



# Sexual Violence Support and Experiences Study (SVSES)



*Help us to better support survivors by encouraging participation in the SVSES. Results will be used to continuously improve victim care and response.*

## Survey Information



The SVSES allows the DoD to learn directly from Service members about their experiences with sexual violence, and specifically sexual assault. The surveys are completely confidential and ask questions about Service member satisfaction with support services, aspects of the military justice process, and questions about Service member health, well-being, and career progression. More information about the survey can be found [here](#).

## Timing



**The study will launch in the beginning of Fiscal Year 2023.** Participants will fill out an initial survey and then be contacted every quarter to fill out a short follow-up survey to provide an update on how you're doing. Participants can skip a survey or leave the study at any time.

## Participants



We encourage any **Active, Reserve, or National Guard Service member** who has experienced sexual assault or sexual violence while serving in the military, regardless of whether you reported the experience to military authorities, to participate.

## How to Join



Service members can join the study by visiting the study [website](#) or via an email invitation from DoD SAPRO.

