



PAR PARTNER ASSAULT RESPONSE PROGRAM

Providing specialized group education for intimate partner violence offenders.

ABOUT PAR:

The Partner Assault Response (PAR) program provides a community-based 12-session group program for court mandated intimate partner violence offenders from the criminal courts in Thunder Bay. The program provides a safe space for individuals to explore their beliefs, attitudes and expectations.

The PAR Program is available to both male and female identifying offenders through Thunder Bay Counselling. Referrals will be made by the Probation and Parole Officer, using the Thunder Bay Counselling PAR Program Referral Form that will be sent by email to:

PAR@tbaycounselling.com

The survivor and/or current partner of an offender in PAR is offered safety planning, support, community resource referrals, and information about the offender's progress in the PAR Program.

THIS PROGRAM WILL:

Demonstrate the importance of accountability

Assist offenders in examining their beliefs and attitudes about domestic violence

Teach non-abusive ways of communicating and resolving conflict

Improve understanding of triggers and warning signs

Explore healthy relationships and the effects of abuse



Upon receipt of a completed referral, Thunder Bay Counselling will make reasonable attempts to contact the offender to schedule an intake appointment.



Offenders must pay a fee, based on their annual income, generally prior to starting the program.



The PAR Coordinator will provide regular updates to the Probation and Parole Officer about the offender's participation in the Program.

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For more information or to follow-up on a referral, contact our PAR Coordinator.

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