

Domestic Violence Intervention Program Directory
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Alamance

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MEN

Bladen

CHOICES

(Robeson, Scotland, Columbus)

In Person

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MEN

SPANISH

Brunswick

In Person and Virtual

Domestic Violence Offender Program

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MEN and WOMEN

Buncombe

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MEN and WOMEN

SPANISH

Cabarrus

In Person

Genesis

(Rowan)

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Men and Women

Caldwell

Virtual

STAY KALM

(Iredell, Surry, Wilkes)

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MEN

Caswell

Virtual & In Person

HOPE DVIP

(Forsyth, Rockingham, Stokes, Yadkin, Davidson Caswell)

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MEN and WOMEN

SPANISH

Catawba

In Person

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MEN

Chatham

Virtual

DOSE

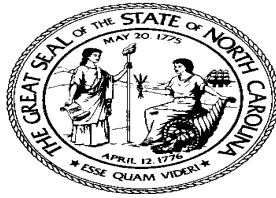
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SPANISH



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Cherokee

Virtual & In-Person

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MEN and WOMEN

Clay

In Person

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MEN and WOMEN

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Virtual and In person

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MEN

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In Person

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MEN and WOMEN

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MEN and WOMEN

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MEN

Davie

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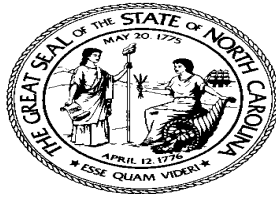
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SPANISH

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MEN and WOMEN

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Franklin

Virtual

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MEN & WOMEN/ SPANISH

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Virtual and In Person

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MEN

Granville

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MEN and WOMEN

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In Person

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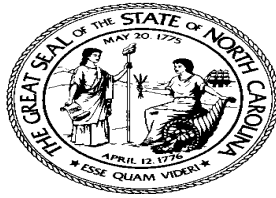
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MEN



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Guilford

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MEN and WOMEN

SPANISH

Harnett

In Person

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MEN and WOMEN

Haywood

In Person

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MEN and WOMEN

Henderson

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MEN

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Jackson

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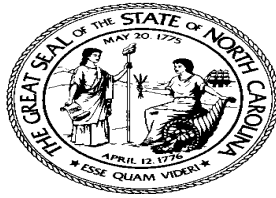
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MEN

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MEN

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MEN

Montgomery

Virtual and In Person

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(Stanly)

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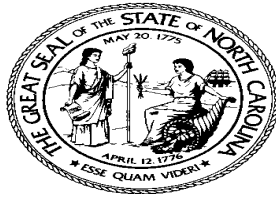
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Moore

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Virtual

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MEN and WOMEN
SPANISH

New Hanover

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Orange

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Pender

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Polk

In Person

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MEN and WOMEN

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In Person

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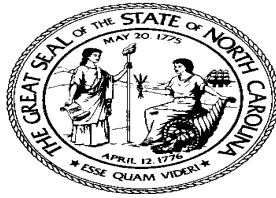
Robeson

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Virtual

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MEN

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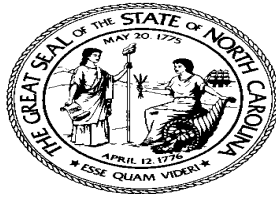
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Union

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MEN

Vance

Virtual

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Warren

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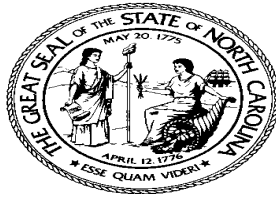
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Wayne

Virtual

Wayne Uplift DVIP

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MEN

Wilkes

In Person

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Yadkin

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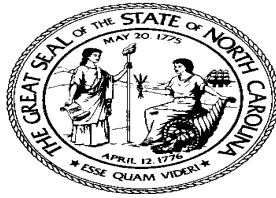
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**COUNTIES In need of
Programs (33)**

1. Alexander
2. Alleghany
3. Anson
4. Ashe
5. Avery
6. Beaufort
7. Bertie
8. Burke
9. Camden
10. Carteret
11. Chowan
12. Craven
13. Currituck
14. Dare
15. Edgecombe
16. Gates
17. Graham
18. Halifax
19. Hertford
20. Hyde
21. Jones
22. Lee
23. McDowell
24. Mitchell
25. Northhampton
26. Pamlico
27. Pasquotank
28. Perquimans
29. Person
30. Richmond
31. Tyrell
32. Watauga
33. Wilson

Name Of Defendant

- 7. I want the defendant to be ordered not to come on or about:
 - (a) my residence.
 - (b) any place where I am receiving temporary shelter.
 - (c) the place where I work.
 - (d) any school(s) the child(ren) attend.
 - (e) the place where the child(ren) receives day care.
 - (f) the place where I go to school.
 - (g) Other: (name other places)

The child(ren) currently attend: *(name school)*

- 8. I want the defendant to be ordered to have no contact with me.
- 9. I want possession and use of the following vehicle:

Describe Vehicle

- 10. I want temporary custody of our minor child(ren) listed in this Complaint. I understand that I must file a separate child custody action for permanent custody.
- 11. I want the defendant to be ordered to make payments for the support of our minor child(ren), as required by law, but I understand it is only temporary and that I must file a separate child support action for regular, permanent child support.
- 12. I want the Court to prohibit the defendant from possessing or purchasing a firearm.
- 13. I want the Court to order the defendant to surrender to the sheriff his/her firearms, ammunition, and gun permits to purchase a firearm and carry a concealed weapon.
- 14. I want the defendant to be ordered to attend an abuser treatment program.
- 15. I want the defendant to be ordered to provide me and the child(ren) suitable alternative housing.
- 16. I want the defendant to be ordered to make payments for my support as required by law, but I understand it is only temporary and that I must file a separate action for regular permanent spousal support.
- 17. Other: *(specify)*

Date

Signature Of Plaintiff (Person Filing Complaint)

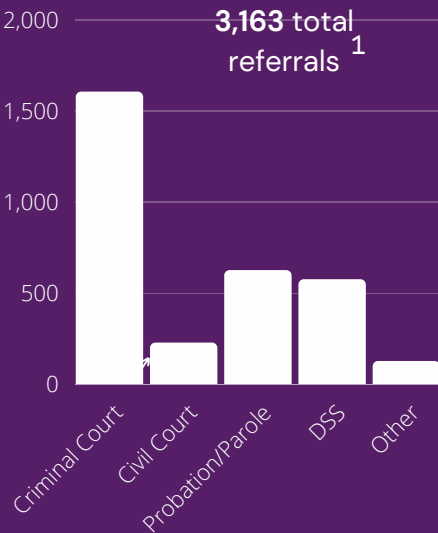
Domestic Violence Intervention Programs in North Carolina

April 2021 - March 2022

What are domestic violence intervention programs?

- Designed to educate offenders about their behavior and help them develop new methods of interacting with intimate partners, family members, and their communities
- 26 weeks long; virtual or in-person, depending on program
- 39 service providers working in 57 counties
- 26 counties have access to programs in Spanish

Where were referrals from?



Who participated?

Of those referred, **2,518** people were accepted & enrolled

1,252 people completed the program → 90% men & 10% women

1,915 contacts were made to Victim Service Providers (domestic violence agencies)

Why do people not complete their DVIP?

- 18% of referrals were not enrolled because they did not show up for their intake appointment
- Excessive absences accounted for 70% of the individuals who were terminated from a DVIP

1. Other referrals were from mental health providers, substance abuse providers and self-referrals

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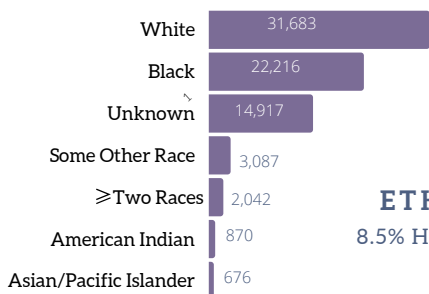
July 2021 - June 2022

The NC Department of Administration's Council for Women and Youth Involvement helps fund 104 domestic violence programs. These programs offer counseling, 24-hour crisis lines, transportation, and court and advocacy services.

WHO ARE WE HELPING?

75,556 clients received in-person or remote services

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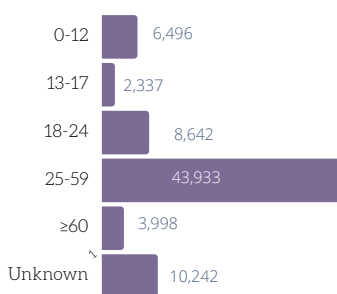
GENDER

78% women
 13% men
 9% other or unknown

ETHNICITY

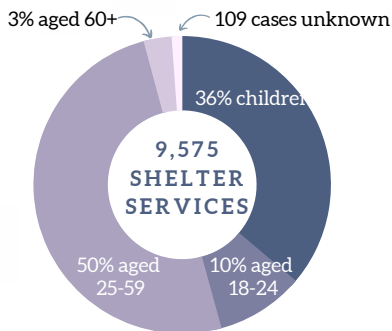
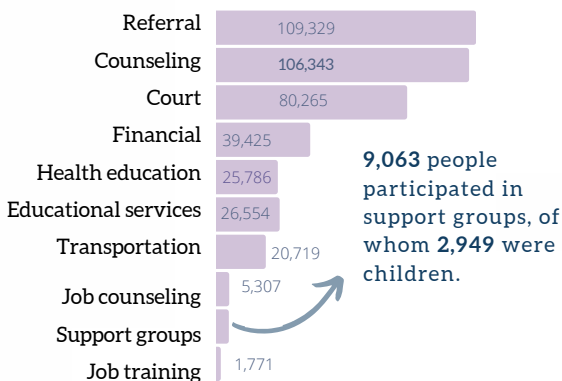
8.5% Hispanic/Latino

AGE



WHAT ARE THE SERVICES?

Services most provided include **information** (350,314) and **advocacy** (198,607 cases).



Shelter services can be dedicated facilities, local safe homes, or hotels. Space is limited, resulting in 4185 referrals made to other shelters.

Volunteers donated 186,180 hours.

Organizations also provided public-facing services, including 2,681 educational presentations and 2,068 professional trainings.

HOTLINES ANSWERED
 94,125 CALLS &
 7,673 CHATS

Sexual assault in North Carolina

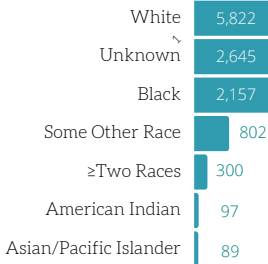
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The NC Department of Administration's Council for Women and Youth Involvement helps fund 99 sexual assault programs. These programs offer counseling, 24-hour crisis lines, transportation, and court and advocacy services.

WHO ARE WE HELPING?

11,933 clients received in-person or remote services

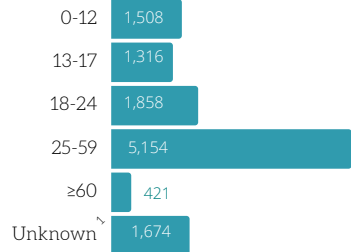
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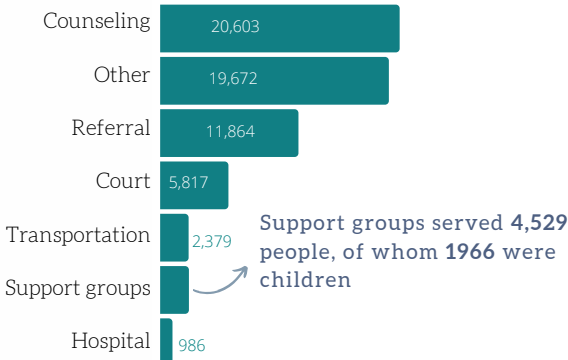
ETHNICITY

11% Hispanic/Latino

392 clients were victims of human trafficking

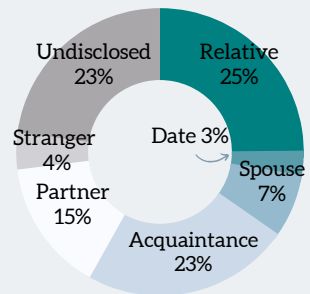
WHAT ARE THE SERVICES?

Services most provided were **information** (72,000+ cases) and **advocacy** (almost 32,000 cases). Other services included **hotline calls** (27,183) and **chats** (3,621).



OFFENDER

Of the 11,797 reported offenders in cases of sexual assault, only 4% of assaults were perpetrated by strangers.



Volunteers donated **355,461** hours.

Organizations also provided public-facing services: **3,337** educational presentations and **1,543** professional trainings.

What exactly is a Domestic Violence Intervention Program (DVIP)?

In 2002, the N.C. Council for Women was granted the authority to approve intervention/treatment programs for domestic violence offenders utilized by the North Carolina court system. These programs are designed to educate offenders on their behavior and help them to develop new methods of interacting with intimate partners, family members, and their communities.

Am I to blame for violence?

You are never to blame!

Your partner's violence is rooted in a number of complex factors that often manifest in their desire for power and control. DVIP classes engage offenders so that they may accept full responsibility, learn triggers, and change patterns of behavior. Regardless of problems that existed in the relationship, you are never to blame.

Can a domestic violence offender really change?

Yes! By engaging in DVIPs and learning to accept full responsibility for their actions, offenders can change. Positive signs of change in your partner include, but are not limited to:

- Has stopped violent and/or threatening behavior toward you or others.
- Does not coerce you into doing things you don't want to do.
- Acknowledges that their abusive behavior is wrong.
- Respects your opinions even if they don't agree with it; they listen and try to understand.
- Has learned to properly manage their anger.
- Does not make you feel afraid or belittled.
- Understands and acknowledges they don't have control over you.
- Constructively reflects on past and current triggers of abusive behavior.

Partner Guide

Information if your partner is completing a:

Domestic Violence Intervention Program

North Carolina Domestic Violence Intervention Program

828-641-7730

9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Monday - Friday

Should I leave if they are violent again?

If you notice your partner is using violence again, your first line of action should be to call

919-733-2455

to be referred to your local Domestic Violence Program.

From there, the advocates will provide you with services to ensure your safety and possible options that are open to you free-of-charge.

These advocates will also help you create safety plans, provide court advocacy, etc. Any contact or information that you share with these advocates is kept 100% confidential.



What is my role & how do I know if the program works?

You have the choice to be as involved as you want to be in the program. Program outcomes are based on willingness to engage but there is no guarantee it will work. DVIPs that do work use the following standards:

1. Programs should always account for your safety. They should also never disclose any private information you share that could be potentially harmful to you.
2. Programs should last 26 weeks at minimum. The longer the program, the more opportunities for change.
3. Program content includes understanding and addressing the triggers of violence and interrupts the rationale of power and control.

What if they are sorry?

Many offenders are regretful about their actions. However, taking responsibility for their behavior is the most important part of the process. The offender must make a commitment to stop their violence and work on their actions.

While apologies may reflect initial steps toward accountability, engaging in DVIPs helps to challenge their efforts to exercise power, control, and entitlement.

The safety of survivors is a primary concern for DVIPs, and survivors often are the best judges of whether their partner has decided to acknowledge and account for their violence.

DVIPs that are certified by the NC Council for Women must interact with victim-survivor agencies and rely on survivors for advice and directions.