



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COUNTS REPORT OKLAHOMA SUMMARY

On September 10, 2025, **24 out of 33 (73%)** identified domestic violence programs in Oklahoma 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.

751 Victims Served

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

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

186 Hotline Contacts Received

Programs’ hotlines received **186** contacts, averaging **nearly 8** contacts per hour. Domestic violence hotlines are lifelines for victims, providing support, information, safety planning, and resources via phone, chat, text, email, and more.

135 People Educated

Programs provided **8** educational sessions and trainings to **135** members of the public, addressing topics like domestic violence prevention and early intervention. Community education is essential to raising awareness and promoting resources.

476 Unmet Requests for Services

Programs were unable to meet **476** 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	79%
Children’s Support	46%
Transportation	46%
Court Accompaniment or Legal Support	42%
Childcare/Daycare	29%
Prevention and/or Educational Programs	25%
Support Related to Disability Issues	25%
Therapy/Counseling for Adults	25%
Bilingual Support	21%
Support Related to Child Welfare/Protective Services	21%
Support Related to Mental Health	21%
Transitional or Other Housing (run by DV program)	21%

✘ **“Oklahoma ranks first in the nation for domestic violence incidents**, highlighting the urgent need for increased funding, especially in rural areas. Our shelter has only 35 beds, and there simply aren’t enough safe spaces for individuals and families fleeing violence. We know that intervention and prevention are key to breaking the cycle, and we remain determined to provide the highest level of care and support to victims and their families.” - *Oklahoma advocate*

