The Jean Nidetch Women’s Center’s (JNWC) offers advocacy for victims, survivors, friends, family, faculty and staff members affected by sexual assault, domestic violence, and stalking.

For in-office advocacy, JNWC has seen a total of:
- 62

Out of the 62 people that came into our office:
- 16 survivors of sexual assault
- 21 experiencing relationship violence
- 2 experiencing stalking
- 14 secondary victims helping friends/family
- 9 miscellaneous (e.g. divorce, depression)

For our hotline, JNWC has heard from a total of:
- 71

Out of the 71 calls we received:
- 10 survivors of sexual assault
- 26 experiencing domestic/relationship violence
- 3 experiencing stalking
- 32 miscellaneous (e.g. mental health, basic needs, divorce)

Sexual assault affects 1 in 5 women
Sexual assault affects 1 in 6 men before age 25

For men, 75% of all sexual assaults occur before age 18
For transgender individuals, 1 in 2 will experience sexual violence

Sexual assault is one of the most under reported crimes, with 54% still being left unreported.

(Justice Department, National Crime Victimization Survey: 2006-2010)
Attendees: 1,737 people received education on interpersonal violence from the Jean Nidetch Women’s Center.

CARE asked students to write down one thing they learned after a presentation from the Jean Nidetch Women’s Center. These are a sample of comments:

- “Don’t just stand around and expect someone else to help. Make a difference if you can!”
- “giving and getting consent”
- “how to create a safe environment for me and others around me.”
- “Intervene if something doesn’t seem right”
- “I learned that you shouldn’t be ashamed of being a victim of sexual abuse. There is always someone out there to help you”
- “rapes is not funny”
- “standing up against violence”
- “resources on campus”
- “you don’t have to act tough to be considered a real man.”
- “there is a UNLV hotline”
- “How to help others that are in danger”
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Who are CARE Advocates?

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15 undergraduate students
7 graduate students