohio legislators about the importance of anti-sexual violence work and about all of the support we need from them in order to make our work effective.

## What We've Been Up To



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## SAAM Spotlight

**hank you** to all of the amazing people around the state who helped raise awareness during Sexual Assault Awareness Month. Here we'd like to highlight just a few examples of folks from the rape crisis programs around Ohio doing this awesome work. Check out their Facebook pages for more details about their work, and don't forget to check out all of the other programs in Ohio too--we couldn't fit everyone!

Survivor Advocacy Outreach Program thanks River Roasters for their SAAM support.



Day One celebrates at the Jam for SAAM fundraiser.

HelpLine reeceives SAAM declarations from mayors in their area.







Some of the awesome bar staff trained by Women Helping Women for the "It's On Us" bar training.



Some local students participate in a program hosted by Cleveland Rape Crisis Center's Hogar Consuelo program.

2019 OAESV Annual Conference

# Register now! Early-bird rates end 5/17.



2019 BAESV Annual Conference

### New This Year:

- Statewide SART Conference on June 18th
- More Advocacy workshops in addition to the Prevention workshops
- Early-bird registration rates (these end May 17th!)



### June 18-20th OCLC Conference Center Dublin, Ohio

#### email questions to conference@oaesv.org

This conference is funded in part by the Ohio Department of Health. If you qualify for a discount (OAESV/ODVN member, RPE-funded organization, presenter, etc.) please be sure to obtain your discount code prior to registration.

Visit http://bit.ly/20190AESVConference to register. The link can also be found through our social media!

## What's Coming Up

OAESV Monthly Webinar

This month's webinar is for RPEfunded organizations. Watch your email for the registration link, and send an email to info@oaesv.org if you didn't receive your invite!

Two Days in May

Hidden Victim, Hidden Crime May 20-21, 2019 Greater Columbus Convention Center 400 N. High St. Columbus, OH 43215

Visit our table and say hi!

#### Open Positions in the Field

#### Legal Resource Center on Violence Against Women, Inc.

• Project Coordinator

#### **Equitas Health**

• Youth Services Advocate

Rape Crisis Centers Line \_\_\_\_\_Item []pdate

On Thursday, May 2nd, we received news that the Ohio House not only accepted Representative Lanese's amendment to increase the rape crisis centers line item to \$3 Million, but it allocated \$4.45 Million per fiscal year!

OAESV has continued its efforts, turning its focus to the Senate. We will provide testimony on May 14th to the Senate Finance subcommittee hearing the budget bill and will continue our resource and outreach efforts to ensure this amount remains in the Senate's final budget.

Thank you to all who've taken part in this collective effort!

### Visit http://bit.ly/2IZPvLY for more details on open positions!

## Join ()ur Team!





Campus & Legal Advocate

Resource & Communications Intern

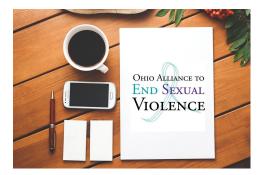


Administrative & Development Intern

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Will you join us? Visit the link in our Instagram profile to become a member!



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 anti-sexual violence movement in Ohio. We are a unifying force bringing together parties involved in and affected by sexual violence as a catalyst for change.

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

For more information about membership, email us at info@oaesv.org

Don't Miss Out!

Soon we'll have a new and improved website that will be more user friendly and will contain even more amazing resources for you. The website is currently under construction, and we'll be so excited to have you join us for the launch!

In the meantime, be sure to follow us on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram so you have up-to-date information on upcoming trainings and events, including monthly members-only webinars!

Thank you for reading!