

# Sexual Assault Awareness Month

April 2013

## Did you know:

1 in 5 women and 1 in 71 men will be raped at some point in their lives

Every two minutes, someone in the United States is sexually assaulted  
and 60% of these assaults are never reported to the police

Sexual violence impacts everyone in our community.  
**It's time to talk about it.**

### Join us for these community events to commemorate Sexual Assault Awareness Month:

**April 22:**      **Screening of "It Was Rape"** at Concordia University, 7pm  
7400 Augusta St., River Forest  
Krentz Center, Room 120

Pillars' Director of Advocacy and Prevention Patty Murphy will participate in a panel discussion following the screening.

**April 22-26:**   **View The Clothesline Project** at Moraine Valley Community College  
9000 W College Pkwy, Palos Hills  
Or  
Concordia University  
7400 Augusta St., River Forest

**April 24:**      Wear jeans on **Denim Day**, joining a visible movement against victim-blaming.  
There is no excuse for and never an invitation to rape. Learn more: <http://denimdayusa.org>

**April 26:**      **Standing Silent Witness Demonstration** in Daley Plaza, Noon  
50 W Washington Street, Chicago

Pillars will join Rape Victim Advocates in its annual signature event, during which volunteers stand silently for one hour wearing t-shirts bearing the stories of sexual assault survivors in order to "break the silence" about sexual violence.

Questions about these events? Contact Patty Murphy at 708.995.3874 or [pmurphy@pillarscommunity.org](mailto:pmurphy@pillarscommunity.org)  
Questions about our services? Visit [www.pillarscommunity.org](http://www.pillarscommunity.org) or call 708 PILLARS



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