

# Fact Sheet



Commission on  
Fatherhood



## *You need to know about...* **Domestic Violence**

- **One in four women** will experience domestic violence in her lifetime.
- Boys who witness domestic violence are **twice as likely** to abuse their own partners and children when they become adults.
- **30 to 60 percent** of perpetrators of intimate partner violence also abuse children in the household.
- An estimated **1.3 million** women are victims of assault by an intimate partner each year.

### *Snapshot of One Day in Ohio*

On September 15, 2010...

- 2007 victims were served.
- 769 hotline calls were answered
- 244 requests for help were unmet.

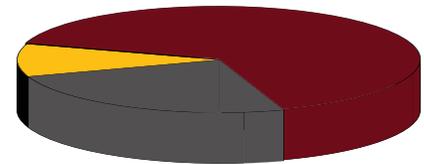
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### People Served by Local Ohio Programs

Urban

Suburban

Rural



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*Data from the National Coalition Against Domestic Violence and Ohio Domestic Violence Network*

### *For Help*

- Ohio Domestic Violence Network  
1-800-934-9840
- National Domestic Violence Hotline  
1-800-799-SAFE
- National Sexual Assault Hotline  
1-800-656-HOPE

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