



**Palm Beach County Victim Services & Certified Rape Crisis Center
Sexual Assault Response Team (SART) General Meeting
Agenda Thursday, January 30, 2020
2:00pm**



Mission: To promote a community-wide response to sexual violence by coordinating a multi-disciplinary team that will ensure victims receive comprehensive, compassionate care.

Meeting called by:

- Nicole Bishop, Director Palm Beach County Victim Services & Certified Rape Crisis Center (PBCVS)

Welcome and Introductions of Members and Guests

- Review/Approval of minutes: November 21, 2019

Ongoing Business:

- November-December SANE Report – Lisa Alward, Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner Program Coordinator, PBCVS
- CPT Report – Alison Hitchcock, Executive Director & Susan Sims, Senior Case Coordinator, Child Protection Team
- Laboratory Testing Updates – Julie Sikorsky, Forensic Biology Unit Manager, PBSO
- SART Case Staffings – Carol Messam-Gordon, Program Coordinator, PBCVS

Committee Reports:

Standing

- C.A.N.: Community Action Network: Holly-Lynn Carotenuto, SA Outreach Coordinator PBCVS
- Training Committee: Molly McConnell, PBCVS Grant Coordinator
- Legislative Committee: PBC Legislative Delegation & Abby Ross, Legislative Aide for Sen Berman

New Business:

- SB 510 – Bail Pending Appellate Review – Nicole Bishop, Director, PBCVS
- 2020 SART Survey - Molly McConnell, Grant Coordinator, PBCVS
- SART Member of the Year 2020 - Molly McConnell, Grant Coordinator, PBCVS

Community Corner:

- Meet Child Rescue Coalition - Alex Ortiz, Director of Advancement & Sustainability

Member Field Discussion:

- Open Discussion: Successful Collaborations, Upcoming Events, Clarifications, Needs, etc.
 - Next Meeting Date: **February 27, 2020 @ 2pm – 3pm**
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