



Wisconsin State Report

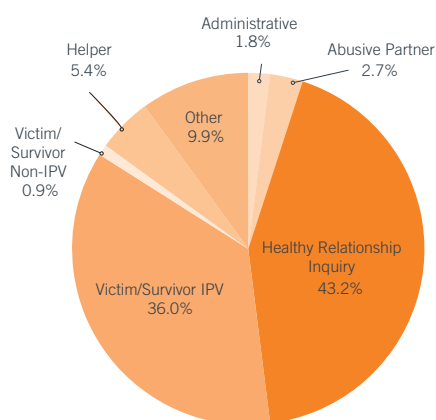
Based on loveisrespect contacts documented January–June 2018

In 2018, loveisrespect documented* **111 contacts** from Wisconsin. The state ranks 46th in terms of contact volume. loveisrespect provides crisis intervention, safety planning, referrals and DV and healthy relationship education for these contacts.

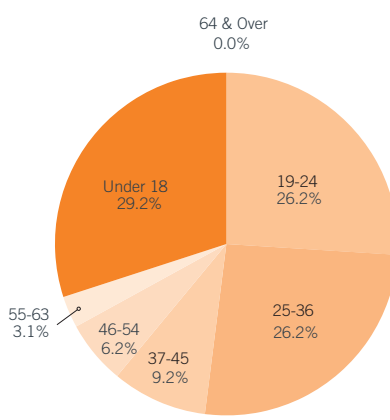
**Contacts documented refers to the calls, online chats and texts where a location was self-disclosed by the caller, chatter or texter.*

Phone	35
Chat	52
Text	24
Total	111

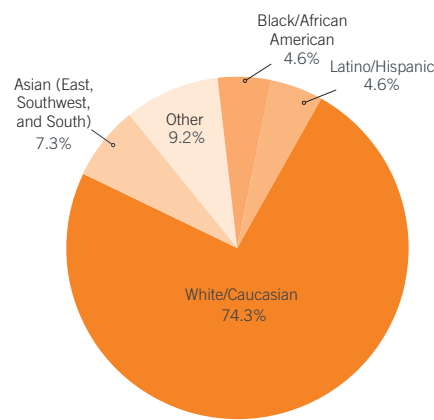
Who is contacting loveisrespect from Wisconsin?



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. Milwaukee	23.3%
2. Madison	12.6%
3. Racine	3.9%
4. Mauston	3.9%
5. Green Bay	2.9%
6. Neenah	1.9%
7. Thiensville	1.9%
8. Shawano	1.9%
9. Kenosha	1.9%
10. West Allis	1.9%
Total:	56.3%

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?

91%

Emotional/Verbal Abuse

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

46%

Physical Abuse

hitting, biting, choking, etc.

35%

Digital Abuse

steal passwords, constant texts, etc.

33%

Sexual Abuse

rape, exploitation, coercion, etc.

22%

Economic/Financial Abuse

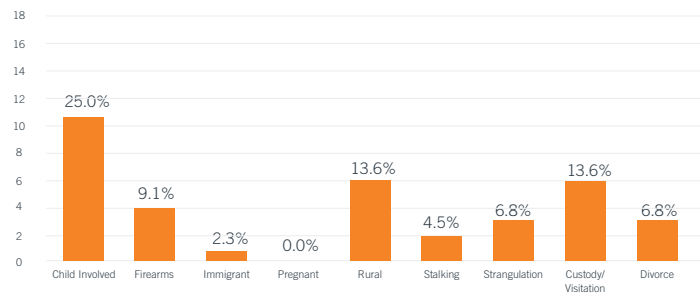
control finances, ruin credit, etc.



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Most Commonly Disclosed Special Factors in Victims' Experiences



What do victims need?

Commonly Requested Hotline Services:

DV Shelter	4	9.1%
Legal Advocacy	14	31.8%
Individual Professional Counseling	16	36.4%
DV Support Groups	7	15.9%
Legal Representation	4	9.1%
Protective/Restraining Order	4	9.1%



Referrals to Service Providers

127

Offers to Direct Connect

5

Referrals to Other Resources

144

Most-Referred Resources

Scarleteen
 WomensLaw.org
 GoodTherapy.org
 211 - United Way
 Your Life Your Voice (Boys Town)

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