

The women described similar patterns of how the sexual exploitation began: Epstein offered massages to get them relaxed and then began masturbating and pressuring them into sex acts, sometimes involving a sex toy and participation from other women he was exploiting. Some also said Epstein sexually assaulted them. Afterward, he often made jokes about their discomfort, shared tips on how they could improve their sexual prowess for next time and pressured them to bring their female friends.



Lesley Groff, Epstein's executive assistant, circulated his daily schedules. **Credit:** MAX RAPP/PATRICK MCMULLAN/GETTY IMAGES

Epstein was never charged with a crime for his activities after 2008. His arrest and indictment in 2019 focused on his alleged abuse and

exploitation of underage girls between 2002 and