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**The South Dakota Network
Against Family Violence
and Sexual Assault**



Liaison Services are Available for Sexual Assault Victims /Survivors With Disabilities in South Dakota

TYPES OF SERVICES PROVIDED

- ◆ Case management
- ◆ Civil legal advocacy (protection orders, accompanying to court hearings)
- ◆ Civil legal assistance (provided by attorney or paralegal)
- ◆ Criminal justice advocacy/ court accompanying
- ◆ Crisis intervention
- ◆ Employment assistance (job training, coaching, supported or sheltered employment)
- ◆ Forensic exam assistance (provided by nurse or forensic examiner)
- ◆ Hospital/clinic accompanying
- ◆ Language services (interpreters and translators)
- ◆ Long term Care (assist with connecting to services for daily needs)
- ◆ Peer Support connections
- ◆ Personal Planning (assist victim/ survivor with goal-setting and develop plans to accomplish)
- ◆ Respite (connect to short term care to victim/survivor to relieve primary caregiver[s])
- ◆ Transportation acquisition (assist victim/survivor with securing means of transportation)
- ◆ Victim/ Survivor advocacy (actions designed to assist victim/survivor in obtaining support, resources or services, including housing, employment shelter services, health care, victim's compensation, etc.)

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