



Rape Crisis Services

FORENSIC NURSING

- Medical Examination
- STI Testing and Prophylaxis
- Expert Testimony

COUNSELING

- Crisis Counseling
- Individual and Group Counseling

ADVOCACY

- Crisis Intervention
- Court Accompaniment
- Justice System Advocacy

OUTREACH

- Community Education
 - Professional Education
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Location

1060 Madison Avenue
Memphis, TN 38104

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www.shelbycountyttn.gov/victim

**CALL US FIRST!
24-HOUR SEXUAL
ASSAULT HOTLINE:
901-222-4350**

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Shelby County Crime
Victims & Rape Crisis
Center



Empowering and Educating Victims

The Shelby County Crime Victims & Rape Crisis Center (CVRCC) is a caring and supportive place that can help anyone who has recently experienced rape or sexual violence. CVRCC provides a free medical forensic exam, which may include a rape kit, for any age or gender and can connect survivors with other needed services.

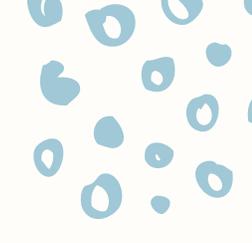
The exam is conducted by a Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE), who is specially trained in the collection of evidence and the care of sexual assault victims. In addition to the exam, the SANE can provide testing for sexually transmitted infections (STIs) and pregnancy.



WHAT TO EXPECT

Upon the initial visit to the center, the victim is met by a Crime Victim Advocate and a Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE). Possible options for medical services are discussed, including evidence collection, as well as ongoing advocacy services.

ALL SERVICES ARE FREE AND CONFIDENTIAL



COUNSELING

Victims are offered free and confidential counseling to help them and their families manage the emotional impact of an assault. CVRCC counselors are trained to help victims understand and cope with the range of emotions that often follow sexual victimization.

COURT INVOLVEMENT

Holding sexual assault offenders accountable can be empowering for both the victim and the community. CVRCC is here to walk alongside the victim throughout the justice system. CVRCC advocates and nurses will discuss options of reporting the crime to law enforcement. If the case is prosecuted, advocates will help victims navigate the court process and stay updated on case developments.

