

Care

All care is given with the client in mind. We do not judge. Our client's privacy and their wishes are respected by our team.

Nursing

24/7 specialized care through Brockville General Hospital's Emergency Department:

- Physical exam and treatment of injuries
- Evidence collection and forensic documentation
- Pregnancy prevention
- Testing and treatment for sexually transmitted infections
- Nursing support, follow-up care and referrals

Counselling

- Individual or group counselling on issues related to sexual assault and domestic violence
- Emotional support / coping strategies
- Risk assessment / safety planning
- Access to resources, referrals and advocacy
- See you in your home community if you do not have access to transportation

Outreach & Training

Our goal is the prevention of violence in our community. Raising awareness and providing training are important parts of what we do. Our staff is available to answer questions, offer resources, conduct presentations and provide training on topics such as domestic violence, sexual abuse, date rape and sexual harassment. Individual presentations and seminars can be tailored for professionals, community organizations, schools, youth groups and area businesses.

How To Reach Us

Emergencies

Go directly to the Emergency Department of Brockville General Hospital. Ask for the ARCC on-call Nurse.

BGH: 613-345-5645

For counselling, referrals, requests for training, presentations, or general information, contact us at:

613-345-3881
1-800-567-7415
arcc@bgh-on.ca
Fax: 613-345-4673

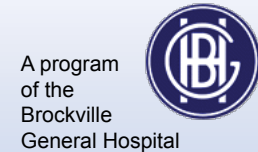
Monday – Friday 8:30 – 4:30 pm

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We Are Here When You Need Us

 The Assault Response & Care Centre provides services to women, men, teens and children who live in the United Counties of Leeds & Grenville.

 We provide care and support to individuals who have been victims of domestic violence, partner assault, sexual assault and historical sexual abuse.

 Established in 1995, ARCC is funded by the Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care and Ministry of Community and Social Services.

 We are a program of Brockville General Hospital and a member of the Ontario Network of Sexual Assault/Domestic Violence Treatment Centres. www.satcontario.com

Many people don't report assaults until much later.

We can help whenever you decide to talk about it.



Sexual Assault

Sexual assault is any form of unwanted sexual activity including fondling, touching, and/or penetration without that person's consent. Consent is a voluntary agreement between two adults to engage in a sexual activity. Someone who is under the influence of medication, drugs or alcohol is not in the position to give consent.

Both women and men can be sexually assaulted. It is a serious crime whether committed by a stranger, friend, family member or partner.


Domestic Violence


Partner abuse is a crime. The purpose of this abuse is control over one's partner. Domestic violence is primarily committed by men against women but also occurs in same sex relationships and by women against men. Abuse is not always physical.


Control can include other forms of abuse such as constant threats, psychological, emotional, sexual, financial, material, spiritual and verbal abuse. Partner abuse happens at all income and educational levels, in all social classes, religions, racial and cultural groups.


We Understand


Facts:


 Anyone can be a victim of sexual assault regardless of age, sex, ethnic background, ability, social status or physical appearance

 1 in 4 women are sexually assaulted in their lifetime

 1 in 3 women treated for trauma have been injured by an intimate partner

 1 in 6 males will be sexually abused

 Males are most at risk for sexual assault when they are under 16 years of age or as men with disabilities

 Most assaults are committed by someone the victim knows

