

Topics from Deputy Secretary of Defense Memo, "Updates to Department of Defense Policy and Procedures for the Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Program and Adult Sexual Assault Investigations," signed November 10, 2021. Available at www.sapr.mil/policy.

TOPIC: SAPR Related Inquiry (SRI) for Individuals who Choose Not to File an Official Report

DoDI 6495.02, volume 1, Paragraph 4. POLICY, revised as follows:

- af. SAPR Related Inquiry (SRI) for Individuals who Choose Not to File an Official Report. For individuals choosing not to file an official report of sexual assault through a DD Form 2910, SAPR Program Managers, SARCs, and SAPR VAs authorized to use DSAID will utilize the "SAPR Related Inquiry (SRI) Module" in DSAID to document these instances, to include the Military Service Academy SARCs.
- ag. The SARCs will make the SRI entries in the DSAID module within 48 hours of the SAPR-related inquiry being made by the victim. In deployed locations, such as designated combat zones that may have internet connectivity issues, the timeframe is extended to 96 hours.
- ah. SRIs can be divided into three categories:
 - (1) **Sexual Assault inquiries.** Document inquiries by individuals who allege a sexual assault occurred but who choose not to make an official report through a DD Form 2910, referrals to support services for victims who do not make an official report, and the reason(s) why the individual chose not to not to make an official report, if the individual disclosed the reason.,
 - (2) **Retaliation reporter inquiries.** Documents inquiries by individuals alleging he or she experienced retaliation associated with a sexual assault report, but who choose not to make an official report of retaliation through a DD Form 2910-2.
 - (3) **Persons inquiring as to reporting processes or resources.** Documents inquiries by individuals associated with a sexual assault or retaliation incident (e.g., witnesses or supervisors, co-workers, friends, and family members of the sexual assault victim or Retaliation reporter) who approach the SAPR personnel to ask questions about the reporting process or resources, or ask questions to better understand the reporting process.