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The Big Picture: The Devastating Wake of Childhood Sexual Abuse



Childhood sexual abuse leaves a continual path of destruction long after the crime has ended. I hope you will continue reading, despite the discomfort it may cause.

I hope when you hear about childhood sexual abuse occurring in your community, you will *think about what the victim's healing will involve before you think about what the perpetrator may lose*. I hope you will have greater insight into why victims cannot simply "get over it." Victims do not choose this path- the perpetrators chose it for them.....[Continue reading](#)

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"He just won't accept that our relationship is over. I've blocked him and he texts me from odd numbers and has friends text me and comment on my IG. He'll show up outside my dorm or classroom and just stare at me, no talking. It's creepy and I've changed my routine to avoid him. I'm on pins and needles – not sure what he'll do next. I wake up with nightmares and it's messing up my life. I didn't know what he's doing is against the law."



Stalking is an insidious, deeply unsettling, harmful and dangerous behavior done to millions of people worldwide.....[Continue reading](#)

Connecting the Pieces: If you Missed Year-End Giving

There's Still Time to Donate if You Missed a Year-End Donation!

Our Year-End Fundraising campaign left us a little shy of our goal.

Help us close the gap!

[Your continued support](#) can help us maintain and expand the vital programs that ensure survivors receive the holistic care they need. Your donation today contributes to creating a safer and more compassionate community for those affected by sexual violence.



Donate Today!

Our [trauma-informed healing and wellness program](#) is designed for adult and youth survivors of sexual assault and domestic violence. Tap into the mind-body connection to

The Wholeness Collective Corner



cultivate growth and resilience!

Spanish Finding Hope Support Group
Thursday 1/11 @ 6pm

Gentle and Restorative Yoga
Wednesday 1/17, 1/24 & 1/31 @ 6pm

Finding Hope Support Group
Monday 1/22 @ 6pm

[View Details and Sign Up!](#)

Parts of the Whole: Mosaic in Action



Mosaic is proud to be honored as Agency of the Year!

The Gwinnett Family Violence Task Force has given Mosaic Georgia a nod for our outstanding work as a Sexual Assault and Children's Advocacy Center. Thank you for putting survivor-centered work in the spotlight. We appreciate being seen for the work we do supporting those in Gwinnett County affected by sexualized violence.

Internal Pieces: Faces of Mosaic

Staff Spotlight



Staff Spotlight: Meet Advocate Mari Munoz!

"I always wanted to help people and make a change. Working at Mosaic GA I get to see that firsthand. I am happy to be a resource and support, and a part of someone's growth. It is amazing when clients call to let us know how good we were to them and how our support made them happy and helped them feel better."

[Read more about Mosaic Georgia's services](#)

[Read more about Mari's past experience, family origins, and role at Mosaic Georgia](#)

Building Connection: Upcoming Events



[PADV's 13th Annual Teen Summit](#)

Over the last 10 years, PADV has educated more than 2,000 teens and adults through this event! The summit is an excellent opportunity for teens and adults to learn about the issue of teen dating violence, how to address, it and the role they can play in establishing healthy relationships.

Date and time: 2/24/24 @10am

Location: Georgia Tech Campus; 225 North Avenue NW, Atlanta, GA 30332

[View All Upcoming Events!](#)

For Medical Professionals

The SANE Community Support Network

Lean into it.

We've created an extensive training & resource community for Sexual Assault Center medical professionals and leaders doing the work to end sexualized violence.

Joining the network brings you access to a library of resources, special webinars, and live virtual lounges to check in and get support.

[Read Details or Request to Join](#)



Mosaic Georgia is Hiring!

If you are a dedicated individual looking to contribute to the greater good, consider a position at Mosaic Georgia!

Open Position:

- Administrative Specialist

Read the full job description [here](#)

Apply Now!



How You Can Help

Your donation is the most powerful way you can help Mosaic Georgia to empower those who have been impacted by sexual violence and abuse. Our services are always **free of charge** to those we help, but we can only do that with your help.

Donate to Mosaic Georgia today!

Mosaic Georgia, Inc. is a private, nonprofit corporation that is a Children's Advocacy Center and Sexual Assault Center that strives for and demands safety, health and justice for children and adults victimized by sexual abuse, assault and trafficking. Donations are tax-deductible EIN: 58-1762829.

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