

OVER **12 MILLION** WOMEN & MEN ARE VICTIMS OF INTIMATE PARTNER/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE EVERY YEAR.



In the U.S., an average of 24 people PER MINUTE are victims of rape, physical violence or stalking by an intimate partner.



CALL 911

If you or someone you know is in danger.

24/7/365 SUPPORT

800-799-7233

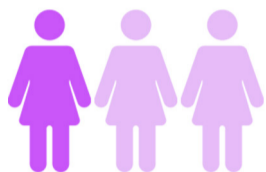
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DOMESTIC VIOLENCE is the willful intimidation, physical assault, battery, sexual assault, and/or other abusive behavior as part of a systematic pattern of power and control perpetrated by one intimate partner against another. It includes:

- ECONOMIC ABUSE
- EMOTIONAL ABUSE
- PHYSICAL ABUSE
- PSYCHOLOGICAL ABUSE
- SEXUAL VIOLENCE
- THREATS

WOMEN BETWEEN THE **AGES OF 18-34** ARE MOST COMMONLY ABUSED BY AN INTIMATE PARTNER.

1 in 3 women have experienced violence by an intimate partner.



1 in 10 women have been raped by an intimate partner.



40% of Texas women experience intimate partner violence, rape and/or stalking in their lifetime.

MURDER-SUICIDES

72% involve an intimate partner
94% of victims are female

4 in 10 MEN HAVE EXPERIENCED AT LEAST ONE FORM OF COERCIVE CONTROL BY AN INTIMATE PARTNER IN THEIR LIFETIME.

1 in 4 men have experienced violence by an intimate partner.



1 in 10 men have experienced rape, physical violence and/or stalking by an intimate partner.

MURDER

1 in 20 male victims are killed by intimate partners



35% of Texas men experience intimate partner violence, rape and/or stalking in their lifetime.

RESOURCES:

The SAFE Alliance
24 hour SAFeline: 512-267-7233
TEXT: 737-888-7233
www.safeaustin.org

Texas Advocacy Project
800-374-HOPE
www.texasadvocacyproject.org

National Domestic Violence Hotline
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CHILDREN WHO WITNESS OR EXPERIENCE VIOLENCE AT HOME ARE LIKELY TO PERPETUATE THE CYCLE OF ABUSE IN THEIR OWN RELATIONSHIPS AS THEY GROW INTO ADULTHOOD.

1 in 3 children who witnessed domestic violence were also child abuse victims.



1 in 15 children are exposed to intimate partner violence each year.

Children who witness intimate partner violence are

3X

as likely as their peers to engage in violent behavior.

CHILDREN EXPERIENCE EMOTIONAL, MENTAL & SOCIAL DAMAGE THAT CAN AFFECT THEIR DEVELOPMENTAL GROWTH.

- Aggression
- Anxiety
- Difficulty Concentrating
- High Levels of Activity
- Nightmares and/or Sleeplessness
- Separation Anxiety

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Center for Child Protection
If you suspect a child is being abused or neglected, please report it: 800-252-5400
www.centerforchildprotection.org

BISEXUAL VICTIMS are more likely to experience sexual violence.



TRANSGENDER VICTIMS are more likely to experience intimate partner violence in public.

In the LBGTQIA community, "outing" is often used as a threat in an abusive relationship. Obstacles these victims may face include:

- DISCRIMINATION
- EMBARRASSMENT
- HOMOPHOBIA
- OUTING
- PREJUDICE
- TRANSGENDER'S LIMITATION TO SHELTERS

44%

OF LESBIAN WOMEN

61%

OF BISEXUAL WOMEN

26%

OF GAY MEN

37%

OF BISEXUAL MEN

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LGBT National Help Center
800-843-4564
www.glbthotline.org



TRAVIS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
www.tcsheriff.org

Victim Services Unit | 512-854-9709

Community Outreach Unit | 512-854-7786