

Sex Workers, Respect, and Safety

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For Sex Workers

- [Safety of sex workers, clients and brothel employees](#)
- Resources, Hotlines, and Referrals: <https://sexworkersproject.org/resources/>
- [Essential safety for sex workers](#) -- [National Ugly Mugs \(NUM\): Ending Violence Against Sex Workers](#)
- [Sex Workers Project](#) - “The Sex Workers Project provides client-centered legal and social services to individuals who engage in sex work, regardless of whether they do so by choice, circumstance, or coercion. One of the first programs in the nation to assist survivors of human trafficking, the Sex Workers Project has pioneered an approach to service grounded in human rights, harm reduction and in the real life experiences of our clients.”
 - Donate: <https://swp.urbanjustice.org/donate/>

Decriminalization & Violence

- [Why Sex Work Should Be Decriminalized](#) - “Human Rights Watch has consistently found in research across various countries that criminalization makes sex workers more vulnerable to violence, including rape, assault, and murder, by attackers who see sex workers as easy targets because they are stigmatized and unlikely to receive help from the police. Criminalization may also force sex workers to work in unsafe locations to avoid the police.”
- [The Impact of Criminalisation on Sex Workers' Vulnerability to HIV and Violence - Policy Brief | NWSP](#)
- [Understanding Sex Work in an Open Society - Open Society Foundations](#)

- [Addressing Violence Against Sex Workers](#)
- [Fact Sheet - Sexual Violence Against Sex Workers](#)
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- [National Ugly Mugs \(NUM\): Ending Violence Against Sex Workers](#)
- [A systematic review of the correlates of violence against sex workers | American journal of public health](#)
- [Amnesty International Policy On State Obligations To Respect, Protect And Fulfil The Human Rights Of Sex Workers](#)