

Did You Know?

Women with developmental disabilities are 4-10 times as likely to be sexually assaulted than their non-disabled peers

Women with disabilities are often abused by individuals responsible for providing personal care

Studies suggest more than 80% of women with developmental disabilities have been sexually assaulted

Only 3% of abuse cases involving the developmentally disabled are ever reported

Less than 10% of rape crisis and domestic violence agencies report having a line item in their budgets for disability-related accommodations



Addressing Violence Against Women with Developmental Disabilities

An interactive training program for Direct Service Providers working with women with developmental disabilities throughout the state

During this two-hour training we will discuss:

- **How to Communicate Effectively with Women with Developmental Disabilities Regarding Abuse**
- **Identifying Types of Abuse**
- **Identifying Signs of Abuse**
- **Helpful Community Resources for Abuse Survivors**
- **Tabletop Scenarios**

Middlesex County Fire Academy

Location: 1001 Fire Academy Dr., Sayreville, NJ 08872

Date: Thursday, September 29, 2016

Time: 12:30pm-2:30pm

REGISTER TODAY

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888-285-3036 Prompt #5

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