



## Strengthen Responses to Sexual Violence

<b>Funding for Sexual Assault Services</b>	Lead efforts to maintain funding for sexual assault services.
<b>Sexual Assault Kits</b>	Support best practice proposals that improve the sexual assault kit system and responses to victims of sexual assault.  Identify retention standards and timelines for storage and destruction of unreported kits.
<b>Sexual Harassment</b>	Introduce and support best practices that protect and advance response and prevention of sexual harassment.
<b>Campus Sexual Violence</b>	Support best practice proposals that preserve and advance title IX protections.
<b>Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE) Access</b>	Support efforts to enhance access to quality SANE trainings, programing, and protocol response development.
<b>Human Trafficking</b>	Support efforts to improve access to services for survivors of human trafficking.

## Advance Victim Protections

<b>Statute of Limitations</b>	Support efforts to increase access to justice through the expansion/elimination of statute of limitations on felony sex crimes.  Remove language in SOL statutes that require a victim to file a report with law enforcement.
<b>Sexual Assault Protection Orders</b>	Lead policy efforts to remove barriers for victims in response to the Roake v. Delman decision.  Increase protection order access for students enrolled in K-12 education by striking the student age limit of 18 years of age, as students 21 years of age may be enrolled.

<b>Rape 3</b>	Support policy that acknowledges the neurobiology of trauma by striking current language that places the burden on victims to show through their actions or words lack of consent.
<b>Rideshare Safety</b>	Support proposals that address and improve safety measures for rideshare customers.
<b>Sex Offender Management</b>	Support sound proposals which comprehensively address the sentencing, release, housing, and overall management of adult and juvenile sex offenders in order to improve the safety of victims and communities.
<b>Crime Victims Compensation</b>	Support maintenance of Crime Victims Compensation benefits, including those for sexual assault victims.
<b>Victim Privacy</b>	Support proposals that enhance and protect victims' privacy needs and rights.
<b>Victims of Crime</b>	Support proposals to improve services to victims of other crimes (such as homicide and assault).

*Contact:*

**Washington Coalition of Sexual Assault Programs**  
4317 6<sup>th</sup> Ave SE, Suite 102 – Olympia, WA 98503  
(360) 754-7583 – [policy@wcsap.org](mailto:policy@wcsap.org)