

[TAKE VO]

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[Notes:AS LIVE]

IN LIGHT OF SEXUAL ASSAULT AWARENESS MONTH, THE UNIVERSITY OF UTAH WANTS ITS STUDENTS TO KNOW THAT THERE IS HELP OUT THERE.

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THERE ARE MORE REPORTED RAPES IN UTAH THAN THE REST OF THE NATION. SEVERAL VICTIMS ARE UNIVERSITY OF UTAH STUDENTS. THEY EXPRESS HOW THEY'VE BEEN VICTIMIZED THROUGH THESE SHIRTS AND SEEK HELP FROM COORDINATOR FOR VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN, ANGIE MAKOMENAW.

[TAKE SOT]

{***SOT FULL***}

<our first instinct is to say, what did I do wrong? When you did nothing wrong and it's the perpetrator that should be responsible.>

[TAKE VO]

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AFTER A DECADE OF TRYING...A DATING VOILENCE PROTECTION BILL IS NOW UTAH LAW. IT ALLOWS VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE TO FILE A PROTECTIVE ORDER EVEN IF THEY ARE NOT MARRIED OR LIVE WITH THE ABUSER.

[TAKE SOT]

{***SOT FULL***}

<Within the last 6 months, I knew of 5 victims who would have qualified for the protective order if it was made available.>

[TAKE VO]

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BUT IT'S NOT JUST STUDENT OR WOMEN. UTAH VETRANS ARE FIGHTING A DIFFERENT WAR AT HOME. BREEZE HANNAFORD WORKS AT ATHE V-A. SHE SAYS 1 IN 100 MEN AND 1 IN 4 WOMEN REPORT

MILITARY SEXUAL TRAUMA. BUT THE NUMBER IS NEARLY EQUAL BECAUSE THERE ARE MORE MEN IN THE MILITARY.

[TAKE SOT]

{***SOT FULL***}

<As hard as it is for the women I think it's even harder for men to come forward and share that this has happened to them.>

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SHE SAYS THERE'S CURRENTLY ABOUT 1,000 UTAH VETERANS SEEKING CARE FOR SEXUAL ABUSE THAT MOST LIKELY HAPPENED 15 TO 30 YEARS PRIOR.

[TAKE SOT]

{***SOT FULL***}

<in order for this to change...We all have to be at the table together. More and more that's what's happening in Salt Lake.>

[TAKE VO]

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POLICE, VICTIMS ADVOCATES AND THERAPISTS ARE MAKING PROGRESS, BUT IT'S STILL AN UPHILL BATTLE.

[TAKE SOT]

{***SOT FULL***}

<we live in a rape culture. Live in a culture that doesn't talk about sex. Not allowed to talk about it in schools or even what consent is. I work with a lot of students that don't understand what consent is.>

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IF YOU OR ANYONE YOU KNOW HAS BEEN A VICTIM OF SEXUAL ASSAULT AND WOULD LIKE HELP, YOU CAN CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE FOR RESOURCES AT— WWW.ABC4.COM. REPORTING AT THE UNIVERSITY OF UTAH...MATT JAGGI...ABC 4 UTAH.