

The National Domestic Violence

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Contact us 24/7 at
1-800-787-3224 (TTY) or by Video
Phone at 1-855-812-1001
(Monday to Friday 9AM—5PM PST)



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We offer the same advocacy through
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All survivors of domestic violence face the same issue: **abuse thrives in isolation**. This can be especially true if you are deaf, deaf blind or hard of hearing.

WARNING SIGNS:

- Intimidation through gestures, facial expressions, or exaggerated signs, floor stomping and pounding on the table or door
- Criticizing your speech or American sign language (ASL) skills
- Not informing you when people try to call on the phone or try to catch your attention
- Excluding you from important conversations
- Leaving you out in social situations with hearing people
- Talking negatively about the Deaf community
- Wrongly interpreting to manipulate the situation if the police are called