

Four in ten Australians (42%) think sexual assault accusations are a way of getting back at men, yet research shows false allegations are rare.

National Community Attitudes to Violence against Women



1 in 5 women have been sexually assaulted or threatened since the age of 15.

Australian Bureau of Statistics, Personal Safety Survey, 2016



Victims of sexual assault don't get justice in our justice system. You have an overall conviction rate of less than 5 per cent.

Professor Kerry Carrington, Criminologist and head of QUT's School of Justice, 2018



Ensuring ongoing positive consent is important as people have the right to change their minds, or the situation may change to one where they are no longer comfortable.

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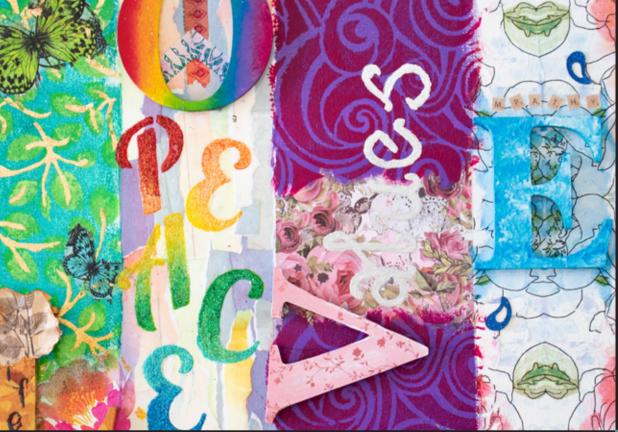
Survivors are more likely to experience Intrusive thoughts and distressing recollections of the violence; nightmares and other sleep disturbances; depression; mood or anxiety disorders; increased risk of addiction issues.

The impacts of sexual assault on women, by Cameron Boyd, 2011



2 in 5 Australians believe many women exaggerate how unequally women are treated in Australia.

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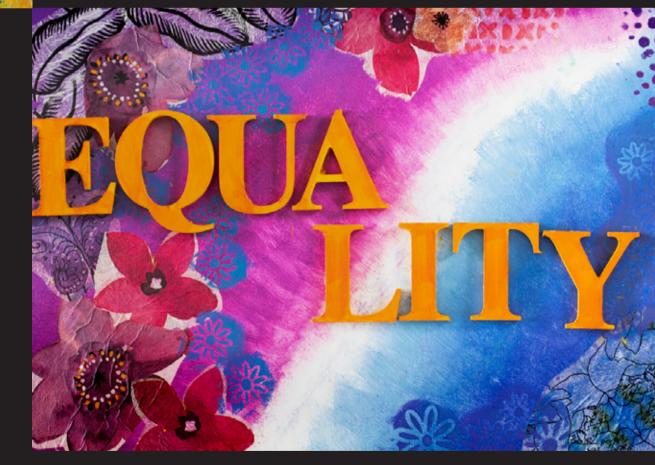
More than 1 in 4 Young Australians believe if a woman sends a nude image to her partner, she is partly to blame if he shares it without her consent.

National Community Attitudes to Violence against Women Survey, 2017



Women don't get raped because they were drinking or took drugs. Women do not get raped because they weren't careful enough. Women get raped because someone raped them.

The Purity Myth: How America's Obsession with Virginity is Hurting Young Women, by Jessica Valenti, 2009



A disturbing number of young men don't understand that controlling behaviours in relationships are a problem, and too many believe that having control is a normal part of a relationship.

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It is estimated that 75% of sexual assaults are never reported.

Australian Bureau of Statistics, Recorded crime - Victims,





SPEAK OUT FOR POSITIVE CHANGE

AGAINST SEXUAL VIOLENCE

IT'S EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY

National Sexual Assault counselling service 1800 Respect:
Murrigunyah Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Corporation for Women:
Zig Zag Young Women's Resource Centre:
BRISSC I Brisbane Rape and Incest Survivors Support Centre:
CASV I Centre Against Sexual Violence:
WWILD I Sexual Violence Prevention Service:
Living Well (for male survivors of sexual Assualt):

Brisbane Youth Service - Centre for Young Women and Young Families:

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