

What is sexual violence?

How to contact us

Any woman can be affected by sexual violence!



### Examples of sexual violence include the following:

- unpleasant, suggestive looks
- misogynous or sexist remarks
- sexual innuendos
- unwanted touching of a woman or a girl
- forcing a woman or a girl to perform sexual acts
- rape
- sexual abuse during childhood

Sexual violence seriously injures both physical and emotional health.

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Consultation, court assistance and prevention

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### You can reach us by phone:

Monday to Thursday:  
10:00 – 15:00 (10 a.m. to 3 p.m.)

Consultations are also available outside these office hours. Just arrange an appointment with us. Give us a call or send us an e-mail.

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Counselling Centre  
for women and girls  
affected by sexual violence

## Come and see us, ...

- if you have experienced sexual violence in the past – no matter when it happened
- if you are afraid and easily startled
- if memories of past sexual violence are stressful for you
- if you need support in a court case

## We provide

### Crisis support

We offer consultations to women and girls from the age of 14 who have experienced or averted sexual violence.

### Psycho-social counselling

Together with you, we will find ways to cope with this difficult situation.

### Advice for associated persons

We provide advice to relatives, companions, teachers, social workers and others.

### Consultation on filing a complaint

We offer consultations, if you want to file a complaint for sexual violence or have questions about court proceedings. Attending our consultation doesn't mean you have to file a complaint!

### Court assistance according to Federal Ministry of Justice regulations

We advise you on filing a complaint and on legal proceedings. We accompany you to the police and to court. Our advisors and our lawyers are present at trial.

## We are ...

- **a team of women** who are experts on the subject of sexual violence.
- **Everything you tell us will remain confidential.**  
Nobody will find out your name if this is important to you. Nobody will find out that you came to see us.
- Our Counselling Centre exists since 1982. We are a private association and supported with public funds.\*
- **Our consultation and support are free.**  
The court assistance offered by our lawyers is also free of charge.
- In individual consultations, **together we will find ways to help you cope with the difficulties caused by your experience.**  
We will support you to regain control over your own life.

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