

# SANTA ANA POLICE DEPARTMENT

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## Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA)

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### Ley Para La Eliminación De Violaciones En Prisión



# Reporting

## Zero-Tolerance for Sexual Abuse in Detention

Sexual abuse in detention is a vastly underreported crime. As in the community, many victims of sexual abuse in custody do not report abuse due to shame, or a fear that they won't be believed. It is also common for victims to face retaliation for speaking out. In recognition of these barriers, the Santa Ana City Jail facility applies the Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) standards to allow for reporting safer and easier for victims of sexual abuse and sexual harassment. An example of one of these reporting provisions is to accept third-party reports of sexual abuse and sexual harassment.

A third-party reporter is someone who reports sexual abuse and sexual harassment but is neither the victim nor the abuser. The person may have been told by the victim about the abuse or harassment, or witnessed it first-hand. "Third party" includes other inmates, members of staff, family members, legal representatives, contract employees, service providers, community or religious volunteers, among others.

The Santa Ana Police Department investigates all in-custody allegations of sexual abuse. What can I do if I suspect that my loved one is being subjected to harassment, pressured to have sexual relations or is a victim of sexual abuse or assault?

- Immediately contact the on-duty Supervisor at the Santa Ana Jail (714) 245-8100 or the Santa Ana Police Department (714) 245-8665
- Encourage your loved one to report the incident and/ or find support.

The Santa Ana Police Department is dedicated to providing a safe and secure environment all detained individuals and personnel.

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Santa Ana Police Department has a Zero-Tolerance for all forms of sexual misconduct.

¿Qué puedo hacer yo si sospecho que mi ser querido está siendo sujeto al acoso, presionado para tener relaciones sexuales o es víctima de abuso o agresión sexual?

- Comuníquese inmediatamente con el Supervisor de Turno de la cárcel de Santa Ana (714)245-8100 o el Departamento de Policía de Santa Ana (714)245-8665
- Anime a su ser querido a denunciar el incidente y/o buscar ayuda.

El Departamento De Policía De Santa Ana se compromete a proveer un ambiente sano y seguro para los internos y el personal.

El Departamento De Policía de Santa Ana tiene la política de tolerancia cero para la conducta sexual inapropiada de cualquier tipo.

The annual PREA Data Collection report is available upon request from Jail lobby personnel.



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