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The Partnership Between The Family Crisis Center of East Texas and Stephen F. Austin State University Provides A New Resource for Victims of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault

The Family Crisis Center of East Texas and Stephen F. Austin State University have collaborated to open a second outreach office in Nacogdoches. This office, located inside the SFASU Health Clinic, will be available to students and open to the community to receive services for domestic violence and sexual assault.

“Stephen F. Austin State University reached out the Family Crisis Center to begin the collaboration to offer another resource to their students,” said Heather Kartye, Executive Director for the Family Crisis Center of East Texas. “The partnership allows the Family Crisis Center to reach more community members of Nacogdoches County and provide easier access to services for students’ on-campus.”

The on-campus outreach office will provide an array of confidential services and support for victims of domestic violence and sexual assault including personal advocacy, safety planning, legal advocacy, sexual assault advocacy, counseling, child advocacy, and self-sufficiency advocacy. Office hours are Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 8 a.m. to noon and Tuesday and Thursday from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Victims seeking help can call the office at (936) 468-SAFE (7233).

The Stephen F. Austin State University is dedicated to advancing the health and wellness of their student. Their focus is to encourage students to maintain their physical health by providing medical services, and health education, which will enhance their learning experience and help them to establish healthy lifestyle skills.

The Family Crisis Center of East Texas continues to advance its mission of enhancing the safety of women, children and men by providing crisis intervention and advocacy services to reduce and prevent the occurrence of family violence and sexual assault through education and community awareness. The agency provides numerous services, and last year alone provided 1,185 residential and non-residential clients with over 102,000 essential services.

For more information regarding how you can assist the Family Crisis Center of East Texas, contact Susan Robertson at (936) 639-1681 or srobertsonwset@suddenlinkmail.com.

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