

VICTIMS SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING AGENDAS

Topic: Deliberative Meeting

March 13, 2013

<u>TIME</u>	<u>AGENDA TOPIC</u>	<u>PRESENTERS</u>
9:00 – 11:00	Testimony of Sexual Assault Survivors	TBD
11:00 – 12:15	Discussion and recommendations regarding victim support in the court room and during the military justice process: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Special Victim Capability/Army special victim advocates• Other military justice support: Victim Witness Liaison/Special Victim Counsel/SAPR-VA's• Compare to civilian system based victim advocates (Prosecutor/Law Enforcement) and community victim advocates	Subcommittee/Staff
12:15 – 12:45	Lunch	
12:45 – 2:30	Victim Services: SARC/SAPR-VA <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Education/Training• Full time/part time/uniformed/civilian• Role in victim support• Assessments (Quick Compass Survey/Assessment of training/victim satisfaction surveys)• Role in Reporting of Sexual Assault• Other recommendations regarding SARC/VA service to victims	Subcommittee/Staff
2:30 – 3:00	Family Advocacy: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Victim Advocates and Victim Support• Education/training/military status of FAP Victim Advocates• Relationship/overlap with SAPR Program	Subcommittee/Staff
3:00 – 3:30	DoD Safe helpline Installation hotlines Mobile App On-line "group" chats with other victims	Subcommittee/Staff
3:30 – 4:00	Reporting: Restricted/Unrestricted/Confidant Discussion of collateral misconduct/Impediments to reporting	Subcommittee/Staff
4:00 – 4:15	Discussion regarding next meeting (by phone)	Subcommittee/Staff

	to discuss	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Way forward regarding discussion of military and civilian mental health services available to victims of sexual assault • Discussion regarding mental health records • Impediments to seeking or receiving mental health care • Issues regarding follow-on care from VA • Barriers to reporting/receiving services 	
4:15 – 4:30	Where do we go from here:	Subcommittee/Staff
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Detailed outline • Report drafting • Meeting Schedule 	

Relevant Documents:

- 1) 2012 QuickCompass Survey of SARCs
- 2) Testimony Excerpts: Victim Witness Liaison (DoD, AF, Army)
- 3) Testimony Excerpts: JSC-SAS Appendix (Civilian Victim Advocate Services)
- 4) Testimony Excerpts: Civilian Victim Advocate Role and Value
- 5) Testimony Excerpts: SARC and VAs from 7 Nov Panel Meeting
- 6) Testimony Excerpts: DoD SAFE HELPLINE
- 7) Victims' Protection Act of 2014
- 8) DTM-14-001, Advocate Certification
- 9) DTM-14-003, Special Victim Capabilities
- 10) DoD Special Victim Capabilities Report
- 11) USAF Special Victims' Counsel Program Victim Impact Survey
- 12) Rand 2013 Study: Physical and Psychological Health Following Military Sexual Assault
- 13) SARC and VA Comparison Chart
- 14) Collateral Misconduct Comparison Chart
- 15) Victim Witness Liaison Comparison Chart
- 16) Stars and Stripes article, *Air Force Program a Rare Bright Spot in the Military Sexual Assault Fight*
- 17) RFI: Army Victim Witness Liaison Program Evaluation Sample
- 18) DoD SAFE Helpline
- 19) DoD SAPR Observation (evaluation) of Marine Corps SARC and VA Training
- 20) DoD SAPR Observation (evaluation) of Navy SARC and VA Training
- 21) DoD SAPR Observation (evaluation) of Army SARC and VA Training
- 22) DoD SAPR Observation (evaluation) of National Guard SARC and VA Training
- 23) DoD SAPR Observation (evaluation) of Air Force SARC and VA Training
- 24) Chart of GAO sexual assault related Reports
- 25) Chart of DoD IG sexual assault related investigations

Attendees:

Victim Services Subcommittee Members

1. Ms. Mai Fernandez (Chair)
2. Judge Barbara Jones (RSP Chair)
3. Rep. Elizabeth Holtzman
4. Ms. Meg Garvin (by telephone)
5. Ms. Michelle J. Anderson (by telephone)
6. Dean Lisa Schenck
7. Mr. William Cassara
8. Judge Christel E. Marquardt (by telephone)