**Student Victim Advocate Application**

**ALL APPLICATIONS ARE DUE January 27, 2022 by 5:00 pm.**

Oklahoma State University takes acts of sexual violence extremely seriously and believes that 1

victim is 2 many. The university invites all members of the campus community to be part of the

effort to maintain a safe and productive environment in which to live, learn, and be successful by

committing to end sexual violence and sexual harassment. It is important for members of our

community to understand and receive consent, intervene by being an active bystander when

necessary, and support victims of sexual violence. The University is committed to creating an environment that encourages victims of sexual misconduct to come forward and report their concern. Every effort is made to safeguard the identities of students who seek help and/or report sexual misconduct.

The university treats the Victim Advocates as a confidential reporting option. Victims can visit with a victim advocate to learn about resources available on campus. OSU Student Victim Advocates are available as a resource to students who have experienced sexual violence. Student Victim Advocates will respond to calls between the hours of 5:00 pm – 8:00 am during the week, and throughout the entire weekend. Their role will be to assist and support students that receive a SANE exam at Stillwater Medical Center, provide basic resources and support for phone calls, and refer students to a professional advocate the next business day.

Student Victim Advocates must participate in mandatory trainings to ensure understanding and comfortability discussing the stated topics and responding to students and the Cowboy community.

To better prepare applicants for the degree of involvement that a student victim advocate entails; the requirements of members are listed below:

1. Attend mandatory all-day training February 13, 2022.
2. Attend two mandatory in-service trainings each semester.
3. Contribute ideas, skills, etc. with a positive attitude.
4. Regular availability to cover on call response rotation.

There are many benefits in the role of a Student Victim Advocate including but not limited to:

1. Opportunities to practice support response protocols under the supervision and direction of a professional victim advocate.
2. Guidance and regular trainings with professional staff involved in crisis response procedures.
3. Contributions to the health and safety of the Cowboy community.

Please follow the following steps to be complete your application process:

1. Completely fill out the following application and email it to 1is2many@okstate.edu, or bring the application to Student Union 328. **ALL APPLICATIONS January 27, 2022 BY 5PM.** Handwritten responses or typed attachments are accepted.
2. After processing your application, and if selected for an interview, you will be contacted by January 28, 2022 to set up an interview between January 24 – February 4, 2022.
3. Attend mandatory training February 13, 2022.

**Student Victim Advocate Application**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ CWID: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Local address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Hours enrolled in: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Classification (circle one): Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior Graduate Student

Expected Graduation (MM/YYYY): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please list other extracurricular activities you are involved in, both on campus and in the community:

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Short Essay Responses:**

Please use an additional page to answer the following questions.

Typed or handwritten responses are accepted.

1. Why do you want to be a Student Victim Advocate? Why do you think this program is necessary for our campus community?
2. Describe any experience you have with activism or advocating for others in need.
3. What skills or abilities do you hope to gain from being a Student Victim Advocate?

**I hereby give my permission to the Coordinator of 1 is 2 Many to verify my GPA, Student Conduct history, as well as any other information which I have provided on this application:**

**Signature Date**