



**Palm Beach County Victim Services & Certified Rape Crisis Center
Sexual Assault Response Team (SART) General Meeting
Agenda Thursday, April 27, 2017**



Meeting called by: Nicole Bishop, Director Palm Beach County Victim Services & Certified Rape Crisis Center (PBCVS)

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

Welcome and Introductions of Members and Guests

Review/Approval of minutes: March 30, 2017

Ongoing Business: Nicole Bishop

- Outstanding SART Member Award 2017
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New Business: Nicole Bishop

- CS/SB 154: Autism Awareness Training for Law Enforcement Officers
 - EVAWI 2017: Emerging trends and progressive training for SARTs, <http://www.evawintl.org/>
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Member Highlight: Detective Astrel Labbe and K-9 Officer Harley, Boynton Beach Police Department

- Therapy dog introduction
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SANE Report: Sherry Britton-Susino, PBCVS SANE Coordinator

- March Sexual Assault responses report
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Committee Reports:

Standing

1. C.A.N.: Community Action Network: Sharon Daugherty, PBCVS Outreach Coordinator
 2. Training Committee: Susan Carlini, PBCVS Grant Coordinator
 3. Legislative Committee: Susan Carlini
 4. SART Case Staffing's: Carol Messam-Gordon, PBCVS Program Coordinator
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Member Field Discussion: The floor is open

- Successful collaborations, Upcoming events, Clarifications, Needs, etc.
 - Next meeting date: May 25, 2017, 2:00pm – 3:00pm
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