



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COUNTS REPORT ALABAMA SUMMARY

On September 10, 2025, **17 out of 17 (100%)** identified domestic violence programs in Alabama participated in NNEDV’s Domestic Violence Counts Survey: a one-day, unduplicated count of adults and children seeking domestic violence services. Participating programs shared the following figures about the services they provided during the 24-hour survey period.

856 Victims Served

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

551 adults and children received non-residential supportive services like transportation, housing support, legal support, therapy, and more.

73 Hotline Contacts Received

Programs’ hotlines received **73** contacts, averaging **more than 3** contacts per hour. Domestic violence hotlines are lifelines for victims, providing support, information, safety planning, and resources via phone, chat, text, email, and more.

532 People Educated

Programs provided **33** educational sessions and trainings to **532** members of the public, addressing topics like domestic violence prevention and early intervention. Community education is essential to raising awareness and promoting resources.

38 Unmet Requests for Services

Programs were unable to meet **38** requests for help because they lacked sufficient resources, funding, and/or staffing. Approximately **71%** of these unmet requests were for emergency shelter, hotels, motels, transitional housing, and other housing.

Table 1: Services Provided on 9/10/25	% of Programs Providing Services
Emergency Shelter	94%
Prevention and/or Educational Programs	41%
Support Related to Housing/Landlord	35%
Therapy/Counseling for Adults	35%
Transitional or Other Housing (run by DV program)	35%
Transportation	35%
Court Accompaniment or Legal Support	29%
Financial Literacy/Budgeting	29%
Support Related to Mental Health	24%
Support Related to Public Benefits/TANF/Welfare	24%
Job Training/Employment Assistance	18%

✘ “Some of the biggest barriers that we see with our shelter residents are the lack of safe, low-income housing and the long waitlist for resources. **Devastatingly, this has led to victims returning to the violent home or other unsafe housing options.**” - *Alabama advocate*

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