

# SEXUAL ASSAULT & VIOLENCE INTERVENTION SERVICES OF HALTON

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## ***VOLUNTEER APPLICATION FORM***

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Present Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for your interest in volunteering at our Centre. Please answer the following questions as thoroughly as possible.

1. How did you hear about the Centre?

2. Check the areas in which you are most interested in working:

\_\_\_\_ Public Education

\_\_\_\_ Multicultural/Outreach

\_\_\_\_ Board Member

\_\_\_\_ Social Action/Lobbying

\_\_\_\_ Fund Raising

\_\_\_\_ Crisis Line Support

\_\_\_\_ Special Events e.g. Take Back The Night, Incredibowl

\_\_\_\_ Accompaniment to appointments e.g. Court

\_\_\_\_ Clerical/Office

Please indicate your availability:

Daytime: \_\_\_\_\_ Evening: \_\_\_\_\_

Weekend \_\_\_\_\_

3. What experience or skills do you have related to your areas of interest, which you can apply to your volunteer experience at SAVIS?
  
4. Why do you want to volunteer at SAVIS and what do you hope to achieve for yourself through volunteering with us?
  
5. What is your understanding of feminism and violence against women?
  
6. Have you had experience volunteering anywhere else? If yes, where?

Why did you leave?

7. How might you respond to a woman seeking an abortion? Could there be a situation that might conflict with your own values/religion?
  
8. How would you feel about working with a woman with a different sexual orientation than your own?
  
9. Do you have experience or background in any culture other than English-speaking Canadian? Can you speak any language other than English?

10. References: (personal and/or professional)

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

## **SEXUAL ASSAULT & VIOLENCE INTERVENTION SERVICES OF HALTON**

**OUR MISSION:** *“Dedicated to ending sexual violence and fostering a safe, supportive, just and equitable society”*

Each volunteer is required to:

1. Sign an Oath of Confidentiality prior to the onset of training;
2. Adhere to policies and procedures of the Centre;
3. Fulfill a minimum of 8 hours per month as a non-frontline volunteer, **or**
4. Fulfill a minimum of 16 hours per month as a crisis line volunteer;
5. Attend sessions required for your area of interest;
6. Submit a recent copy of your resume.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

By checking this box, you agree:

1. that you have read the mission statement above
2. to the outlined requirements of volunteering at SAVIS

\*By clicking submit below, this completed form will be sent by your email program as an attachment address to SAVIS.  
**Alternately you may print this form and either fax (905.825.3755) or mail it to SAVIS at the address above.**