THE FACTS

One sexual assault or attempted assault is too many. Sadly, the incidents far exceed just one, and many cases go unreported.

What we know:

More than 1.5 million Hoosiers report being raped or sexually assaulted. More than 14 percent of Hoosier high school-aged girls and 5.2% of Hoosier high school-aged boys have reported being physically forced to have unwanted sexual intercourse. Source: Indiana State Department of Health

Nationally, nearly 1 in 5 women and 1 in 38 men have experience completed or attempted rape. Data is incomplete as many cases are unreported. The monetary cost of sexual violence is estimated at more than \$122,000 per victim, including medical costs, lost productivity, criminal justice activities and other costs. Sources: Centers for Disease Control and End Sexual Violence.

WHO WE ARE

Women4Change is a is a nonpartisan, grassroots, collaborative organization whose mission is to equip and mobilize women to engage effectively in political and civic affairs in order to strengthen our democracy and to advocate for the leadership, health, safety, and dignity of all women in Indiana. Learn more by heading to https://www.women4changeindiana.org/

The Indiana Coalition to End Sexual Assault (ICESA) seeks to improve Indiana's response to victims of sexual assault and human trafficking by raising awareness and educating Hoosiers through primary prevention initiatives, creating a culture of care that will lead to the end of sexual violence. Learn more here: https://indianacesa.org/