

Sexual Assault
Domestic Violence
Interpersonal Violence
Sexual Harassment

United States
Air Force
Victims' Counsel

The Victims' Counsel (VC) team works for **YOU**.

YOU have your own team of Judge Advocates and Paralegals dedicated solely to your concerns.

VCs will vigorously defend YOUR rights to privacy, respect, and confidentiality. **Useful Numbers:** 

DoD Safe Helpline 24/7 Crisis Support 877-995-5247

Center for Sexual
Assault Survivors 7
57-236-5260
visitthecenter.org



afjags.af.mil

# **Restricted Report**

Does NOT start an investigation with AFOSI Chain of command is NOT notified

### You Can Make a Report To:

- SARC/FAP/DAVA
- Health care provider
- Trained Victim Advocate
- Mental Health

### You are Entitled to:

- Confidential reporting
- Your own free VC
- VC provided regardless of your restricted/unrestricted decision
- Medical/Counseling Services
- Protection of your rights



## **How VCs Help**

Represents YOU & YOU alone
Provides confidential advice
Protects YOUR rights/interests
Advises YOU on the military justice
legal process

Attends interviews with YOU Advocates for YOU

Appears with YOU in military proceedings

Victims' Counsel have an independent chain of command. They are not influenced by the victim's or perpetrator's chain of command.

## **Unrestricted Report**

Initiates investigation with AFOSI Chain of command is notified

## You Can Make a Report To:

- SARC/FAP/DAVA
- Chain of Command
- Law enforcement (SF, OSI)
   Victims' Counsel

#### You are Entitled to:

Your own free Air Force VC who will:

- Protect your interests and rights in all interviews and courtmartial proceedings
- Appear with you in court
- Advocate for you
- Details about your case
- Medical/Counseling services