



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COUNTS REPORT INDIANA SUMMARY

On September 10, 2025, **39 out of 39 (100%)** identified domestic violence programs in Indiana participated in NEDV’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.

2,459 Victims Served

1,412 adults and children found refuge in emergency shelters, transitional housing, hotels, motels, or other housing provided by local programs.

1,047 adults and children received non-residential supportive services like transportation, housing support, legal support, therapy, and more.

568 Hotline Contacts Received

Programs’ hotlines received **568** contacts, averaging **nearly 24** contacts per hour. Domestic violence hotlines are lifelines for victims, providing support, information, safety planning, and resources via phone, chat, text, email, and more.

1,089 People Educated

Programs provided **37** educational sessions and trainings to **1,089** members of the public, addressing topics like domestic violence prevention and early intervention. Community education is essential to raising awareness and promoting resources.

153 Unmet Requests for Services

Programs were unable to meet **153** requests for help because they lacked sufficient resources, funding, and/or staffing. Approximately **75%** 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	72%
Children’s Support	56%
Court Accompaniment or Legal Support	49%
Support Related to Mental Health	49%
Transportation	49%
Prevention and/or Educational Programs	41%
Transitional or Other Housing (run by DV program)	41%
Support Related to Housing/Landlord	38%
Support Related to Substance Use	36%
Direct Cash Assistance	18%

❖ **“For every survivor we welcome, there are five others we must turn away due to lack of space or resources.** Each ‘no’ means a mother and her children may have to sleep in a car, return to an unsafe home, or risk homelessness. The danger doesn’t end when the shelter is full; it only shifts back onto the survivor’s shoulders.”
- *Indiana advocate*

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