



# Healthcare Advocates

*Empower Survivors of Domestic Violence*

Safehome partners with all of the hospitals and clinics in Johnson County. When a medical agency has a patient experiencing domestic violence, they call our crisis line so a Healthcare Advocate can come onsite to provide resources and support to that survivor.

Some of our hospital partners include:

- AdventHealth
- Menorah Medical Center
- Olathe Medical Center
- Overland Park Regional
- Saint Luke's South

Safehome

## Healthcare Advocates

- Must be comfortable working in a medical setting and high-pressured situations.
- Undergo 40 hours of extensive training so they are equipped with the tools they need in order to be advocates for DV survivors.
- Are required to pick up at least 2 on-call shifts per month.
- When on-call they are responsible for responding to patient referrals.
- They assist survivors in creating safety plans, understanding power/control dynamics, and getting connected to Safehome services and other community resources.

## Interested? Contact:

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