



## Lyft and Uber: Fighting sexual assault in the transportation industry through transparency

We are pleased to give the Dignity Defense Award to Uber and Lyft, two ride-sharing companies who have stepped up as industry leaders in the fight against sexual violence.

Sexual assault and harassment on transportation services is a far too common occurrence, so much so that [Congress considers new legislation to help combat the issue](#).

Popular rideshare companies, Uber and Lyft, have not been immune to this tragic trend. **However, unlike other institutions that try to bury sexual assault cases, Uber and Lyft have taken the opposite approach: bringing the problem to light in order to root it out and protect their clients and employees.**