

## Pin One On. Help Break the Silence!



### Make a Statement. Wear a Ribbon.

During April, citizens nationwide wear teal ribbons for awareness of sexual violence and to show support for prevention efforts.

# ORANGE COUNTY RAPE CRISIS CENTER

We are striving to make our services accessible to all people.

24-hour Crisis Line 1-866-WE LISTEN

(1-866-935-4783) TTY: 919-338-0746

www.ocrcc.org

Se habla español.

# Sexual Assault Awareness Month Events

## Denim Day Fashion Show

Wednesday, April 16th, 6:30-8:00pm ~ UNC Sonja Haynes Stone Center for Black Culture and History, Hitchcock Multipurpose Room In 1998, an Italian Supreme Court decision overturned a rape conviction because the victim wore jeans. People all over the world were outraged. Wearing jeans became an international symbol of protest against destructive attitudes about sexual assault. This fashion show will celebrate Denim Day and use jeans as a show of support for survivors of sexual violence. This event is co-sponsored with the Carolina Women's Center and organized by a former social work intern.

#### NO! Documentary showing & discussion

Wednesday, April 23rd, 6:30-8:00pm, UNC Sonja Haynes Stone Center for Black Culture and History, Auditorium

The documentary NO! offers testimonials of Black women who have experienced sexual violence. A discussion about the film and its impact will be held after the showing. The film was created by Aishah Shahidah Simmons, an incest and rape survivor. She has been on the international road raising awareness about rape, sexual assault, and other forms of violence against women; and the critical non-negotiable need to end it. This event is co-sponsored with the Carolina Women's Center.

#### Angela Shelton Visits Orange County

Friday, April 25, 7:00-8:30pm, Carrboro Century Center

Nia Jam with filmmaker, author and activist Angela Shelton. Reception will follow at 9:00 p.m. at Balanced Movement Studios

Saturday, April 26th, 5:00 p.m., UNC School of Social Work Tate-Turner-Kuralt Building Auditorium

Angela Shelton presents awarding winning documentary "Searching for Angela Shelton." A reception will follow. Register at www.NCHealthyWoman.org.

### 6th Annual Shout out

Wednesday, April 30th, 6:30-8:30pm Seymour Senior Center, Homestead Road

The Shout Out offers an opportunity for survivors of sexual violence to submit written pieces and art work about their experience. All the pieces are read and displayed at the Shout Out. Pieces from the Center's Clothesline Project will also be on display. This project uses decorated t-shirts to raise awareness about the impacts of sexual violence.

For more information about these activities, please call (919) 968-4647 or visit www.ocrcc.org

