



GFWC Signature Program

November 16, 2020



Domestic and Sexual Violence Awareness and Prevention

The goal is to increase awareness of and help prevent domestic abuse and violence against women by working with national domestic violence networks, supporting existing activities and programs and initiating educational opportunities for club members and local citizens. Program areas of focus:

Intimate Partner Violence

Child Abuse

Teen Dating

Campus Sexual Assault

Elder Abuse

Violence Against Native American Women

Military Sexual Assault

Human Trafficking for Sexual Purposes

Resource Organizations

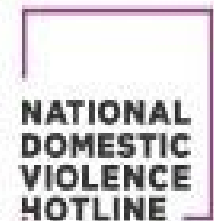


Founded in 1988 by Sara OMeara and Porter Robinson
PREVENTION AND TREATMENT OF CHILD ABUSE

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NATIVE
ALLIANCE
AGAINST
VIOLENCE



RAPE,
ABUSE &
INCEST
NATIONAL
NETWORK



World Health
Organization



Let's Review ...



Stages of Domestic Violence



Challenge Project



Success for Survivors
Scholarship



Starfish Project



Awards & Reporting



Identifying the Cycle to BREAK the Cycle The 4 R's...



Recognition: Stage of Possible/Current Victim

Realize there is or could be a problem. How it is impacting others?

Rescue: Stage of Possible Victim/Current Victim

What are the actions to get out of or away from the problem?

Recovery: Stage of Survivor

How to encourage the survivor to regroup with assistance?

Renaissance: Stage of Survivor

Steps out in positive direction. Integration into creating a new sense of self and personal future.



Challenge Project

Teen Dating Violence Awareness and Prevention Programs

Project Ideas...

- Create awareness campaigns using guidelines from the National Resource Organization.
- Prepare information on life skills
- Support law enforcement efforts and/or assistance programs
- Volunteer in local shelters
- Provide information of local therapy projects
- Assist with clothing and hygiene needs
- Present avenues for job training
- Introduce professional development opportunities available
- Locate scholarships available for survivors





Success for Survivors Scholarship

- **\$2,5000** scholarship awarded annually to help survivors of intimate partner violence obtain a post-secondary education that will offer them the chance to reshape their future by securing employment and gaining personally employment.
- **Eligibility:**
 - Survived intimate partner violence
 - US citizen or permanent legal resident
 - Enrolled or planning to enroll at an accredited public or private post-secondary or vocational institution
 - Recommended by licensed or accredited domestic violence agency and/or counselor or social worker, willing to provide information on behalf of the applicant.



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Success for
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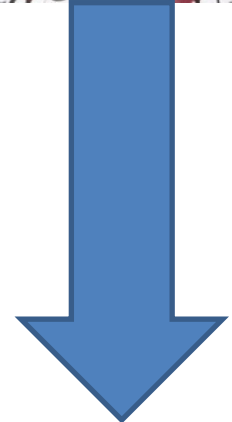
COVID-19 & Sexual Violence

ELIGIBILITY

Candidates must meet one of the following criteria:

- The applicant identifies as a survivor/victim of sexual violence (i.e. rape, sexual assault, sexual harassment, etc.) and has been impacted by COVID.
- The applicant is a North Carolina service provider and/or advocate for survivors/victims of sexual violence and has been impacted by COVID.

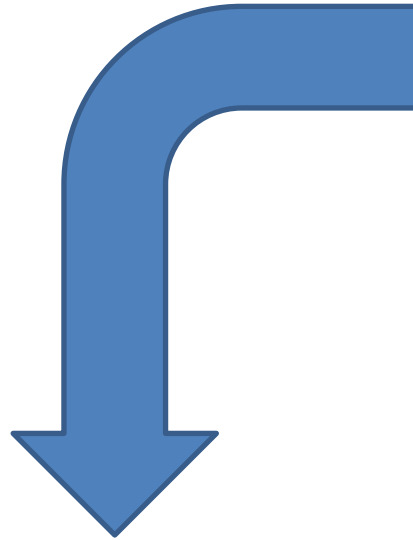
*Survivor/Victim services would include, but are not limited to: care, such as advanced counseling/therapy, or providing a retainer for a civil attorney to assist the survivor/victim.



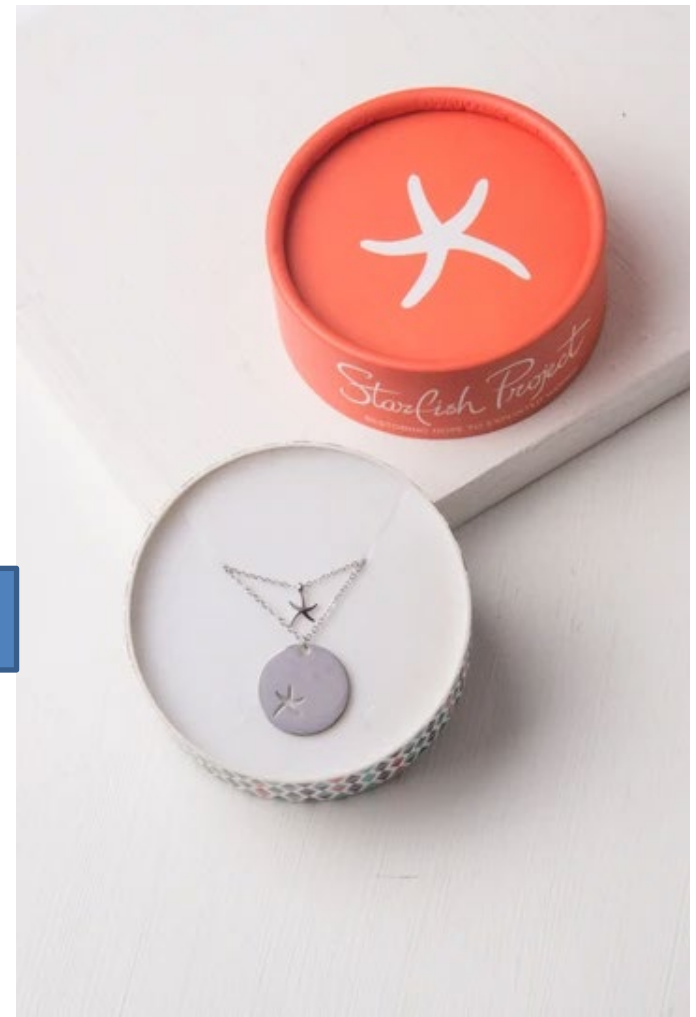
[NCCASA COVID-19 Survivor &/or Advocate Form](#)



Starfish Project



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A purchase of this
Community Silver Starfish
Pendant Necklace Set
(\$49.99) is equal to 2 weeks
of safe shelter.



Reporting & Club Awards

- Club Presidents to report all project statistics on the CP&S form and send to the GFWC-NC 1st VP.
 - Award for Signature Program to be submitted to Sharon Day
 - If emailed: smday15@gmail.com
 - One copy of the completed award form along with the project narratives due **midnight, February 1, 2021**
 - If postal mailed:
 - One copy of the completed award form along with the project narratives postmarked by **February 1, 2021**
- Contact Sharon for her address if you plan to mail the award form with the narratives.***

Summary - Closing



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