

## POLICY STATEMENT

Approved February 2018

## Selective Triage for Victims of Sexual Assault to Designated Exam Facilities

Reaffirmed February 2018 and April 2012

Originally approved October 2006

The American College of Emergency Physicians supports:

- The collection of forensic evidence (performance of evidentiary examinations) by specially educated and clinically trained personnel when available and appropriate.
- The development and funding of additional Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE)/Sexual Assault Response Team (SART) programs.