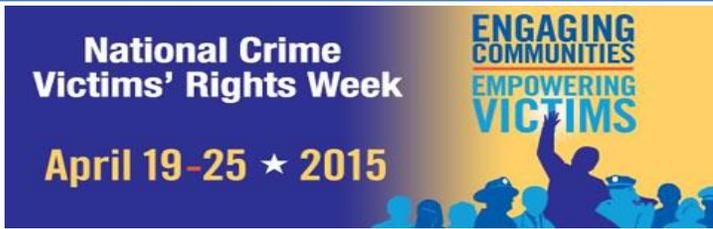


Hyde County Hotline

March 2015

24 Hour Crisis Line 252-925-2500



Victim's Rights:

- ✓ You have the right to be given information about the crime, how the criminal justice system works, the rights of victims, and the availability of services to victims.
- ✓ You have the right to be informed of and be present at court proceedings of the accused.
- ✓ You have the right to talk with the prosecutor and provide a Victim Impact Statement (VIS).
- ✓ You have the right to be heard at the sentencing of the accused and at other times as allowed by law.
- ✓ You have the right to receive restitution.
- ✓ You have the right to receive information about the conviction or final disposition and sentence of the accused.
- ✓ You have the right to present your views and concerns to the Governor or agency considering the release of the accused.

http://www.ncdistrictattorney.org/sethedwards/victims_rights.htm

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HOMICIDES
IN NC
from January 1 – January 23, 2015
1 Murder
www.nccadv.org**

1 V VICTIM VOICE	ELEMENTS OF JUSTICE VOICE • DIGNITY • FAIRNESS		2 Py PRIVACY
3 Pt PROTECTION	4 Pr PRESENCE	5 Sd SPEEDY DISPOSITION	6 Fa FAIRNESS
7 In INFORMATION	8 D DUE PROCESS	9 Rp RESPECT	10 S IMPACT STATEMENTS
11 PR PROPERTY RETURN	12 Dy DIGNITY	13 Ac ACCESS	14 Nt NOTICE
15 Rt RESTITUTION	16 Cr CONFER	17 Cm COMPENSATION	18 Y YOU

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Women's History Month 2015

The United States celebrates Women's History Month in March in order to highlight and celebrate the many historic and contemporary contributions of women to society. While the commemoration has its roots back in the 1800s when female factory workers in New York City staged protests over working conditions, Congress only established Women's History Month in 1987, [according to the U.S. Census Bureau](#).

OUR MISSION: The purpose of Hyde County Hotline, Inc. is to work to eliminate domestic abuse and sexual victimization and provide safe shelter in Hyde County, North Carolina through the collaborative efforts of a compassionate community. We promote dignity, respect and safety at home resulting in safer communities.

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Race across the Lake Hyde County Hotline



Registration

\$25 cash or check payable to Hyde County Hotline.

Saturday, April 25, 2015 8:00 am Race Begins at 9:00 am

Location: at the intersection of Hwy 94 and the North Lake Rd in Fairfield.

The \$25 registration fee includes Run/Walk registration, a registration packet and refreshments.

****registration packets are only guaranteed for registrations submitted by March 20th****

5k – 3.1 miles
10k – 6.2 miles
Lake Rd – 7 miles

REGISTRATIONS WELCOME ON DAY OF EVENT

8:00 AM – 9:00 AM

Saturday, April 25, 2015

Pick up registration packets at check in table.

For more information or to registers, please go to www.hydecountryhotline.org or call 252-925-2502.

Information has also been posted on our Facebook page.

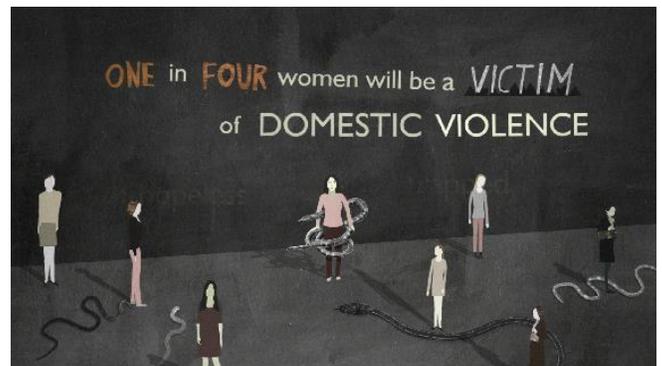


Save the Date

3rd Annual
Hyde County Children's
Health Fair Extravaganza



Friday, April 10th
10:30am – 2:30pm
kids 12 and under eat free



at the O. A. Peay Gym, Swan Quarter

For more information or to reserve a table, please
contact

Lisa Woolard: lisa@beaufortcountykids.org

Or

Eve Richardson: echydehotline@gmail.com
or 252-925-2502



**74% OF AMERICANS
PERSONALLY KNOW
A VICTIM OF
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.
DO YOU?**

STAND WITH US AGAINST DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.

How you can help...

**Donate to our Thrift Stores – call us for pick-up of large items 252-925-2502 (all donations are tax deductible)

**Ask us about presentations **Ask how we can help you

** Tell others about us

**Monetary donations are accepted: PO Box 335, Engelhard, NC 27824

We're on the Web!

Visit us at:

www.hydecountryhotline.org



Crime Victims Compensation

Victims of crime in North Carolina have special rights to know more about their case and seek restitution.

Our Victims and Citizens Services section can talk to victims, connect them with community services and tell them how to find out about eligibility for financial assistance, medical care and lost wages.

Financial Help for Victims

North Carolinians who need medical care or who miss work because they were a crime victim may also qualify for compensation. Through the [Crime Victims Compensation Act](#), North Carolina helps victims recover the costs of medical care and lost wages.

Victims and their families may be eligible to be compensated for financial losses that are not covered by insurance, worker's compensation funds, Medicare, or restitution payments.

For information on how to apply, visit [North Carolina Crime Victims Compensation Services](#) or call toll free at 1-800-826-6200/(919)733-7974.

Helping Crime Victims Get Restitution

Under North Carolina law, crime victims are supposed to be the first in line for payment when criminals pay restitution to the court. If a criminal who harmed you owes you restitution, our [Victims and Citizens Services](#) section may be able to help.

Non-Profit Groups – Hyde County Hotline 24 Hour Crisis Line 252-925-2500.

North Carolina Victim Assistance Network

Visit the [North Carolina Victim Assistance Network](#) web site or call toll free at 1-800-348-5068 or (919) 831-2857. This organization provides valuable information and assistance for victims and family members of crime victims.

North Carolina Coalition Against Sexual Assault

Visit the [North Carolina Coalition Against Sexual Assault](#) web site or call 1-888-737-2272.

Rape Victims Assistance Program

Visit the [Rape Victims Assistance Program](#) web site or call 1-800-826-6200.

North Carolina Coalition Against Domestic Violence

Visit the [North Carolina Coalition Against Domestic Violence](#) web site or call 1-888-997-9124.



We Can Help

If you or a loved one is the victim of a crime, contact Attorney General Cooper's Victims and Citizens Services section for help at (919) 716-6780.

Findings from the National Violence Against Women Survey, July 2000

Domestic Violence Pervasive

According to the National Violence against Women (NVAW) survey, sponsored by the National Institute of Justice and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, intimate partner violence is pervasive in U.S. society. Nearly 25% of surveyed women and 7.5% of surveyed men said they were raped and/or physically assaulted by a current or former spouse, cohabiting partner, or date at some time in their lifetime. Stalking by intimates is more prevalent than previously thought, exceeding previous nonscientific “guesstimates” of stalking in the general population. Almost 5% of surveyed women and 0.6% of surveyed men reported being stalked by a current or former spouse, cohabiting partner, or date at some time in their lifetime.

Women Bear the Brunt of the Violence

Women experience more intimate partner violence than do men. The NVAW survey found that women are significantly more likely than men to report being victims of rape, physical assault, or stalking than men. Women also experience more chronic and injurious physical assaults at the hands of intimate partners. The survey found that women who were physically assaulted by an intimate partner averaged 6.9 physical assaults by the same partner, whereas men averaged 4.4 assaults.

Read more: [Findings from the National Violence against Women Survey, July 2000](http://www.infoplease.com/ipa/A0875303.html#ixzz3TFpPnKO4)
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Volunteers are vital to the organization’s overall functioning and success.

"Volunteers are not paid -- not because they are worthless, but because they are priceless."

Hyde County Hotline is a private, non-profit organization in Hyde County dedicated to promoting dignity, respect and safety at home resulting in safer communities. All proceeds from the thrift stores go to support the Hyde County Hotline mission. All donations are tax-deductible and tax donation forms will be mailed to you from Hyde County Hotline.