



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COUNTS REPORT DELAWARE SUMMARY

On September 7, 2022, **4 out of 4 (100%)** identified domestic violence programs in Delaware participated in a national count of domestic violence services conducted by the National Network to End Domestic Violence (NNEDV). The following figures represent the information shared by the participating programs about the services they provided during the 24-hour survey period.

268 Victims Served

113 adult and child victims of domestic violence found refuge in emergency shelters, transitional housing, hotels, motels, or other housing provided by local domestic violence programs.

155 adult and child victims received non-residential supportive services related to legal needs, housing advocacy, transportation, mental health, public benefits, and more.

76 Hotline Contacts Received

Domestic violence hotlines are lifelines for victims in danger, providing support, information, safety planning, and resources via phone, chat, text, and email. Hotline staff received **76** contacts, averaging more than **3** contacts per hour.

18 People Educated

On the survey day, local domestic violence programs provided **3** public training sessions (educational sessions provided to the public) to **18** people, addressing topics like domestic violence prevention and early intervention.

62 Unmet Requests for Services

Victims made **62** requests for services that programs could not provide because they did not have the resources. Approximately **89%** of these unmet requests were for emergency shelter, hotels, motels, and other housing.

Table 1: Services Provided on 9/7/22	% of Programs Providing Services
Emergency Shelter	75%
Therapy/Counseling for Adults	75%
Therapy/Counseling for Children or Youth	75%
Transitional or Other Housing (run by DV program)	75%
Transportation	75%
Financial Literacy/Budgeting	50%
Support/Advocacy Related to Disability Issues	50%
Support/Advocacy Related to Housing/Landlord	50%

✦ **“One survivor has faced many challenges and barriers while trying to keep herself and her children safe. We connected her with shelter, advocacy, case management, housing, and other resources. We were also able to refer her to a legal resource and, for the first time in more than five years, she will have legal representation for her upcoming custody hearing.”**

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