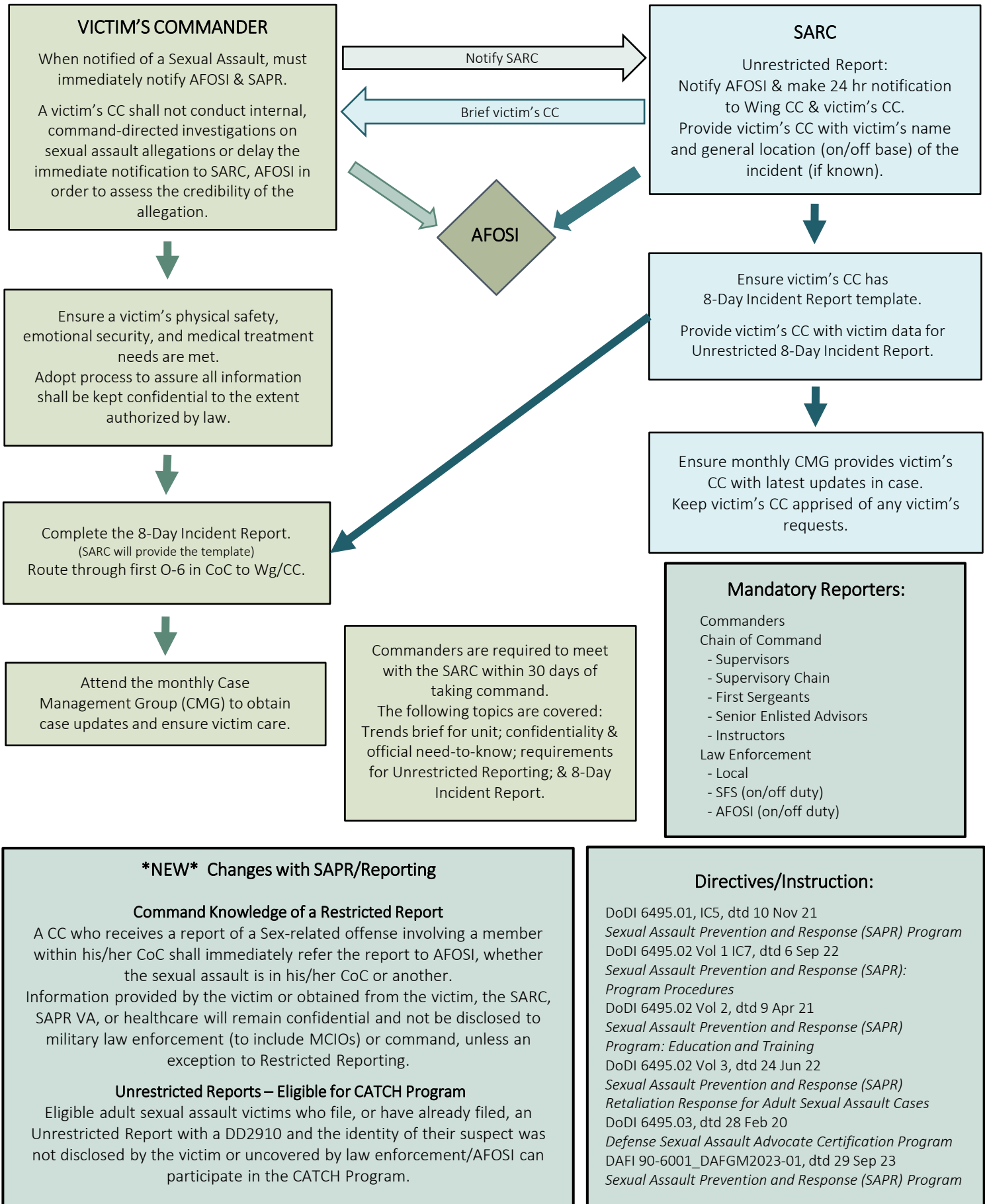
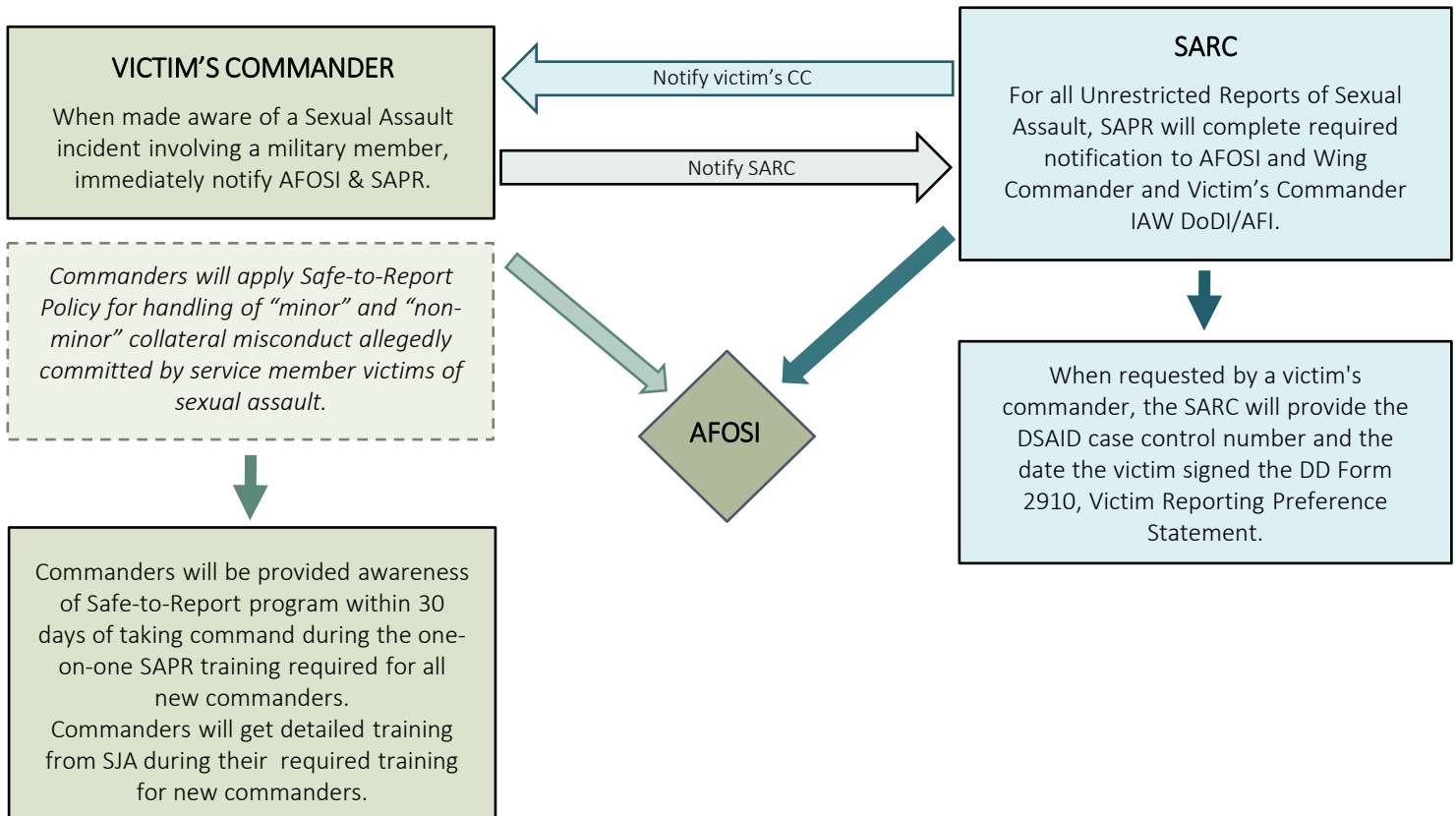


AETC COMMANDER'S GUIDANCE FOR REPORTS OF SEXUAL ASSAULT



AETC COMMANDER'S GUIDANCE FOR SAFE-TO-REPORT PROGRAM



The DAF Safe-to-Report Policy constitutes guidance for commanders exercising disciplinary discretion, and nothing in this policy shall be construed as creating any substantive rights for Airmen and Guardians charged with misconduct.

The decision to discipline or criminally charge Airmen or Guardians for collateral misconduct remains within the discretion of supervisors, commanders and the Department of the Air Force until and through December 27, 2023. On December 28, 2023, the Office of Special Trial Counsel (OSTC) will assume responsibility for making disciplinary decisions consistent with this policy.

This policy applies regardless of to whom a victim makes the allegation of sexual assault and regardless of whether the investigation and/or prosecution is handled by military or civilian authorities.

This policy does not preclude the Air Force Office of Special Investigations (AFOSI) or any other Military Criminal Investigative Organizations (MCIOs) from continuing to investigate, and document alleged collateral misconduct incidents revealed during associated investigative processes in final MCIO reports, but it may impact the commander's action or response to such misconduct.

Directives/Instruction:

Department of the Air Force Safe-to-Report Policy for Service Member Victims of Sexual Assault Memo, dtd 25 Aug 22
DAFI 90-6001_DAFGM2023-01, dtd 29 Sep 23, *Sexual Assault Prevention and Response (SAPR) Program*