



In Your Reach: Providing Services to Survivors in Rural Detention Facilities

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Today's Moderator



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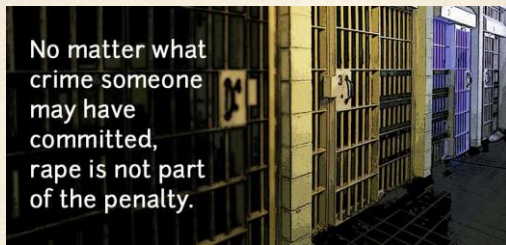
JDI is a health and human rights organization that seeks to end sexual violence in all forms of detention.

Core goals:

1. Hold government officials accountable
2. Change public attitudes about sexual violence behind bars
3. Ensure survivors get the help they need



JDI's Core Belief



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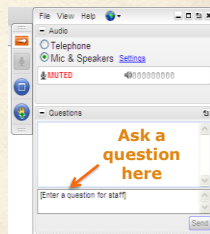


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Webinar Logistics

- Self-care
- Questions and comments
- Archived recording
- Resources



Webinar Agenda

- I. Rural Communities and Corrections Facilities
- II. Prevalence of Sexual Abuse in Rural Detention Facilities
- III. Stories from the Field
- IV. Serving Survivors in Rural Prisons and Jails: Challenges, Opportunities, and Strategies



Beverly was sexually abused by a female officer in a Texas prison. She was transferred to a maximum security prison far away from her family after reporting the abuse.



Policarpio's Story

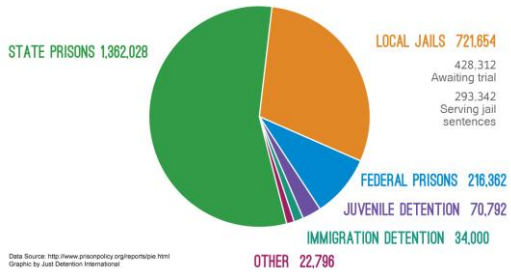


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Submit your TOWN/CITY and STATE in the questions box.

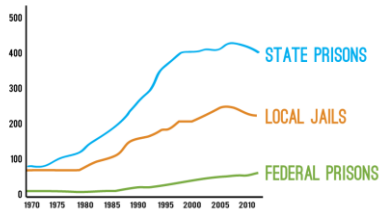


HOW MANY PEOPLE ARE LOCKED UP IN THE UNITED STATES?



INCREASES IN INCARCERATION BY TYPE OF FACILITY

Number of people incarcerated per 100,000 population, 1970-2012



What has this meant for rural communities?



Prevalence of Sexual Abuse in Confinement



1 IN 10 former adult state inmates reported being sexually abused while in detention

Source: Bureau of Justice Statistics, *Sexual Victimization Reported By Former State Prisoners, 2008*, May 12, 2012. Graphic by Just Detention International.



Prevalence of Sexual Abuse in Prisons and Jails



Source: Bureau of Justice Statistics, *Sexual Victimization in Prisons and Jails Reported by Inmates, 2011-12*, May 2013.



Stories from the Field: Partnerships in Rural Communities



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Challenge:
Lack of local rape crisis services



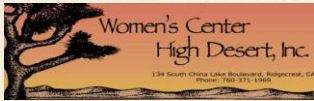
Control Room, Lincoln County Jail,
Hugo, Colorado

**Lincoln County,
Hugo, Colorado**

- Nearest rape crisis center is in Denver
- No confidential victim advocacy services available



**Challenge: Large service area with
several corrections facilities**



Kern County, California

- Huge service area with a combination of rural and semi-urban communities
- Prisons, jails, lockups, military detention, and youth facilities
- One-stop shop for women's and survivors' services



Challenge:
No Community Response Teams

Barnwell County, Barnwell, South Carolina

- Rape crisis center serves many communities
- No forensic examiners and no sexual assault response team

Trinity County, Weaverville, California

- Limited resources
- Difficult travel conditions
- No organized SART



Healthy Families: Clallam County



Becca Korby
Executive Director
Healthy Families



Healthy Families: Clallam County



Clallam County, Port Angeles, Washington

- Former timber country
- Poverty, lack of mobility, and drug industry
- Healthy Families meets multiple community needs



Port Angeles, Washington



Healthy Families: Clallam County



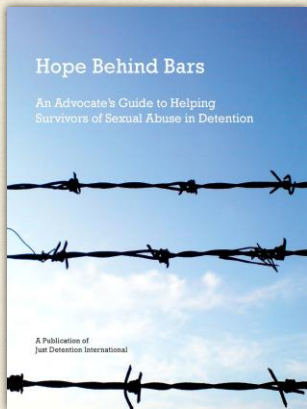
A look inside Clallam County Jail



An inmate at Clallam County Jail







Advocate Resources

- Advocates Manual

- SART Toolkit
- Archival Webinars
- Technical Resources
- Request Form
- PREA Resource

Advocate Resources:
www.justdetention.org/advocate-resources

Center:
prearesourcecenter.org



Resource Guide for Survivors

Add your agency to
JDI's **Resource
Guide for Survivors
of Sexual Abuse
Behind Bars:**

bit.ly/VDap7i



Thank You!

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www.justdetention.org/en/in-your-reach-evaluation.aspx

Please also forward it to anyone else who may have joined you.

THANK YOU!




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