



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COUNTS REPORT

VIRGINIA SUMMARY

On September 4, 2024, **56** out of **66 (85%)** identified domestic violence programs in Virginia participated in a national count of domestic violence services conducted by the National Network to End Domestic Violence (NNEDV). During the 24-hour survey period, participating programs served **1,422** victims, did not have enough resources to meet **121** requests for help, and shared the following additional information.

1,422 Victims Served

1,035 adults and children found refuge in emergency shelters, transitional housing, hotels, motels, or other housing provided by local programs.

387 adults and children received non-residential supportive services like transportation, court accompaniment, counseling, and more.

1,360 Hotline Contacts Received

Domestic violence hotlines are lifelines for victims in danger, providing support, information, safety planning, and resources via phone, chat, text, email, and more. Programs' hotlines received **1,360** contacts, averaging **nearly 57** contacts per hour.

442 People Educated

Programs provided **22** educational sessions and trainings to **442** members of the public, addressing topics like domestic violence prevention and early intervention.

121 Unmet Requests for Services

Victims made **121** requests for services that programs could not provide because they lacked sufficient resources, funding, and/or staffing. Approximately **45%** of these unmet requests were for emergency shelter, hotels, motels, transitional housing, and other housing.

Table 1: Services Provided on 9/4/24	% of Programs Providing Services
Emergency Shelter	64%
Court Accompaniment or Legal Support	59%
Support Related to Housing/Landlord	46%
Therapy/Counseling for Adults	43%
Children's Support	41%
Therapy/Counseling for Children or Youth	29%
Prevention and/or Educational Programs	25%
Support Related to Health Care or Health Care Systems	25%
Transitional or Other Housing (run by DV program)	21%
Job Training/Employment Assistance	20%
Support to Victims of Trafficking	16%
Legal Representation by an Attorney	9%
Support to Active Duty or Veteran Victims in U.S. Armed Forces	2%

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