



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COUNTS REPORT KENTUCKY SUMMARY

On September 6, 2023, **15 out of 15 (100%)** identified domestic violence programs in Kentucky participated in a national count of domestic violence services conducted by the National Network to End Domestic Violence (NNEDV). The following figures were shared by participating programs about the services they provided during the 24-hour survey period.

1,065 Victims Served

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

331 adult and child victims received non-residential supportive services related to transportation, housing advocacy, legal support, therapy, and more.

214 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 **214** contacts, averaging **nearly 9** contacts per hour.

187 People Educated

Programs provided **10** educational sessions and trainings to **187** members of the public, addressing topics like domestic violence prevention and early intervention.

115 Unmet Requests for Services

Victims made **115** requests for services that programs could not provide because they lacked sufficient resources. Approximately **67%** of these unmet requests were for emergency shelter, hotels, motels, transitional housing, and other housing.

Table 1: Services Provided on 9/6/23	% of Programs Providing Services
Transportation	100%
Children's Support or Advocacy	93%
Court Accompaniment or Legal Advocacy	93%
Support/Advocacy Related to Housing/Landlord	93%
Emergency Shelter	87%
Support/Advocacy Related to Mental Health	80%
Support/Advocacy Related to Substance Use	67%
Transitional or Other Housing (run by DV program)	60%

✘ **"Intimate partner violence is a public safety issue. Without adequate support, the ripple effect on other societal issues like homelessness, gun violence, poverty, substance use, and mental health will be exacerbated. Funding is critical for prevention and intervention services." - Kentucky advocate**

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