



Indiana State Report

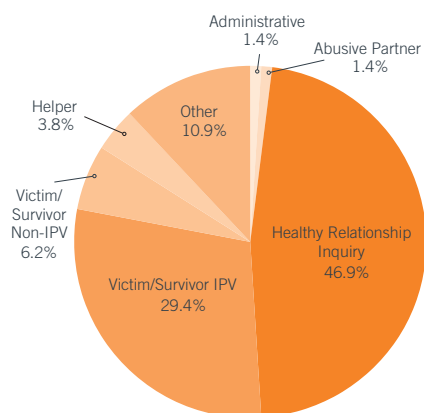
Based on loveisrespect contacts documented January–June 2018

In 2018, loveisrespect documented* **211 contacts** from Indiana. The state ranks 18th in terms of contact volume. loveisrespect provides crisis intervention, safety planning, referrals and DV and healthy relationship education for these contacts.

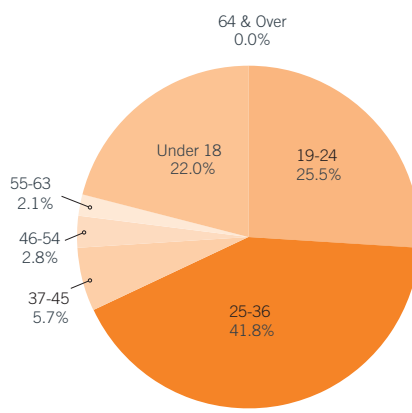
**Contacts documented refers to the calls, online chats and texts where a location was self-disclosed by the caller, chatter or texter.*

Phone	106
Chat	70
Text	35
Total	211

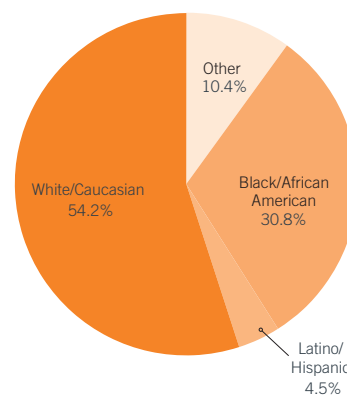
Who is contacting loveisrespect from Indiana?



Caller Type



Victim Age



Caller Ethnicity

Caller Type Definitions:

Victim/Survivor IPV (Intimate Partner Violence) – a victim or survivor of abuse from his/her partner or spouse

Victim/Survivor Non-IPV – a victim or survivor of abuse by anyone else: parent, sibling, caregiver, etc.

Helper – a caller reaching out to help another including: family/friend, service provider, law enforcement, medical/health, religious leader/program or teacher

Healthy Relationship Inquiry – anyone with questions about healthy relationships, where no abuse is present

Administrative – someone seeking basic information, rather than advocacy

Abusive Partner – a caller who identifies as abusive or who an Advocate believes to be an abusive partner

Other – any caller about whom an Advocate is able to gather info, but who does not fit into an above category; this includes off-target callers, non-DV (domestic violence) calls, hang-ups, prank calls and feedback

Top 10 Cities in Contact Volume

1. Indianapolis	43.2%
2. Fort Wayne	7.9%
3. Bloomington	5.8%
4. South Bend	4.7%
5. Gas City	3.2%
6. Kokomo	2.1%
7. Lafayette	2.1%
8. Terre Haute	2.1%
9. Avon	2.1%
10. Jeffersonville	1.6%
Total:	74.7%

The National Domestic Violence Hotline is a 501c3 organization that relies on generous contributions from the public, government and corporations to continue operation. loveisrespect is a project of the National Domestic Violence Hotline.

What are victims experiencing?

92%

Emotional/Verbal Abuse

degradation, threats, insults, humiliation, isolation, etc.

41%

Physical Abuse

hitting, biting, choking, etc.

27%

Sexual Abuse

rape, exploitation, coercion, etc.

20%

Digital Abuse

steal passwords, constant texts, etc.

11%

Economic/Financial Abuse

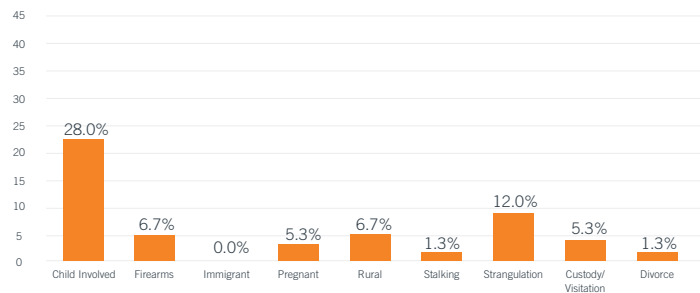
control finances, ruin credit, etc.



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Most Commonly Disclosed Special Factors in Victims' Experiences



What do victims need?

Commonly Requested Hotline Services:

DV Shelter	7	9.9%
Legal Advocacy	6	8.5%
Individual Professional Counseling	16	22.5%
DV Support Groups	11	15.5%
Legal Representation	0	0.0%
Protective/Restraining Order	1	1.4%



Referrals to Service Providers

219

Offers to Direct Connect

9

Referrals to Other Resources

263

Most-Referred Resources

Scarleteen
 Rape, Abuse, and Incest National Network (RAINN)
 Your Life Your Voice (Boys Town)
 GoodTherapy.org
 Childhelp National Child Abuse Hotline

This report reflects only data that was self-disclosed by the contact and does not necessarily represent every contact from the state.