

**Revision made to *Sexual Assault in Nova Scotia*
and
*Fact Sheet on Violence Against Women***

Please note that we have made changes to the text accompanying Figure 1 in our recently released report, *Sexual Assault in Nova Scotia: A Statistical Portrait*. The change made pertains to the statistical significance of the provincial differences in sexual assault rates established by the 2004 *General Social Survey on Victimization*. While Nova Scotia's sexual assault rate appears to be higher than that of other provinces and higher than the national rate, none of these differences are statistically significant, with the exception of the difference between Nova Scotia's rate (40 per 1,000 population) and Québec's (11 per 1,000 population).

A revised copy of the report, *Sexual Assault in Nova Scotia* was posted on the Advisory Council's website on December 13, 2005 as was the revised *Fact Sheet on Violence Against Women*.

If you received or downloaded a copy of either of these documents prior to December 13th, please visit the Advisory Council website at: <http://www.gov.ns.ca/staw/pub.htm> to download a revised copy or contact us at 424-8662 or toll-free at 1-800-565-8662 for paper copies.