Thank You for Your Support!

Thank you so much to all who supported our organization and our 2019 fundraising event, Shine the Light, especially the attendees and wonderful keynote speaker, Kenyette Tisha Barnes. We are proud to say that, thanks to your support and the work of our board and the event’s host committee, we were able to raise more than double the amount that was donated at last year’s event. As you know, these funds are used to carry out the mission of our organization—advocating for comprehensive responses and rape crisis services for survivors, and empowering communities to engage in preventing sexual violence.

Because some grants have restrictions on using funds for public policy work, it’s important that OAESV has discretionary funds, such as those generated by your donation, ticket purchase, and raffle ticket purchase. We advocate for policies that directly impact the lives of survivors of sexual violence and the sustainability of rape crisis programs throughout Ohio, such as:

- the 220% increase of the first-ever dedicated funding for rape crisis programs in the state budget, which has allowed for the expansion of services in communities that previously had none
- the extension of the statute of limitations
- the requirement that all rape kits must be submitted for testing and
- legislative bills like advocate privilege, recently re-introduced, which for the first time could enable fully protected communications between rape crisis advocates and the survivors they serve.

This work would never be possible without support from people like you who care about this organization and about survivors in our communities.

You can support us throughout the year by donating at any time, volunteering to work on our projects, joining our mailing list, and, of course, planning to attend (or serve on the host committee for!) the 6th Annual Shine the Light to End Sexual Violence in September 2020. We are so grateful for your support!
Photos from 2019 Shine the Light to End Sexual Violence

Click here to see the rest of the photos!
Have you heard about OAESV’s Legal Access Works program but are unsure of how or when to seek assistance? Do you have questions about exactly what type of legal services OAESV offers to survivors? Or maybe you are familiar with the program, but still want to know more?

This webinar is an opportunity to learn more about OAESV’s Legal Access Works program, including the specifics of what legal services are available, helpful information about the history and funding of the program, and the process for applying for the program. The presentation will also provide information about the difference between an advocate’s role, OAESV’s role and attorneys’ roles regarding the Legal Access Works program.

Participation in this webinar fulfills the initial training requirement necessary for applying for the Legal Access Works program.

Registration information has been sent to your organization’s membership contact, and to your email if you are an individual member.

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email with information about joining the webinar.

Registration is limited to the first 100 participants.
Questions? Contact training@oaev.org
Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.
Cincinnati Alumni and Lambda Theta chapters

THE NEW PLAYBOOK
Standing Strong to Promote Non-Violence
October 19 and 26 | 9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
UC African American Cultural & Resource Center

This two-day workshop is designed specifically to help men define, understand, recognize and prevent violent behaviors
Free registration for all participants

Training facilitated by the Ohio Men's Action Network
Funding made possible by the Ohio Alliance to End Sexual Violence

REGISTER ONLINE: THENEWPLAYBOOK.EVENTBRITE.COM
What's Coming Up

CRIMINAL INFLUENCE:
DISCRETIONARY POINTS & POLICE COOPERATION

The law is written in constitutions, statutes, and precedents. These laws are enacted by individuals making discretionary choices at specific points in the process. Police are critical to the safety of communities and prosecution of perpetrators. Join us for this day-long training teaching the discretionary points of the process and working with law enforcement.

AN OAESV TRAINING IN EVERY REGION!

Register here: https://conta.cc/2Uywvaz

6 hours of Social Work CEU Pending
What's Coming Up

Ohio Alliance to End Sexual Violence

2019 SW OHIO SART SUMMIT

OCTOBER 25, 2019
10:00AM – 2:30PM
LOCATION TBA

OAESV is excited to host this annual opportunity to network with SARTs from across Southwest Ohio and learn about best practices when creating coordinated comprehensive responses to sexual assault. Participants will leave with practical tips detailing how to continue enhancing SART work in their communities.

REGISTER NOW
What's Coming Up

YOUTH ENGAGEMENT TO EMPOWERMENT TRAINING

NOVEMBER 1, 2019 10AM-3PM,
REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 9:30AM

PICKERINGTON, OHIO

Trainer: Chyrel Oates
Case Western Reserve University

This training will explore methods for activating young people as change makers. Discusses the important distinction between efforts that are "adult mentored" to "adults as partners" when engaging youth.

Click HERE to register.
First Friday Legislative Update

November 1st

2019

1-2pm

Watch our social media for the registration link!
WE ARE HIRING!

Campus & Legal Advocate
Engaging Men Coordinator
Prevention Specialist
Training Specialist

For job descriptions, please visit www.oaesv.org

Email your resume and cover letter: info@oaesv.org

Subject: Position Name -- Your Name
Deadline: 8am on 10/16/18
Interested in joining the community?

Check out our website for updates on new job postings from all throughout our network.

Click the purple box, or go to oaesv.org/getinvolved to find out more!

Will you join us?
Click 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 our state. 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 or head to oaesv.org/getinvolved

Don't Miss Out!

Be sure to follow us on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram so you have up-to-date information on upcoming trainings and events!