



# DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COUNTS REPORT NEVADA SUMMARY

On September 12, 2019, 14 out of 15 (93%) identified domestic violence programs in Nevada participated in a national census of domestic violence services conducted by the National Network to End Domestic Violence (NNEDV). The following figures represent the information shared by these 14 participating programs regarding the services provided during DV Counts Day, the 24-hour survey period.

### 646 Victims Served in One Day

367 adult and child victims of domestic violence found refuge in emergency shelters, transitional housing, or other housing provided by local domestic violence programs.

279 adult and child victims received non-residential assistance and services, including counseling, legal advocacy, children’s support groups, and more.

Type of Service Provided on DV Counts Day	% of Programs Providing Service
Transportation	50%
Emergency Shelter	43%
Transitional or Other Housing	36%
Bilingual Advocacy	36%
CourtAccompaniment/LegalAdvocacy	29%

### 92 Hotline Calls Answered

Domestic violence hotlines are a lifeline for victims in danger, providing support, information, safety planning, and resources. During the 24-hour survey period, local and state hotline staff in Nevada answered 92 calls, on average 4 calls per hour.

**❖ An immigrant survivor came in because her daughter was being molested by a family member and her husband knew but did nothing. He threatened to have the woman deported if she went to the police, but she made the brave choice to report it anyway. We put them in shelter and she thanks us for “saving” them every time she comes in.**

### 22 Individuals Attended Prevention and Educational Trainings

Community education is essential to raising awareness about domestic violence and the resources that are available to victims, while promoting prevention strategies. On DV Counts Day, local domestic violence programs educated 22 individuals in communities across Nevada. Advocates provided 3 trainings that addressed domestic violence prevention, early intervention, and more.

### 24 Unmet Requests for Services in One Day, of which 71% (17) were for Housing and Emergency Shelter

Victims made 24 requests for services—including emergency shelter, housing, transportation, childcare, legal representation, and more—that could not be provided because programs lacked the resources to meet victims’ needs. Increased funding will enable domestic violence programs to provide comprehensive services to all survivors seeking help and to prevent violence in their communities.