

Sexual Assault Awareness Month

April marks Sexual Assault Awareness Month (SAAM), a time dedicated to raising awareness about sexual violence, supporting survivors, and promoting prevention efforts nationwide. The Mohave County Attorney's Office encourages everyone to come together through events, campaigns, and education initiatives to foster a culture of consent and respect.

The Importance of SAAM

Sexual violence is a widespread issue, with millions of people affected each year. According to the National Sexual Violence Resource Center (NSVRC), 1 in 3 women and 1 in 6 men will experience sexual violence in their lifetime. SAAM provides an opportunity to highlight the importance of prevention and the need for continued change.

Ways to Participate

- **Donate** – Giving donations or volunteering at local crisis centers can provide essential services to survivors in your area.
- **Spread the Word** – Use social media to share stories, resources, and educational materials to combat stigma and misinformation.
- **Support Survivors** – Listening, believing, and supporting survivors fosters healing and strength.
- **Wear Teal** – Starting April 7th, you can come to the Mohave County Attorney's Office to receive a teal sexual assault awareness ribbon.

For more information, visit www.nsvrc.org.