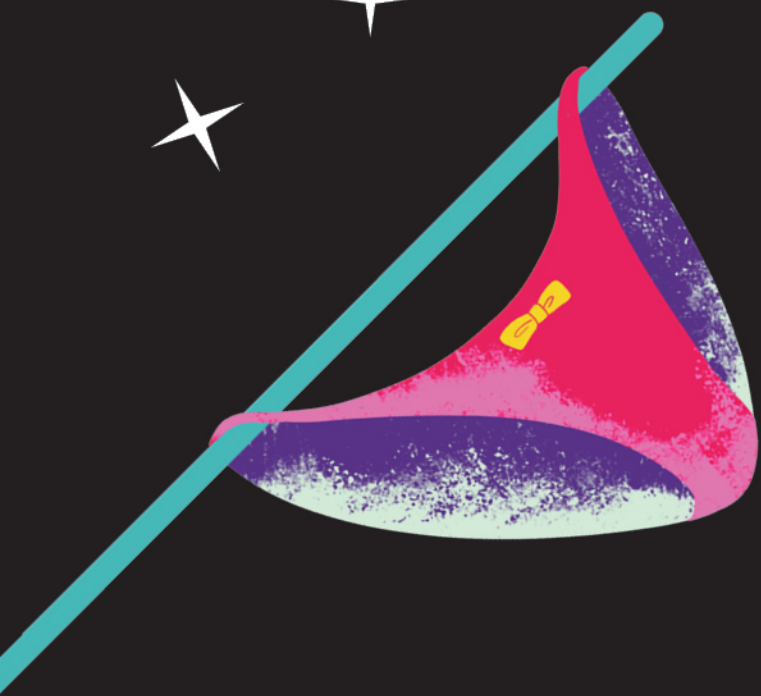


What is

sexual violence?



Sexual violence represents various **unwanted, non-consensual** behaviours and language that makes a person feel uncomfortable, scared or threatened

sexual violence

is **NON-CONSENSUAL** and **NOT**
an act of love or intimacy



Sexual violence is the
responsibility of the
perpetrator -

**NO ONE DESERVES
SEXUAL VIOLENCE**

sexual
violence
is **NOT**



consensual sex
sexual intercourse
love or intimacy
the victims fault
lawful

In Australia, sexual violence survivors are **MOSTLY WOMEN** - **5 X MORE FEMALE VICTIMS OF SEXUAL VIOLENCE** were recorded than male in 2019



Almost 2 million adults and **1 IN 6 WOMEN** have experienced sexual violence since the age of **15 years**.



Almost all perpetrators of sexual violence **ARE MALE (97%)**, with the highest offending rates in males aged 15-19 (2019)



MOST SEXUAL VIOLENCE PERPETRATORS ARE KNOWN TO THEIR VICTIMS



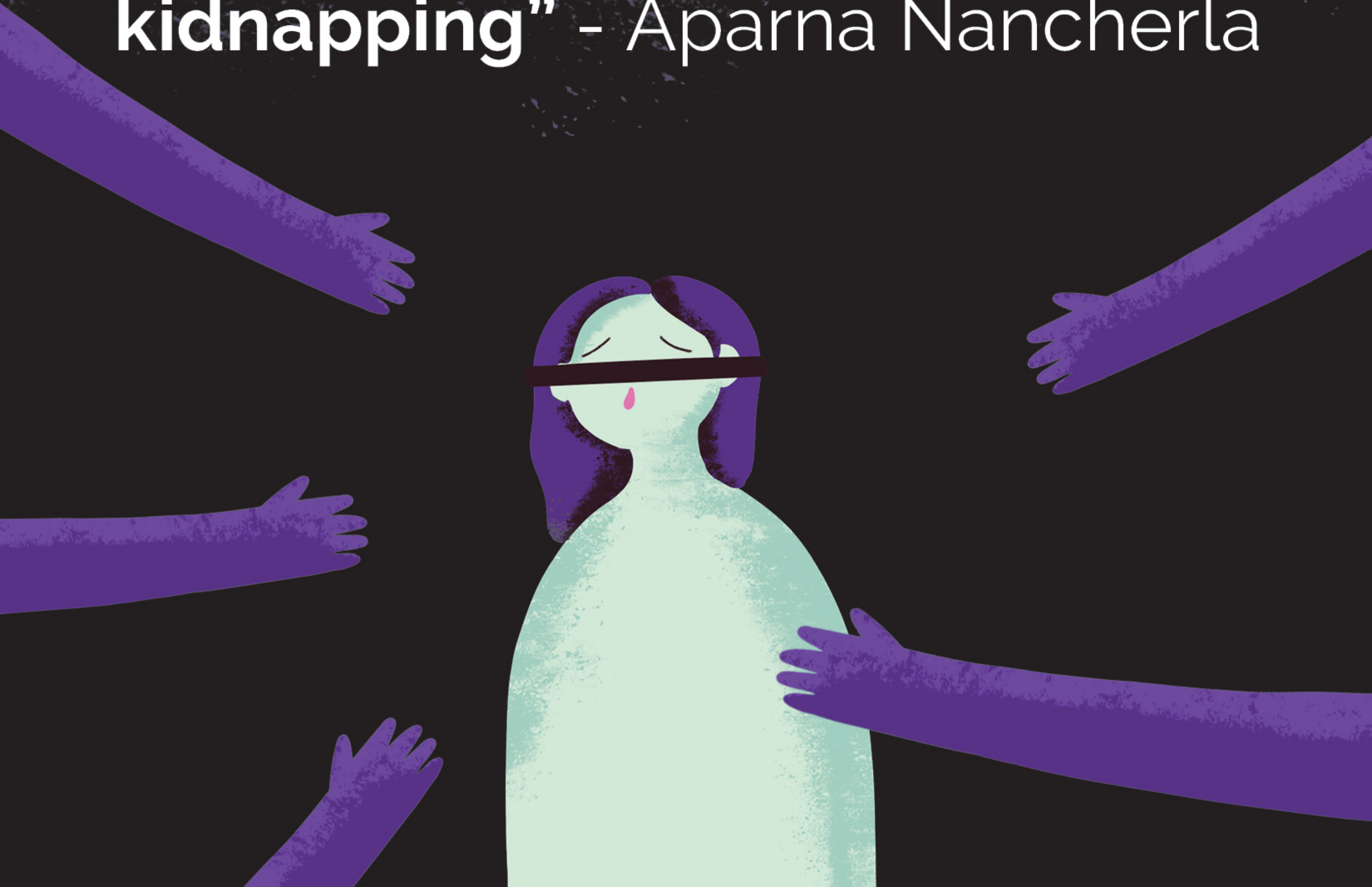
sexual violence

is **A CRIME**, however, many incidents of sexual violence **GO UNREPORTED.**

It's estimated **ONLY 19%** of sexual assaults on females were reported to the police (2005)



“Asking women why they didn’t report their sexual assault right away is akin to asking someone why they didn’t report their own kidnapping” - Aparna Nancherla

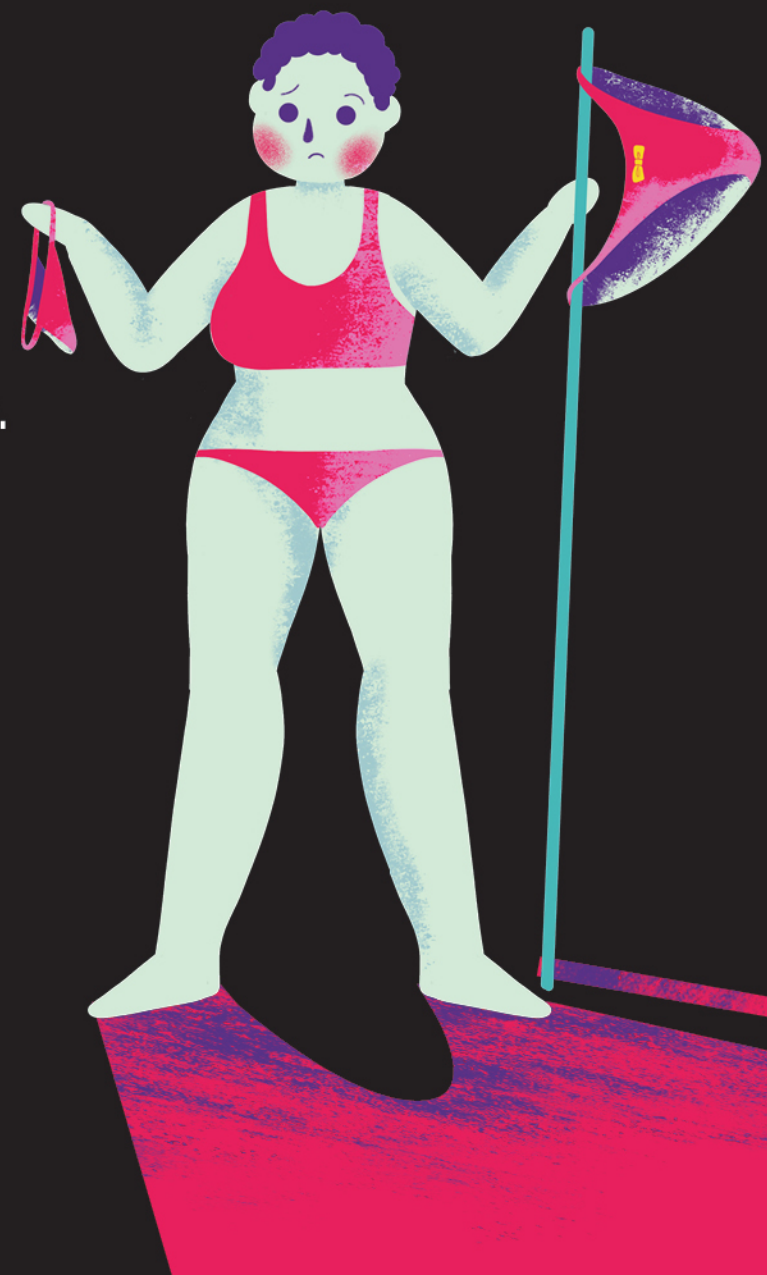


SUPPORT **FOR SURVIVORS OF** **SEXUAL VIOLENCE**

**CENTRE AGAINST SEXUAL
VIOLENCE (CAVS)** - Logan and
Redland. (07) 3808 3299

**ZIG ZAG YOUNG WOMEN'S
RESOURCE CENTRE** - Brisbane.
(07) 3843 1823

**GOLD COAST CENTRE
AGAINST SEXUAL VIOLENCE** -
Southport.
(07) 5591 1164



3 STEPS

TO SUPPORT SURVIVORS
OF SEXUAL VIOLENCE

Step 1

I BELIEVE YOU

Step 2

I'M SORRY THAT
HAPPEN TO YOU

Step 3

I'M HERE FOR YOU

