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Take Back The Night Rally held at Jefferson College of Health Sciences

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ROANOKE, Va.—

The Jefferson College of Health Sciences held its Second Annual Take Back The Night Rally in Roanoke Tuesday night.

The event is designed to bring people together to offer support for victims of sexual abuse.

Speakers shared their personal stories -- letting victims know, they're not alone.

"Sexual Assault has been known to be a silent crime. Its one of the most under-reported crimes. This is our way of asking them if they feel comfortable to speak out and that we're not going to tolerate violence," said Sarah Higginbotham.

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Among those in attendance Tuesday night was Gil Harrington, mother of Virginia Tech student Morgan Harrington, who was murdered.

You can find more information about the Take Back the Night organization on their [website](#).

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