## <u>UNRESTRICTED REPORTING</u> (INVESTIGATION INITIATED)

## SOURCES FOR REPORTING THE ASSAULT:

- Law Enforcement/OSI [Initiates Investigation]
- Commander [Initiates Investigation]
- SARC
- Victim Advocate
- Health Care Personnel

### WHO MAY MAKE A RESTRICTED REPORT?

- Active Duty Members
- Air Force Reserve and Air National Guard
- Military Dependents (18 and older)
- Air Force Civilian (Appropriated and Non-Appropriated) Employees
- DoD Contractors

## **BENEFITS**

- Victims feel a sense of closure or healing which can aid recovery.
- You choose to receive appropriate medical treatment\* (see California Mandated Reporting Law below), advocacy, and counseling.
- Details of the incident will be limited to only those personnel who have a legitimate "Need to Know."
- Ability for Military to hold the offender appropriately accountable.
- Ensure the safety of the victim and of others, who may be victimized by the same suspect.
- Ability to request a Military Protective Order.
- Ability to request an Expedited Transfer to move to a different unit or base.

#### LIMITATIONS

- You cannot change report to Restricted Reporting.
- You have limited confidentiality.
- Assault will be known and discussed among those with a "Need to Know."

# \*California Mandated Sexual Assault Reporting Law\*

• If a medical provider reasonably suspects or treats for physical condition relating to sexual assault, they are mandated reporters to law enforcement.