

## Domestic Violence Statistics

- Every 9 seconds a woman in the U.S. is assaulted or beaten.
- One in 4 women and 1 in 7 men have experienced some form of physical violence by an intimate partner.
- On a typical day, there are more than 20,000 phone calls placed to domestic violence hotlines nationwide.
- Domestic Violence is the third leading cause of homelessness among families.
- Three out of four female children who grow up in a violent home will likely become involved in an abusive relationship. Similarly, male children who witness domestic violence are twice as likely to abuse their own partners and children when they become adults if intervention is not provided at an early age.
- 12.7 million people are physically abused, raped or stalked by their partners in one year. That's approximately the population of New York City and Los Angeles **combined**.

**NO MORE**

TOGETHER WE CAN END  
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE & SEXUAL ASSAULT

### What is NO MORE?

NO MORE is a unifying symbol and campaign to raise public awareness and engage bystanders around ending domestic violence and sexual assault.

NO MORE was conceived to amplify the power of the domestic violence and sexual assault movement using a unifying symbol to drive awareness and break down the barriers of stigma, silence and shame that keep people from talking about these issues and taking action to prevent them. — *The No More Project*

## 2017 Someplace Safe Statistics

- Sheltered 137 adults
- Shelter 135 children
- Received 922 crisis calls
- Assisted 620 clients with filling out paperwork for Civil Protection Orders, victim's rights and court accompaniment.

### Safety Plan

Have the following items hidden in one place:

- \* Photo ID/ Drivers License
- \* About \$50 in cash
- \* Extra keys for the house and car
- \* A small bag of clothes for you/children
- \* Medications
- \* Birth Certificates & Social Security Cards
- \* Bank Account Papers
- \* Insurance Policies
- \* List of important phone numbers
- \* Sentimental Valuables



*"Thank you from the bottom of my heart for all the support, wisdom and advice you gave me. Thank you for helping me to see that I am a mother, a friend, a daughter, a sister, an aunt and a good person who deserves to love and be loved. Most of all, thank you for saving my life."*

- Someplace Safe Client

## Programs & Services

**24-Hour Crisis Intervention** is available to victims of domestic violence by calling our hotline: 330-393-3005.

**Emergency, Temporary Shelter** is provided to victims of domestic violence and their dependent children who require immediate safe refuge due to family violence. Multi-language services are available.

**Case Management** is designed to assess the client's current needs and goals and to address issues; housing, health, finances, employment, education as well as any needs for their children.

**Legal Advocates** provide information about victims' rights, court procedures and legal options. They also assist in navigating the court system, completing the appropriate paperwork for Civil Protection Orders and provide court accompaniment.

**Pet Services** Through an agreement with the local Animal Welfare League, residents can board their pets and put their minds at ease while they focus on rebuilding their lives.

**Support Group** is provided weekly for women currently incarcerated in the Trumbull County Detention Center.

**Children's Support Group** is available to children living in shelter who have been exposed to domestic violence. Support group helps children express emotions surrounding violence and encourages appropriate coping skills, conflict resolution and safety planning skills.

**Community Education Programs** about domestic violence are available to organizations and businesses. Violence Prevention Programs are also available to schools and youth groups in Trumbull County.

## Someplace Safe's Mission

Someplace Safe is the exclusive provider of comprehensive services, including shelter and advocacy, for anyone experiencing or having experienced domestic violence in Trumbull County.

## What is Domestic Violence?

Domestic Violence is the willful intimidation, assault, battery, sexual assault, or other abusive behavior perpetrated by an intimate partner against another to maintain **power and control**.

**It is a crime** that affects the entire community, regardless of age, economic status, race, religion, nationality or educational background. Although the partner is the primary target, violence is often directed toward the children as well.

The abuse can include any of the following:

**Physical:** Slapping, kicking, hitting, punching, shoving, strangling (choking), or killing.

**Verbal:** Name calling, belittling, yelling, threatening to hurt or kill and constant blaming.

**Emotional:** Apologizing and making false promises to end abuse, intimidation, isolation, breaking things, threatening to take the children, or threatening other family members or a pet.

**Sexual:** Forcing unwanted sex or constant sexual demands.

**Financial:** Controlling money/bank accounts, withholding financial information, withholding child support, making victims quit / lose their job.



## Did you know every week in the shelter we purchase at least...

- 14 gallons of milk
- 16 loaves of bread
- 14 dozen eggs

We provide breakfast, lunch and dinner for a "family" of nearly 30 people every day.

## How You Can Help

- ⇒ Donate non-perishable food items and paper products. Please call 330-393-3005 for a list of our current needs.
- ⇒ Donate monetary contributions which are tax deductible.
- ⇒ Provide our 24/7 crisis line 330-393-3005 to a victim in need.
- ⇒ Promote domestic violence awareness in the community and/or request a presentation for your organization.
- ⇒ Volunteer to assist with various projects.

**For more information about programs and services that Someplace Safe provides, please call 330-393-3005**

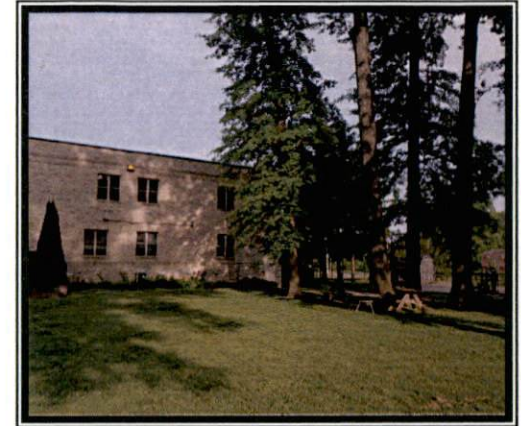
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www.ncadv.org  
\*\* The No More Project  
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## Someplace Safe

Trumbull County's  
Domestic Violence Agency



Domestic Violence...  
A Crime That Hurts Everyone

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