



# **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COUNTS REPORT**NEW YORK SUMMARY

On September 6, 2023, **97** out of **106 (92%)** identified domestic violence programs in New York 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.

## 9,411 Victims Served

**5,173** adult and child victims of domestic violence found refuge in emergency shelters, transitional housing, hotels, motels, or other housing provided by local programs.

**4,238** adult and child victims received non-residential supportive services related to transportation, housing advocacy, legal support, therapy, and more.

## 1,573 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 **1,573** contacts, averaging **nearly 66** contacts per hour.

## 1,896 People Educated

Programs provided **32** educational sessions and trainings to **1,896** members of the public, addressing topics like domestic violence prevention and early intervention.

#### 1,045 Unmet Requests for Services

Victims made **1,045** requests for services that programs could not provide because they lacked sufficient resources. Approximately **65%** of these unmet requests were for emergency shelter, hotels, motels, transitional housing, and other housing.

<b>Table 1:</b> Services Provided on 9/6/23	% of Programs Providing Services
Support/Advocacy Related to Housing/ Landlord	62%
Court Accompaniment or Legal Advocacy	60%
Emergency Shelter	60%
Support/Advocacy Related to Public Benefits/TANF/Welfare	56%
Transportation	54%
Children's Support or Advocacy	53%
Support/Advocacy Related to Mental Health	51%
Support/Advocacy Related to Substance Use	18%

"It is a perpetual challenge to deliver services amidst government funding cuts, payment delays, and scarce private funding. Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) grants were cut by approximately 25%, nearly \$350,000 in our annual funding that supports vital clinical and legal services. There are likely to be even deeper cuts next year." - New York advocate

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