

END VIOLENCE TOGETHER

For The Dignity Of Every Woman

SEXUAL ASSAULT QUIZ

Please answer true or false:

1. Most victims of sexual assault are between 17 and 34 years of age
 True False
2. Strangers commit most of the rapes
 True False
3. Only women are the victims of rape
 True False
4. More than 50% of the rape victims report the crime
 True False
5. Rape is about the need to gain power and control over a victim
 True False
6. Sexual violence including child sexual violence is committed by strangers in a dark alley or some other isolated place
 True False
7. Sexual assault is not a common occurrence
 True False

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Answers:

1. False: The majority of rape survivors are between the ages of 11 and 24
2. False: In 84% of all rapes, the perpetrator knows the victims. Many perpetrators are friends, family or acquaintances
3. False: Men and boys are survivors of rape too
4. False: Less than 10% of the survivors report the rape
5. True: Rape is an act of dominance, hostility and violence.
6. False: Most rapes take place in a private home (60%) and the largest percentage occur in the survivor's home (38%)
7. False: Women are sexually assaulted everyday in Canada. According to statistics 1 in 4 Canadian women will be sexually assaulted in her lifetime. In BC it is almost double.

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