

Advocacy Core Training (ACT) is considered an introductory, entrylevel domestic violence and sexual assault training designed for new volunteers and staff providing sexual assault and domestic violence advocacy services to survivors of such.

The training is designed to increase the knowledge and skill of those who are working with individuals who have been touched by trauma of this type.

Sign up online at safeplaceolympia.org/volunteer Contact Thalia (she/her/elle) at thaliav@safeplaceolympia.org or by phone at 360-786-8754

Course Topics & Structure

- 36-Hour training
- accredited by OCVA through WCSAP
- beginner-level course
- skills for working directly with survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault
- general, medical and legal advocacy skills
- cultural competency training
- basics of working with marginalized populations
- hybrid training in-person at SafePlace Community Services Center and streamed on ZOOM

