

Alaska State Report

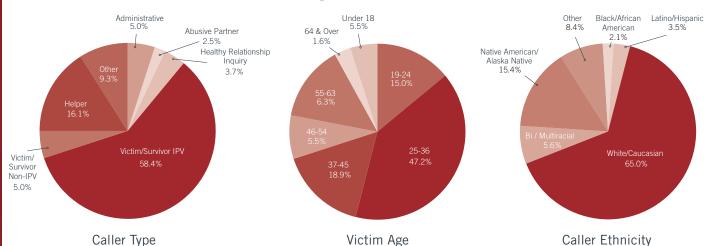
Based on Hotline contacts documented January-June 2018

In 2018, the National Domestic Violence Hotline documented* **161 contacts** from Alaska. The state ranks 47th in terms of contact volume to The Hotline. The Hotline provides crisis intervention, safety planning, referrals and DV education for these contacts.

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

	Total	161
	TTY	0
	Chat	31
<	Phone	130

Who is contacting The Hotline from Alaska?



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. Anchorage	36.6%
2. Fairbanks	15.9%
3. Juneau	11.7%
4. Wasilla	9.0%
5. Palmer	4.8%
6. Nome	2.1%
7. Kenai	2.1%
8. Ketchikan	1.4%
9. Eagle River	1.4%
10. Tok	1.4%
Total:	86.2%

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What are victims experiencing?

93%

Emotional/Verbal Abuse

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

60%

Physical Abuse

hitting, biting, choking, etc.

30%

Economic/Financial Abuse

control finances, ruin credit, etc.

19%

Sexual Abuse

rape, exploitation, coercion, etc.

17%

Digital Abuse

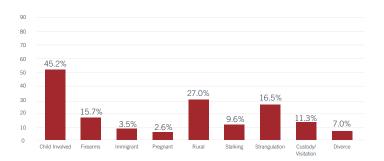
steal passwords, constant texts, etc.



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Most Commonly Disclosed Special Factors in Victims' Experiences



What do victims need?

Commonly Requested Hotline Services:

DV Shelter	21	17.4%
Legal Advocacy	38	31.4%
Individual Professional Counseling	34	28.1%
DV Support Groups	20	16.5%
Legal Representation	6	5.0%
Protective/Restraining Order	7	5.8%



Most-Referred Resources

WomensLaw.org 211 - United Way GoodTherapy.org

Alaska Network on Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault VictimConnect Resource Center

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