

A statewide
telehealth network
of sexual assault
nurse examiners.

✓ Training and
consultation
to Missouri
hospitals

✓ Sexual assault
forensic
examinations
(SAFE) for
survivors of
sexual assault
at any hospital
in the state

Sexual Assault Exam via Telehealth (SAFE-T)

Facilities with an established SANE program (hubs) offer consultative SANE services via telehealth to facilities without 24/7 SANE coverage (satellites) in performing sexual assault forensic exams (SAFE) to survivors.

Consultations may include:

- Assisting staff with less experience in SAFEs through the exam process ensuring patient-centered, trauma-informed & evidence based care
- Acting as a mentor for SANEs in training
- Providing education to satellite staff on SAFE process, evidence collection and storage, trauma-informed care and court testimony
- Acting as fact witnesses in court

PROGRAM BENEFITS:

- State supplied equipment to hub and satellite sites to ensure ability to conduct exams
- Assistance with program development and implementation
- Assistance with education for hub and satellite
- Assistance with SANE program development
- Ongoing guidance and feedback

