

The Illinois Attorney General announced a series of upcoming opportunities for interested emergency department (ED) personnel to complete Foundation to Provide Sexual Assault Patient Care in the Emergency Room training sessions. Attendance at one of these webinars fulfills the statutory training requirement for ED personnel at treatment and treatment with pediatric transfer hospitals pursuant to Sec. 2 of the Sexual Assault Survivors Emergency Treatment Act (SASETA). It also fulfills training requirements for ED personnel employed at transfer hospitals as specified in the Sexual Assault Survivors Emergency Treatment Code (77 Ill. Admin Code 545.65 (g)).

The four-hour training sessions will be held via Zoom from 12:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. CT on Jan. 9, Mar. 13, and May 20. Interested attendees must register in advance:

- Jan. 9 from 12:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m., Click here
- March 13 from 12:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m., Click here
- May 20 from 12:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m., Click here

You will receive log in information via email following registration.

This training is designed for nurses, advance practice providers, physicians, law enforcement, advocates and first responders. The training is designed to improve response to sexual assault patients, providing an overview of sexual assault laws including SASETA, as well as information on the neurobiology of trauma, drug-facilitated sexual assault, strangulation and medical forensic exams. This training does not count toward training hours to become a Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner or a Sexual Assault Forensic Examiner.

For enrollment assistance, please contact Theresa Geary at 866-376-7215 or by email at <a href="mailto:sane@ilag.gov">sane@ilag.gov</a> (dial 7-1-1 to access TTY-based Telecommunications Relay Services). Please <a href="mailto:Contact Us">Contact Us</a> for any additional comments or questions.

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