



# Domestic Violence Program

December 31, 2016

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The Honorable Larry Hogan  
State House  
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The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.  
President of the Senate  
State House, H-107  
Annapolis, MD 20401

The Honorable Michael Erin Busch  
Speaker of the House of Delegates  
State House, H-101  
Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Governor Hogan, President Miller, and Speaker Busch:

As required under Family Law Article § 4-561(a) and, in accordance with §2-1246 of the State Government Article, please accept this letter as fulfillment of the Governor's Office of Crime Control & Prevention's requirement to produce an annual report on the Domestic Violence Program. Enclosed is the required report.

The State provides over \$2 million in funding assistance to local jurisdictions to assist in developing and implementing strategies that aid victims of domestic violence. Should you have any questions relating to the information in this report, please feel free to contact my office at (410) 697-9338.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "V. Glenn Fueston".

V. Glenn Fueston  
Executive Director

Enclosure

## **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROGRAM**

The Governor's Office of Crime Control and Prevention serves as a coordinating office that advises the Governor on criminal justice strategies. The office plans, promotes, and funds efforts with government entities, private organizations, and the community to advance public policy, enhance public safety, reduce crime and juvenile delinquency, and serve victims. During the 2011 Legislative Session, the Maryland Department of Human Resources proposed legislation to transfer the Domestic Violence and Rape Crisis/Sexual Assault Programs to the Governor's Office of Crime Control and Prevention. This transfer became effective July 1, 2011 through the passage of House Bill 739.

The Maryland Domestic Violence Program is a statewide program that makes temporary shelter environments and supportive services available through a network of local domestic violence service programs. These programs provide comprehensive services to meet the specific needs of domestic violence victims and their families. Providing these services locally increases the likelihood that victims will benefit from these services and that there will be appropriate linkages to other community-based services as needed. Additionally, provision of services at the local level fosters a coordinated community approach to serving domestic violence victims that includes partnerships with law enforcement, courts, hospitals, local departments of social services, and other related support agencies.

Services are provided through a network of community-based domestic violence programs and are available in every county in Maryland as well as Baltimore City. These funds are used to provide safe refuge and support services to victims of domestic violence and their children. Services include a 24-hour hotline, safe accommodations and board, therapeutic counseling, legal counseling, and court accompaniment. Funds are also used to support community awareness activities and abuser intervention services. Currently, funds support services in all 24 jurisdictions (counties and Baltimore City) in Maryland. These programs consist of both private and non-profit agencies, and governmental agencies.

All domestic violence programs funded must provide specialized services that reflect awareness of and sensitivity to the needs of underserved populations and implement their programs in accordance with State and Federal regulations or guidelines. Un-served and underserved victim populations targeted for outreach and services include: individuals with mental health and substance abuse issues, older adults, individuals with disabilities, ethnic or racial groups - especially people with limited English proficiency, immigrants, people in same-sex relationships, teens, military families, male victims, and individuals and families living in rural areas of the State where access to services may be limited. Each program develops and implements a plan for outreach to and engagement of un-served or underserved populations. While the Governor's Office of Crime Control and Prevention requires all domestic violence programs to identify and provide services to un-served and underserved populations, it does not require the programs to adopt one standard approach for outreach and intervention. Programs develop and implement their own outreach efforts as defined by their understanding of the specific needs of their respective jurisdictions.

Included in the appendices of this report is a graph of the domestic violence centers in Maryland, a directory of the centers, the Maryland State Report on Domestic Violence Hotline calls, a summary of

Domestic Violence in Maryland in 2015, and an overview the Fiscal Year 2017 state and federally funded domestic programs.

***Data:***

In 2012, HB1146/SB647 “Domestically Related Crimes” was signed into law to help improve the recording and tracking of domestic violence crimes. Maryland does not have a distinct crime of domestic violence, therefore, the new law helps law enforcement, advocates, prosecutors and judges better protect domestic violence victims and set more appropriate conditions for abusers.

In 2013, to better align with Maryland Law, the Maryland Uniform Crime Reporting Program expanded the definition of domestic violence to include ten additional relationships in calendar year 2013. Prior to 2013, the only reported relationships between domestic violence victims and offenders were husband, wife and cohabitant. In addition, “intimate partner” now refers to a victim who had a sexual relationship with the suspect within 12 months before the commission of the crime. The title of the reporting program was also changed to the Maryland Domestically Related Crime Reporting Program. Under the Maryland Uniform Crime Reporting Program the definition for a domestically related crime is now:

“Any crime committed by a suspect (respondent) against a victim who is a person eligible for relief, as defined in §4-501 of the Family Law Article or who had a sexual relationship with the suspect within 12 months before the commission of the crime. This also includes homosexual relationships.”

**A “person eligible for relief”, as defined in §4-501 of the Family Law Article includes:**

- **The current or former spouse of the respondent;**
- **A cohabitant of the respondent;**
- **A person related to the respondent by blood, marriage, or adoption;**
- **A parent, stepparent, child, or stepchild of the respondent or the person eligible for relief who resides or resided with the respondent or person eligible for relief for at least 90 days within 1 year before the filing of the petition;**
- **A vulnerable adult;**
- **An individual who has a child in common with the respondent.**

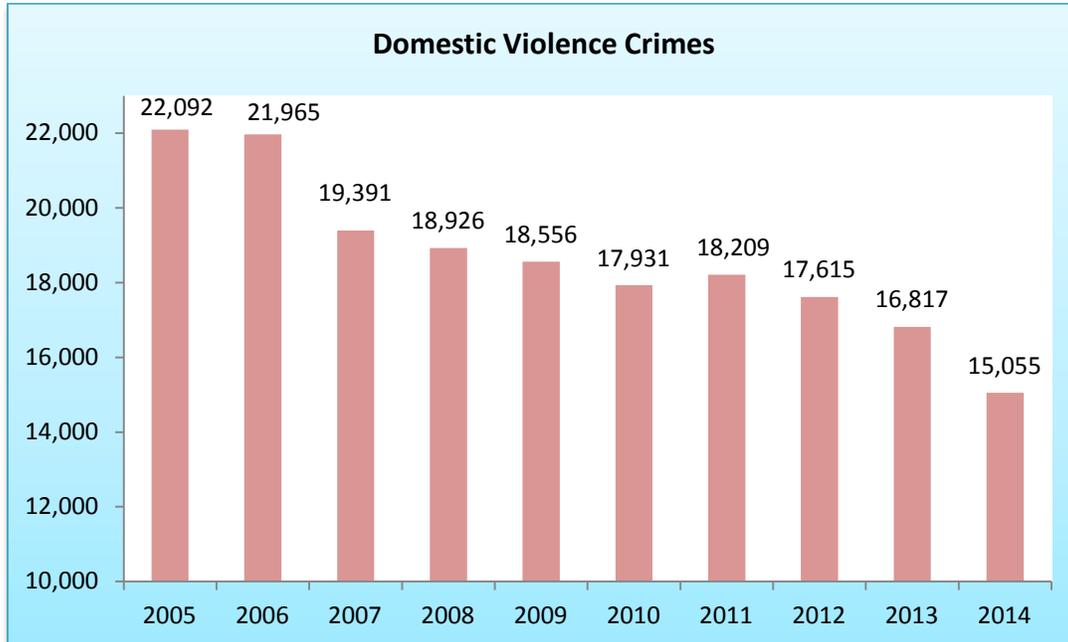
As domestic violence data reporting was expanded to include additional relationships, there was an increase in the total number of Domestic Violence crimes statewide. For now, the Uniform Crime Reporting program will continue to present certain data elements including both the new, as well as the previous definition of domestic violence.

As of the time of this report, complete and verified Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) data is only available through Calendar Year 2014. Based on the previous definition of domestic violence, there were a total of 15,055 domestic violence crimes reported statewide in 2014, as compared to 16,817 crimes in 2013 (Chart 1). This represented a 2 percent decrease in the number of domestic violence crimes from 2013 to 2014, and a 31.9% decrease since 2005. Under the new and expanded law, an

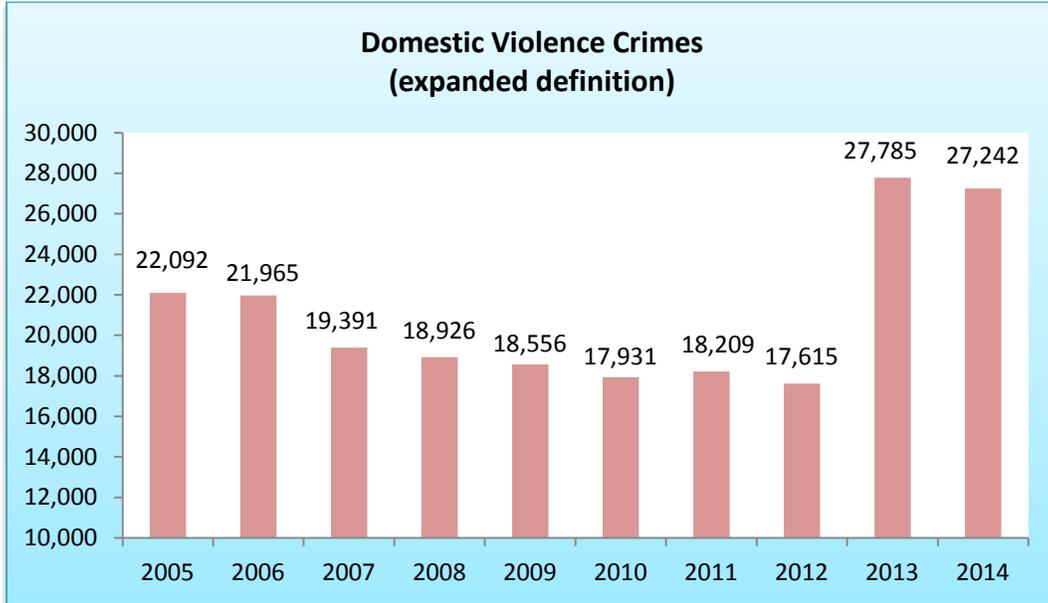
additional 12,187 domestically related crimes were captured in 2014, representing the inclusion of more types of domestic relationships (Chart 2).

In 2014, there were 72 female homicides, and 30 juvenile murder victims. There were 67 homicides determined to be domestically related in 2014 (Chart 3). These numbers are also reflective of the expanded definition of domestic violence. Under the previous definition of domestic violence, the State drove down a combined 32.5% in female and juvenile homicides between 2006 and 2014.

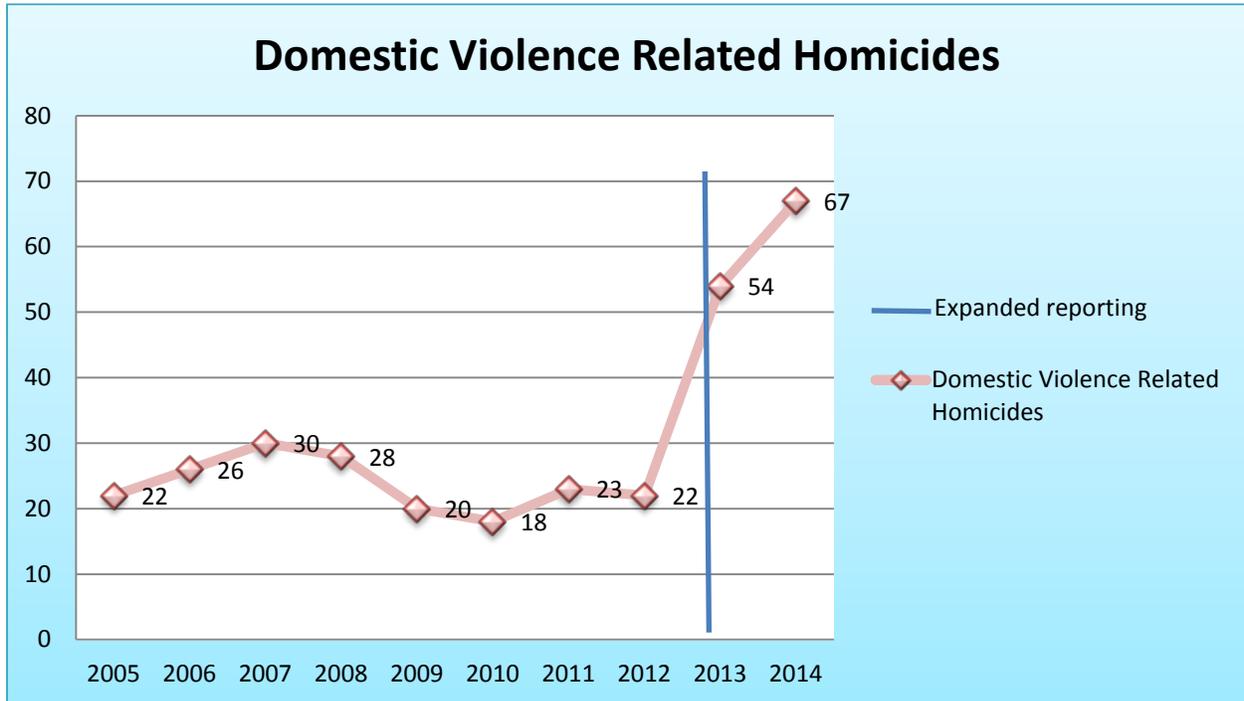
**Chart 1**



**Chart 2**



**Chart 3**



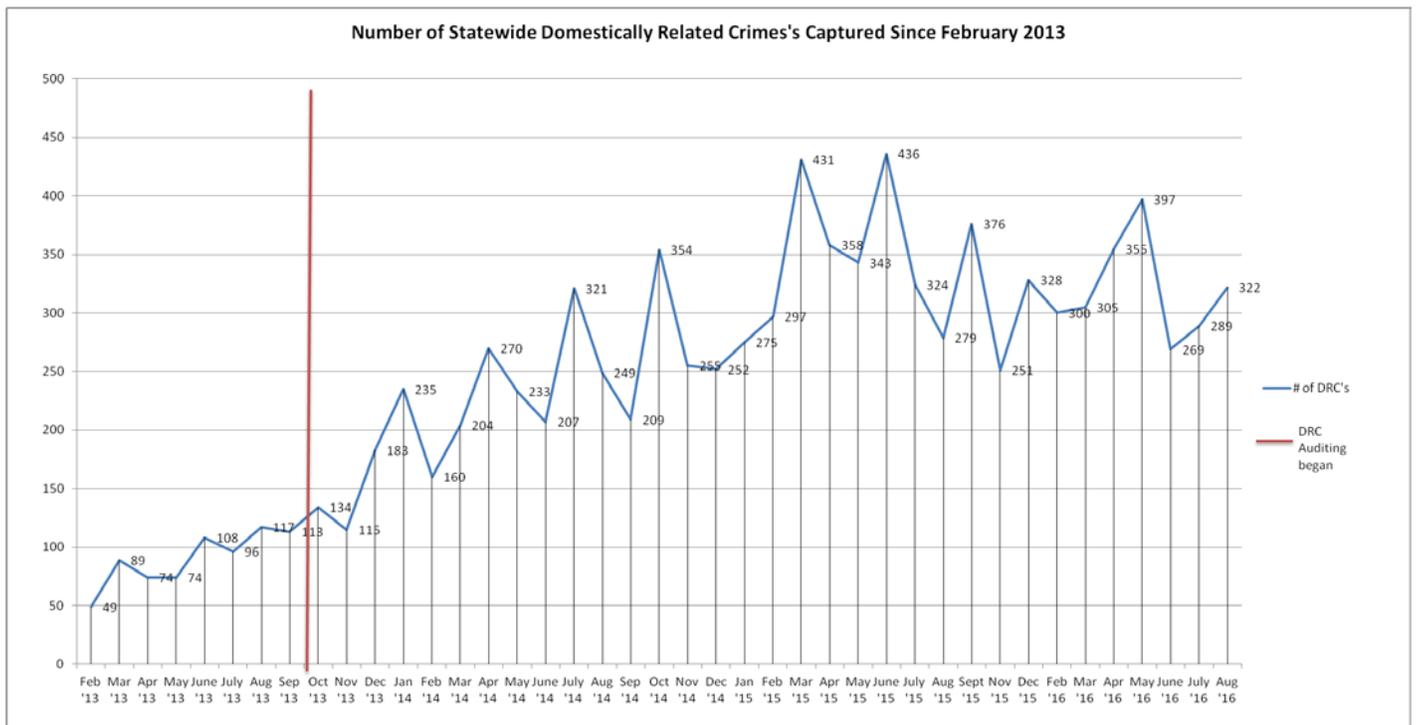
***Domestically Related Crimes***

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crime of domestic violence, therefore, the new law helps law enforcement, advocates, prosecutors and judges better protect domestic violence victims and set more appropriate conditions for abusers. Following an offender’s conviction or Probation Before Judgment (PBJ) on a crime that is determined by the court to be domestically related, the law allows prosecutors to request a “domestically related” tag to be attached to this adjudication. This information will be reported to the Criminal Justice Information System (CJIS) repository, and permanently appear of the offender’s record of arrest and prosecution (RAP) sheet.

The Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services has created a special Domestically Related Crime “hot file” on Maryland’s Criminal Justice Dashboard so that whenever a police officer searches an offender’s name through the Dashboard, the officer will receive an alert if that offender’s name is in the Domestically Related Crime “hot file.” Since February 1, 2013, 10,444 offenders have been adjudicated by the court as having committed domestically related crimes. This finding is noted on their criminal records. This number is expected to increase in the future as more prosecutors and judges become familiar with the new law. In October 2013, the Governor’s Office of Crime Control and Prevention and the Maryland Statistical Analysis Center began working closely with the Criminal Justice Information System to ensure the reporting process was progressing efficiently. Chart 4 shows the number of domestically related crimes tagged since the bill took effect.

**Chart 4**



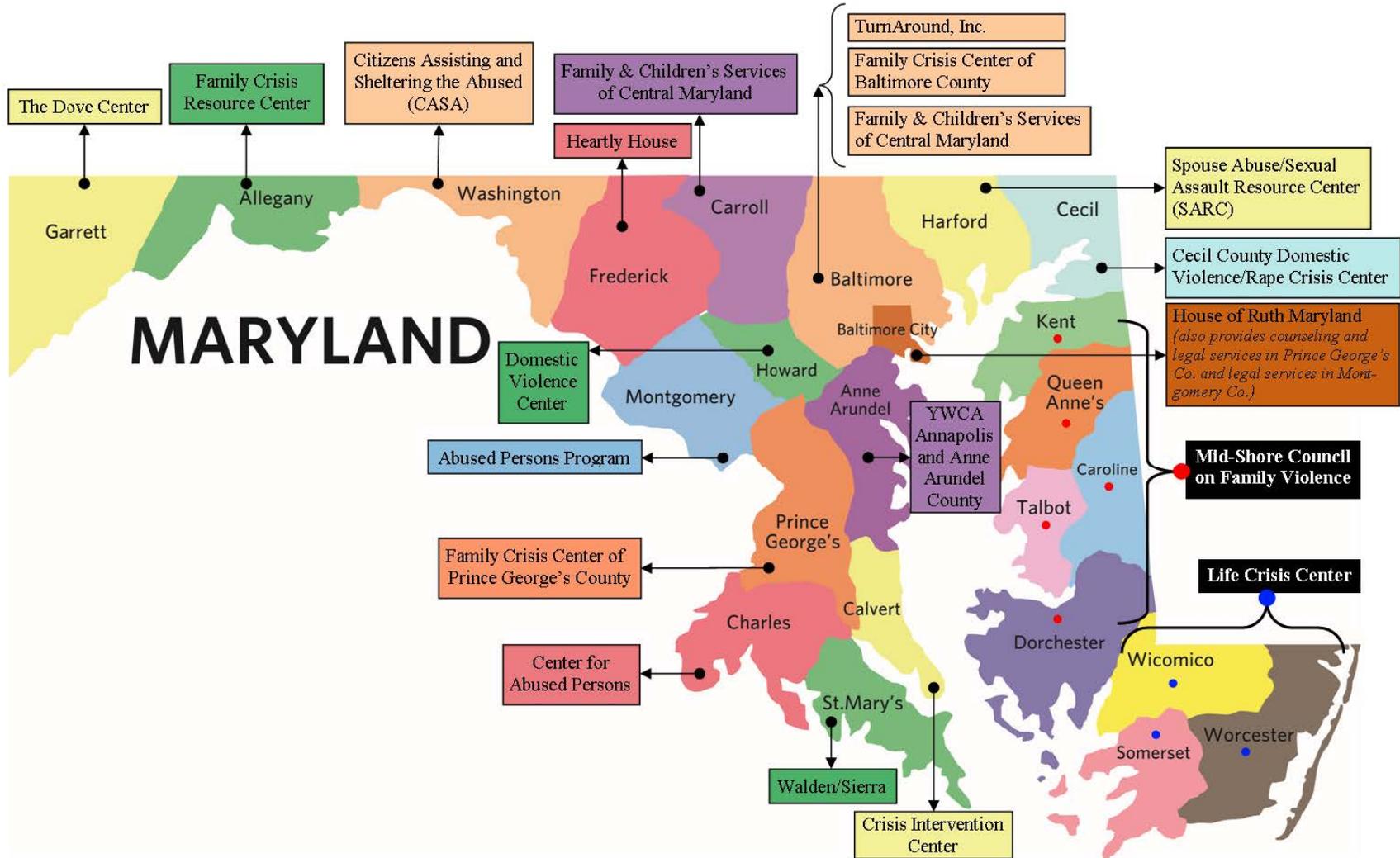
\*Based on Criminal Justice Information System (CJIS) data

In conclusion, reported domestic violence crimes decreased from 2013 to 2014 (the latest Uniform Crime Reporting data available). The Governor's Office of Crime Control & Prevention will continue to staff the Governor's Family Violence Council which makes recommendations to further efforts to combat domestic violence. In addition, we will continue to utilize designated domestic violence funding to fund domestic violence programs that provide needed services to victims of domestic violence and their families.

Attachments:

- A. Maryland's Comprehensive Domestic Violence Centers
- B. Maryland Domestic Violence Directory
- C. Maryland State Report on Domestic Violence Hotline calls
- D. 2015 Maryland Domestic Violence Summary
- E. Fiscal Year 2017 Grant Funded Programs

# Programs Providing Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services in Each County



# Maryland Domestic Violence Directory

County	Services Include	County	Services Include
<b>Allegany</b> Family Crisis Resource Center, Inc. <b>Contact Information</b> Phone: 301-759-9246 Hotline: 301-759-9244 Fax: 301-759-4934 <a href="#">website info</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Counseling</li><li>• Safe House/Shelter</li><li>• Information and Referral</li></ul>	<b>Harford</b> Sexual Assault/Spouse Abuse Resource Center, Inc. <b>Contact Information</b> Phone: 410- 836-8431 Hotline: 410- 836-8430 or 410-879-3486 Fax: 410- 838-9484 <a href="#">website info</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Counseling</li><li>• Safe House/Shelter</li><li>• Hotline</li></ul>
<b>Anne Arundel</b> YWCA of Annapolis and Anne Arundel County <b>Contact Information</b> Phone: 410-626-7800 Hotline: 410-222-6800 Fax: 410-626-7312 <a href="#">website info</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Counseling</li><li>• Safe House/Shelter</li><li>• Information and Referral</li></ul>	<b>Howard</b> Domestic Violence Center of Howard County, Inc. <b>Contact Information</b> Phone: 410-997-0304 Hotline 410-997-2272 or 800-752-0191 Fax: 410-997-1397 <a href="#">website info</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Counseling</li><li>• Safe House/Shelter</li><li>• Hotline</li></ul>
<b>Baltimore City</b> House of Ruth, Inc. <b>Contact Information</b> Phone: 410 -889-0840 Hotline: 410 -889-7884 Fax: 410 -889-9347 <a href="#">website info</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Counseling</li><li>• Safe House/Shelter</li><li>• Legal Services</li></ul>	<b>Kent</b> Mid-Shore Council on Family Violence <b>Contact Information</b> Phone: 410-690-3222 Hotline: 1-800-927-HOPE (4673) Fax: 410-690-3271 <a href="#">website info</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Safe House/Shelter</li><li>• Crisis Intervention</li><li>• Legal Accompaniment</li></ul>
<b>(West) Baltimore County</b> Family & Children Services of Central Maryland <b>Contact Information</b> Phone: 410-281-1334 Hotline: 410-828-6390 Fax: 410-298-4326 <a href="#">website info</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Counseling</li><li>• Referrals to Shelter</li><li>• Advocacy</li></ul>	<b>Montgomery</b> Montgomery Co. Dept. of Health & Human Services Abused Persons Program <b>Contact Information</b> Phone: 240-777-4195 Hotline: 240-777-4673 Fax: 240-777-1329 <a href="#">website info</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Counseling</li><li>• Safe House/Shelter</li><li>• Crisis Intervention</li><li>• Advocacy</li></ul>
<b>(North/Central) Baltimore County</b> TurnAround, Inc. <b>Contact Information</b> Phone: 410-377-8111 Hotline: 443-279-0379 Fax: 410-377-6806 <a href="#">website info</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Counseling</li><li>• Advocacy</li><li>• Referrals to Shelter</li></ul>		

### **(East) Baltimore County**

Family Crisis Center of Baltimore County, Inc.

**Contact Information**

Phone: 410-285-4357  
Hotline: 410-828-6390  
Fax: 410-285-4361

[website info](#)

- Counseling
- Safe House/Shelter
- Information and Referral

### **Prince George's**

Family Crisis Center of Prince George's Co.

**Contact Information**

Phone: 301-779-2100  
Hotline 301-731-1203 or  
866-DVCRISIS

Fax: 301-779-2104

[website info](#)

- Counseling
- Safe House/Shelter
- Information and Referral

### **Calvert**

Calvert County Health Department Crisis Intervention Program

**Contact Information**

Phone: 410-535-5400  
Hotline: 410-535-1121 or  
301-855-1075

Fax: 410-414-3962

[website info](#)

- Counseling
- Safe House/Shelter
- Advocacy

### **Queen Anne's**

Mid-Shore Council on Family Violence

**Contact Information**

Phone: 410-690-3222  
Hotline: 1-800-927-HOPE (4673)  
Fax: 410-690-3271

[website info](#)

- Safe House/Shelter
- Crisis Intervention
- Legal Accompaniment

### **Caroline**

Mid-Shore Council on Family Violence

**Contact Information**

Phone: 410-690-3222  
Hotline: 1-800-927-HOPE (4673)  
Fax: 410-690-3271

[website info](#)

- Safe House/Shelter
- Crisis Intervention
- Legal Accompaniment

### **Somerset**

Life Crisis Center, Inc.

**Contact Information**

Phone: 410-749-0632  
Hotline 410-749-4357 or  
410-641-4357

Fax: 410-548-9496

[website info](#)

- Counseling
- Safe House/Shelter
- Information and Referral

### **Carroll**

Family & Children's Services of Central Maryland

**Contact Information**

Phone: 410-876-1233  
Hotline: 443-865-8031  
Fax: 410-876-4791

[website info](#)

- Counseling
- Referrals to Shelter
- Advocacy

### **St. Mary's**

St. Mary's County Board of Commissioners – Walden-Sierra, Inc.

**Contact Information**

Phone: 301-997-1300  
Hotline: 301-863-6661 or  
301-863-6664

Fax: 301-997-1321

[website info](#)

- Counseling
- Referrals to Shelter
- Crisis Intervention

### **Cecil**

Cecil County Department of Social Services Domestic Violence/Rape Crisis Center

**Contact Information**

Phone: 410- 996-0333  
Hotline: Same as above  
Fax: 410-996-0820

- Counseling
- Safe House/Shelter
- Advocacy

### **Talbot**

Mid-Shore Council on Family Violence

**Contact Information**

Phone: 410-690-3222  
Hotline: 1-800-927-HOPE (4673)  
Fax: 410-690-3271

[website info](#)

- Safe House/Shelter
- Crisis Intervention
- Legal Accompaniment

## Charles

Center for Abused Persons

### Contact Information

Phone: 301-645-8994

Hotline: 301-645-3336 or  
301-843-1110

Fax: 301-645-8342

[website info](#)

- Counseling
- Referrals to Shelter
- Advocacy

## Washington

CASA, Inc.

### Contact Information

Phone: 301-739-4990

Hotline 301-739-8975 or  
301-739-1012 TTY

Fax: 301-797-0064

[website info](#)

- Counseling
- Safe House/Shelter
- Information and Referral

## Dorchester

Mid-Shore Council on Family  
Violence

### Contact Information

Phone: 410-690-3222

Hotline: 1-800-927-HOPE (4673)

Fax: 410-690-3271

[website info](#)

- Safe House/Shelter
- Crisis Intervention
- Legal Accompaniment

## Wicomico

Life Crisis Center, Inc.

### Contact Information

Phone: 410-749-0632

Hotline 410-749-4357 or  
410-641-4357

Fax: 410-548-9496

[website info](#)

- Counseling
- Safe House/Shelter
- Information and Referral

## Frederick

Heartly House, Inc.

### Contact Information

Phone: 301-418-6610

Hotline: 301-662-8800

Fax: 301-663-4334

[website info](#)

- Counseling
- Safe House/Shelter
- Information and Referral

## Worcester

Life Crisis Center, Inc.

### Contact Information

Phone: 410-749-0632

Hotline 410-749-4357 or  
410-641-4357

Fax: 410-548-9496

[website info](#)

- Counseling
- Safe House/Shelter
- Information and Referral

## Garrett

Domestic Violence/Sexual  
Assault Resource Center, Inc.  
(DOVE Center)

### Contact Information

Phone: 301-334-6255

Hotline: 301-334-9000

Fax: 301-245-4525

[website info](#)

The National Domestic Violence  
**HOTLINE**

1.800.799.SAFE (7233) • 1.800.787.3224 (TTY)

# Maryland State Report

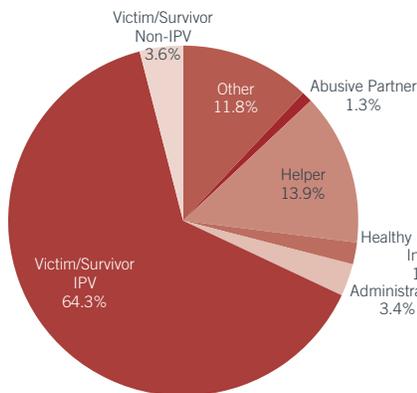
Based on Hotline contacts documented January–June 2016

In the first half of 2016, the National Domestic Violence Hotline documented\* **1,660 contacts** from Maryland. The state ranks 17th in terms of Hotline contact volume. The Hotline provides Crisis Intervention, Safety Planning, Referrals and DV Education for these contacts.

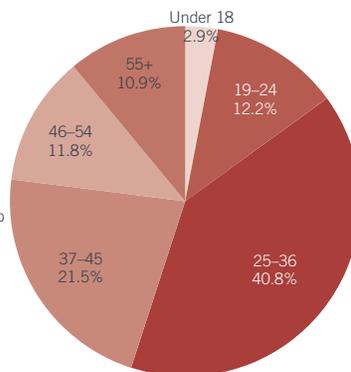
\*Contacts documented refers to the calls and online chats where a location was self-disclosed by the caller or chatter.

	Phone	1,524
	Chat	136
	TTY	0
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1,660</b>

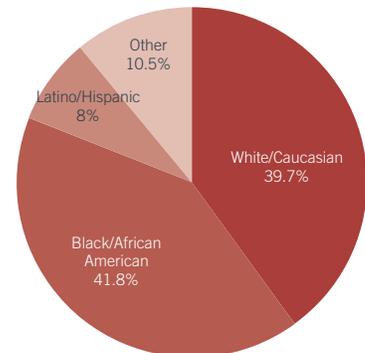
## Who is contacting The Hotline from Maryland?



Caller Type



Victim Age



Caller Ethnicity

### Caller Type Definitions:

- Victim/Survivor: IPV (Intimate Partner Violence) – a victim or survivor of abuse from his/her partner or spouse
- Victim/Survivor: Non-IPV – a victim or survivor of abuse by anyone else: parent, sibling, caregiver, etc.
- Helper – a caller reaching out to help another including: family/friend, service provider, law enforcement, medical/health, religious leader/program or teacher
- Healthy Relationship Inquiry – anyone with questions about healthy relationships, where no abuse is present
- Administrative – someone seeking basic information, rather than advocacy
- Abusive Partner – a caller who identifies as abusive or who an Advocate believes to be an abusive partner
- Other – any caller about whom an Advocate is able to gather info, but who does not fit into an above category; this includes off target callers, non-DV calls, hang-ups, prank calls and feedback

### Top 10 Cities in Contact Volume

1. Baltimore	25%
2. Silver Spring	6%
3. Waldorf	4%
4. Glen Burnie	3%
5. Rockville	3%
6. Laurel	2%
7. Hyattsville	2%
8. Germantown	2%
9. Odenton	2%
10. Gaithersburg	2%
<b>Total:</b>	<b>51%</b>

The National Domestic Violence Hotline is a 501c3 organization that relies on generous contributions from the public, government and corporations to continue operation.

## What are victims experiencing?

92%

### Emotional/Verbal Abuse

*degradation, threats, insults, humiliation, isolation, etc.*

66%

### Physical Abuse

*hitting, biting, choking, etc.*

23%

### Economic/Financial Abuse

*control finances, ruin credit, etc.*

9%

### Sexual Abuse

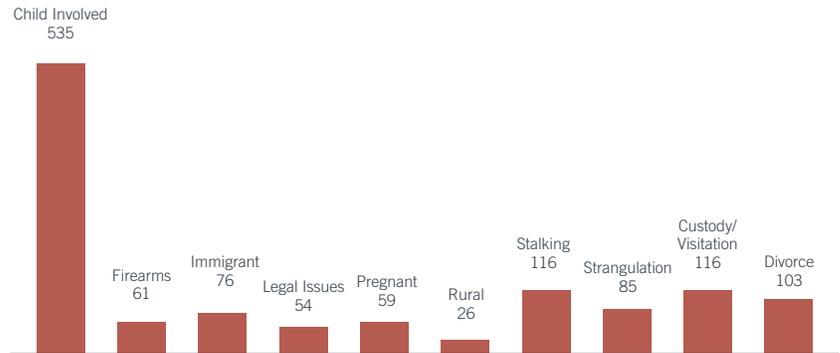
*rape, exploitation, coercion, etc.*

7%

### Digital Abuse

*steal passwords, constant texts, etc.*

## Most Commonly Disclosed Special Factors in Victims' Experiences



## What do victims need?

### Commonly Requested Hotline Services:

DV Shelter	305	28%
Legal Advocacy	312	29%
Individual Professional Counseling	272	25%
DV Support Groups	124	11%
Legal Representation	98	9%
Protective/Restraining Order	118	11%



Referrals to Service Providers

**2,140**

Offers to Direct Connect

**738**

Referrals to Other Resources

**426**

### Most-Referred Resources

Womenslaw.org

211 - United Way

GoodTherapy.org

Custody Prep for Moms

LawHelp.org



This report was supported by Grant Number 90EV0426 from Administration on Children, Youth and Families, Family and Youth Services Bureau, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

*As of January 2016, The Hotline began using a new data collection system to more accurately reflect the needs of contacts. This report reflects only data that was self-disclosed by the contact and does not necessarily represent every contact from the state.*

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## Domestic Violence Counts Maryland Summary

On September 16, 2015, 22 out of 22 (100%) identified domestic violence programs in Maryland participated in the 2015 National Census of Domestic Violence Services. The following figures represent the information provided by 22 participating programs about services provided during the 24-hour survey period.

### 1,095 Victims Served in One Day

407 domestic violence victims (208 children and 199 adults) found refuge in emergency shelters or transitional housing provided by local domestic violence programs.

688 adults and children received non-residential assistance and services, including counseling, legal advocacy, and children's support groups.

This chart shows the percentage of programs that provided the following services on the Census Day.

Services Provided by Local Programs:	Sept. 16
Emergency Shelter	73%
Court or Legal Accompaniment/Advocacy	55%
Therapy/Counseling for Adults (by a licensed practitioner)	55%
Homicide Reduction Initiative/Lethality Assessment	45%
Transitional or Other Housing Program (run by DV program)	41%
Bilingual Advocacy (services provided by someone who is bilingual)	36%
Legal Representation by an Attorney	23%

### 531 Hotline Calls Answered

Domestic violence hotlines are a lifeline for victims in danger, providing support, information, safety planning, and resources. In the 24-hour survey period, domestic violence programs answered more than 22 hotline calls every hour.

### 51 Educated in Prevention and Education Trainings

On the survey day, 51 individuals in communities across Maryland attended 8 training sessions provided by local domestic violence programs, gaining much needed information on domestic violence prevention and early intervention.

### 76 Unmet Requests for Services in One Day, of Which 45% Were for Housing

Many programs reported a critical shortage of funds and staff to assist victims in need of services. In addition to housing and emergency shelter, programs reported that of the service requests they could not meet, Attorney/Legal Representation and Counseling/Substance Abuse/Mental Health services were most in demand.

### Cause of Unmet Requests for Help

Across Maryland, 17 individual services at local programs were reduced or eliminated in the past year.

- 27% of programs reported reductions in private funding.
- 27% of programs reported fewer individual donors.
- 18% of programs reported government funding cuts.
- 18% of programs reported staffing cuts or reductions.

Across Maryland, 16 staff positions were eliminated in the past year and most (77%) of these positions were direct services such as shelter or legal advocates, so there were fewer advocates to answer calls for help.

"In our emergency shelter we provided support to a family as they transitioned into a long-term supportive housing program that focuses on educational goals. This family successfully completed a 45-day stay in our shelter as well as an extension while awaiting placement in this new program. The mom of twins is very excited to go back to school and is grateful that our program was able to provide an extended stay."

— Advocate

## DOMV-2017-\*

**Award Number:** DOMV-2017-0601      **Applicant Agency:** Sexual Assault/Spouse Abuse Resource Center, Inc. (SARC)  
**Implementing Org:** Sexual Assault/Spouse Abuse Resource Center, Inc. (SARC)

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**County:** Harford

**Project Summary:**

The Sexual Assault/Spouse Abuse Resource Center, Inc.'s (SARC) Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to victims of domestic violence in the State of Maryland. The program provides a 24-hour helpline, crisis intervention, counseling, emergency shelter, and legal advocacy and representation. Program funds provide salary support, contractual services, and operating expenses.

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**Municipality:** Bel Air

**Award Amount:** \$162,985.00

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**Award Number:** DOMV-2017-1601      **Applicant Agency:** Family Crisis Resource Center, Inc.  
**Implementing Org:** Family Crisis Resource Center, Inc.

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**County:** Allegany

**Project Summary:**

The Family Crisis Resource Center, Inc.'s Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to victims of domestic violence in the state of Maryland. The program provides 24 hour hotline, safe shelter, crisis intervention and supportive services, information and referrals to other community resources, individual and group counseling, legal and medical advocacy and accompaniment, advocacy with other systems, Abuse Intervention Program, community and outreach training, and outreach location support. Program funds provide salary support, operating expenses, and travel.

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**Municipality:** Cumberland

**Award Amount:** \$156,196.00

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**Award Number:** DOMV-2017-1602      **Applicant Agency:** Life Crisis Center, Inc.  
**Implementing Org:** Life Crisis Center, Inc.

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**County:** Wicomico

**Project Summary:**

The Life Crisis Center, Inc.'s Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to victims of Domestic Violence in the Lower Eastern Shore of Maryland. The program provides 24-hour hotline services, emergency shelter, crisis counseling, Abuse Intervention Program, information and referrals, legal services, specialized services for children, legal and medical accompaniment, supportive services, and community education to serves victims in Wicomico, Worcester, and Somerset Counties. Program funds provide salary support and operating expenses.

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**Municipality:** Salisbury

**Award Amount:** \$128,972.00

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

## DOMV-2017-\*

**Award Number:** DOMV-2017-1603      **Applicant Agency:** TurnAround, Inc. (Baltimore County)

**Implementing Org:** TurnAround, Inc. (Baltimore County)

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**County:** Baltimore County

**Municipality:** County-wide

**Award Amount:** \$113,000.00

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**Project Summary:**

TurnAround's Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to domestic violence victims in the State of Maryland. The program provides comprehensive services to adult and child victims/witnesses that include advocacy, crisis response, trauma therapy and safe placement. All services are available 24-hours a day 7 days a week. Program funds will provide salary support, contractual services, and operating expenses.

**Award Number:** DOMV-2017-1605      **Applicant Agency:** YWCA of Annapolis and Anne Arundel County

**Implementing Org:** YWCA of Annapolis and Anne Arundel County

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**County:** Anne Arundel

**Municipality:** County-wide

**Award Amount:** \$181,754.00

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**Project Summary:**

The YWCA's Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to domestic violence and sexual assault victims in the State of Maryland. The program provides shelter, a 24-hour hotline, medical accompaniment, case management, counseling and referrals, legal services, and community education. Program funds provide salary support, operating expenses, and travel.

**Award Number:** DOMV-2017-1606      **Applicant Agency:** CASA Citizens Assisting and Sheltering the Abused, Inc.

**Implementing Org:** CASA Citizens Assisting and Sheltering the Abused, Inc.

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**County:** Washington

**Municipality:** Hagerstown

**Award Amount:** \$126,919.00

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**Project Summary:**

CASA's Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to domestic violence victims in the State of Maryland. The program provides core, mandated services to victims of domestic violence and their families in Washington County including crisis, individual and group counseling, 24-hour hotline services, emergency shelter, legal services, children's services, information and referrals, advocacy, accompaniment, and supportive services. Program funds provide salary support, operating expenses, travel, training, and program supplies.

## DOMV-2017-\*

**Award Number:** DOMV-2017-1607

**Applicant Agency:** Family & Children's Services of Central MD

**Implementing Org:** Family & Children's Services of Central MD

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Award Amount:** \$70,000.00

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**County:** Baltimore City

**Municipality:** County-wide

**Project Summary:**

The Family and Children's Services of Central Maryland's Domestic Violence Program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to domestic violence victims in the State of Maryland. The program provides an array of services to domestic violence victims in Baltimore County and their children including a 24-hour hotline, emergency shelter, crisis and continuing counseling, information and referrals, legal services, specialized services for children, legal and medical accompaniment, Abuse Intervention Program, and supportive services. Program funds provide salary support, travel, and operating expenses.

**Award Number:** DOMV-2017-1609

**Applicant Agency:** Family Crisis Center of Baltimore County, Inc.

**Implementing Org:** Family Crisis Center of Baltimore County, Inc.

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Award Amount:** \$171,543.00

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**County:** Baltimore County

**Municipality:** County-wide

**Project Summary:**

The Family Crisis Center of Baltimore County, Inc.'s Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to domestic violence victims in the State of Maryland. The program provides emergency safe shelter, case management, crisis and ongoing counseling, victim advocacy, Lethality Assessment Program services, information and referrals, children's services, 24-hour hotline services, and Abuse Intervention Program services. Program funds provide salary support, operating expenses, and program supplies.

**Award Number:** DOMV-2017-1611

**Applicant Agency:** HopeWorks of Howard County, Inc.

**Implementing Org:** HopeWorks of Howard County, Inc.

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Award Amount:** \$172,648.00

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**County:** Howard

**Municipality:** County-wide

**Project Summary:**

HopeWorks of Howard County, Inc.'s Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to victims of domestic violence and their families in Howard County, Maryland. The program promotes holistic, evidence-based healing strategies to reflect the individual needs of domestic violence victims by providing a variety of therapeutic counseling services. Program funds provide salary support, operating and contractual services.

## DOMV-2017-\*

**Award Number:** DOMV-2017-1622      **Applicant Agency:** Calvert County Health Department

**Implementing Org:** Calvert County Health Department

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**County:** Calvert

**Project Summary:**

The Calvert County Health Department's Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies intended to serve victims of domestic violence in the State of Maryland. The program provides 24-hour helpline services, individual and group counseling, victim advocacy services, outreach and education services to the community as well as shelter at the Safe Harbor Domestic Violence Shelter. Program funds provide salary support.

**Award Amount:** \$137,212.00

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**Municipality:** County-wide

**Award Number:** DOMV-2017-1623      **Applicant Agency:** Montgomery County, Maryland

**Implementing Org:** Montgomery County, Maryland

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**County:** Montgomery

**Project Summary:**

The Montgomery County Government's Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to victims of domestic violence in Montgomery County, Maryland. The program provides emergency shelter, crisis and on-going counseling, outreach, information, case management, and law enforcement resources. Program funds provide salary support.

**Award Amount:** \$182,000.00

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**Municipality:** Rockville

**Award Number:** DOMV-2017-1627      **Applicant Agency:** Domestic Violence Sexual Assault Resource Center (Dove Center)

**Implementing Org:** Domestic Violence Sexual Assault Resource Center (Dove Center)

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**County:** Garrett

**Project Summary:**

The Dove Center's Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to domestic violence victims in the State of Maryland. The program provides comprehensive services to victims of domestic violence including shelter, counseling, 24-hour hotline services, information and referrals, advocacy and accompaniment, crisis intervention, and Abuse Intervention Services. Program funds provide salary support and operating expenses.

**Award Amount:** \$114,836.00

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**Municipality:** Oakland

## DOMV-2017-\*

**Award Number:** DOMV-2017-1636      **Applicant Agency:** Center for Abused Persons

**Implementing Org:** Center for Abused Persons

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Award Amount:** \$92,160.00

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**County:** Charles

**Municipality:** County-wide

**Project Summary:**

The Center for Abused Persons' Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to domestic violence victims in the State of Maryland. The program provides 24-hour hotline services, emergency shelter, crisis counseling, information, continuing counseling, legal services, counseling services for children, crisis intervention accompaniment, and supportive services. Program funds provide salary support.

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**Total Awards:** 13

**Total Funds** \$1,810,225.00

## FVPS-2016-\*

**Award Number:** FVPS-2016-1601

**Applicant Agency:** Family Crisis Center, Inc. of Prince George's County

**Implementing Org:** Family Crisis Center, Inc. of Prince George's County

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**County:** Prince George's

**Municipality:** Brentwood

**Award Amount:** \$254,393.00

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**Project Summary:**

The Family Crisis Center, Inc. of Prince George's County's Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to victims of domestic violence in the State of Maryland. The program's main function is to provide safe housing and supportive services to women and their children fleeing domestic violence. Available services include emergency shelter, case management, counseling, and a 24-hour crisis hotline. Program funds provide salary support.

**Award Number:** FVPS-2016-1604

**Applicant Agency:** Mid-Shore Council on Family Violence

**Implementing Org:** Mid-Shore Council on Family Violence

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**County:** Talbot

**Municipality:** Easton

**Award Amount:** \$219,047.00

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**Project Summary:**

The Mid-Shore Council on Family Violence's Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to victims of domestic violence in Kent, Caroline, Dorchester, Talbot and Queen Anne's Counties, located on the Eastern Shore of Maryland. The program provides crisis services including 24-hour hotline, shelter, crisis response, advocacy, counseling, legal counseling, court accompaniment, Abuser Intervention Program and implement public awareness and educational activities. All services will be provided in English and Spanish. Program funds provide salary support, operating expenses, travel, and contractual services.

**Award Number:** FVPS-2016-1608

**Applicant Agency:** Cecil County, Maryland

**Implementing Org:** Cecil County Department of Social Services

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**County:** Cecil

**Municipality:** Elkton

**Award Amount:** \$130,000.00

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**Project Summary:**

The Cecil County Government's Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to domestic violence victims in the State of Maryland. Through the Cecil County Department of Social Services, the program provides temporary safe shelter accommodations, counseling, case management, 24-hour hotline services, legal services, court and hospital accompaniment, transitional housing, children's services, information and referral, education, advocacy, and outreach. Program funds provide salary support, contractual services, training, and operating expenses.

## FVPS-2016-\*

**Award Number:** FVPS-2016-1610

**Applicant Agency:** Walden Sierra, Inc.

**Implementing Org:** Walden Sierra, Inc.

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**County:** St. Mary's

**Municipality:** County-wide

**Award Amount:** \$89,445.00

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**Project Summary:**

The Walden Sierra's Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to victims of domestic violence in the State of Maryland. The program provides services to adult and child victims in St. Mary's County. Services include a 24-hour hotline, crisis services, counseling, referrals, coordinated services, and access to ongoing therapy while also supporting engagement efforts designed to create and sustain community partnerships toward domestic violence prevention. Program funds provide salary support, operating expenses, travel, and training.

**Award Number:** FVPS-2016-1622

**Applicant Agency:** Heartly House, Inc.

**Implementing Org:** Heartly House, Inc.

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**County:** Frederick

**Municipality:** Frederick

**Award Amount:** \$207,623.00

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**Project Summary:**

Heartly House, Inc.'s Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to domestic violence victims in Frederick County. Services include a 24-hour hotline, crisis intervention, advocacy, emergency shelter, short-term individual and group counseling, safety planning, referrals to other Heartly House, Inc. and/or community services, and community outreach. Program funds provide salary support and contractual services.

**Award Number:** FVPS-2016-1629

**Applicant Agency:** House of Ruth Maryland, Inc.

**Implementing Org:** House of Ruth Maryland, Inc.

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**County:** Baltimore City

**Municipality:** Baltimore

**Award Amount:** \$461,997.00

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**Project Summary:**

The House of Ruth Maryland's Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to intimate partner violence victims and their families in the Baltimore Metropolitan Region. The program provides comprehensive crisis and ongoing support services which increase awareness of IPV and services, decrease victims' risk of further incidents and harm, and increase safety for victims and their families. Program funds salary support, operating expenses, and travel.

## FVPS-2016-\*

**Award Number:** FVPS-2016-1638

**Applicant Agency:** Family & Children's Services of Central MD

**Implementing Org:** Family & Children's Services of Central MD

**Project Title:** Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services

**Award Amount:** \$294,410.00

**Project Start Date:** 7/1/2016

**Project End Date:** 6/30/2017

**Matching Funds:** \$0.00

**County:** Baltimore City

**Municipality:** County-wide

**Project Summary:**

The Family and Children's Services of Central Maryland's Comprehensive Domestic Violence Services program assists in developing and implementing strategies specifically intended to provide assistance to domestic violence victims in the State of Maryland. The program provides an array of services to domestic violence victims in Carroll County and their children as well as to abusers to support them in living violence-free lives. Services include a 24-hour hotline, emergency shelter, crisis and continuing counseling, information and referrals, legal services, specialized services for children, legal and medical accompaniment, Abuse Intervention Program, and supportive services. Program funds provide salary support, travel, contractual services, and operating expenses.

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**Total Awards:**

7

**Total Funds**

**\$1,656,915.00**