



Legal Advocacy

LEGAL ADVOCACY

HLFCC provides support, information and resources for individuals and families who are navigating the legal system. Advocates assist survivors by providing legal advocacy in the following areas:

- Informing victims of family violence and sexual violence of their rights in the criminal justice system
- Assist with filling out protection orders
- Accompanying clients to court to obtain protection orders
- Aiding clients in filling out Victim Compensation paperwork for financial restitution
- Acting as liaisons between State Attorney's' offices, Legal Aid and/or private attorneys
- Accompanying clients to hearings for civil and/or criminal matters connected to family violence and sexual violence incidents
- Provides counseling, support, transportation, referrals and collaboration with Legal Aid to facilitate this process.

All services are free and confidential



HIGHLAND LAKES FAMILY CRISIS CENTER

DEDICATED TO ENDING DOMESTIC AND SEXUAL VIOLENCE

HLFCC is committed to offering services for survivors of family violence, dating violence, stalking and adult/child survivors of stranger and non-stranger sexual assault. We also provide prevention education to youth in our local schools, as well as community education regarding the issues surrounding domestic and sexual violence. Services are available in English and Spanish.

It is the policy of Highland Lakes Family Crisis Center to provide equal opportunities for service, volunteerism and employment without regard to race, color, religion, disability, nationality, sex, English proficiency, age, sexual orientation or gender identity, or any other legal status.



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