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**Coordinated Community Response Team (CCRT)**

- Are required for campuses with Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women grants.
- Contrary to the name, the team does not deal with responding to specific cases.
- Scope of these teams include:
  - Policy revisions on campus.
  - Input and implementation of campus prevention education efforts.
  - Shared professional development and training opportunities.
  - Identifying obstacles to survivor reporting.
  - Identifying incident trends on campus and off campus.

Typically, CCRTs involve many campus stakeholders.
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**Sexual Assault Response Team (SART)**

- Originally created in communities by rape crisis centers for the purpose of discussing specific cases and coordinating community response efforts.
- Stakeholders on community SART teams typically include Police Department, rape crisis center, District Attorney’s Office, and hospital representative/SANE.
- Some campuses are invited to sit on local SART teams.
- Some campuses have their own SART committees or response teams for sexual violence.
- Campus SARTs are MUCH smaller groups than CCRT because they discuss confidential cases; typically includes Title IX coordinator or investigator and any campus equivalent to community SART.