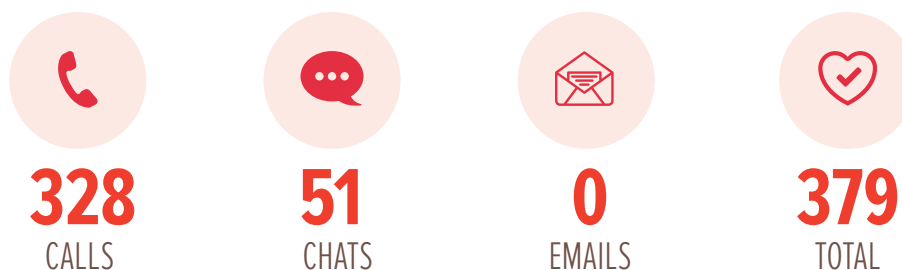


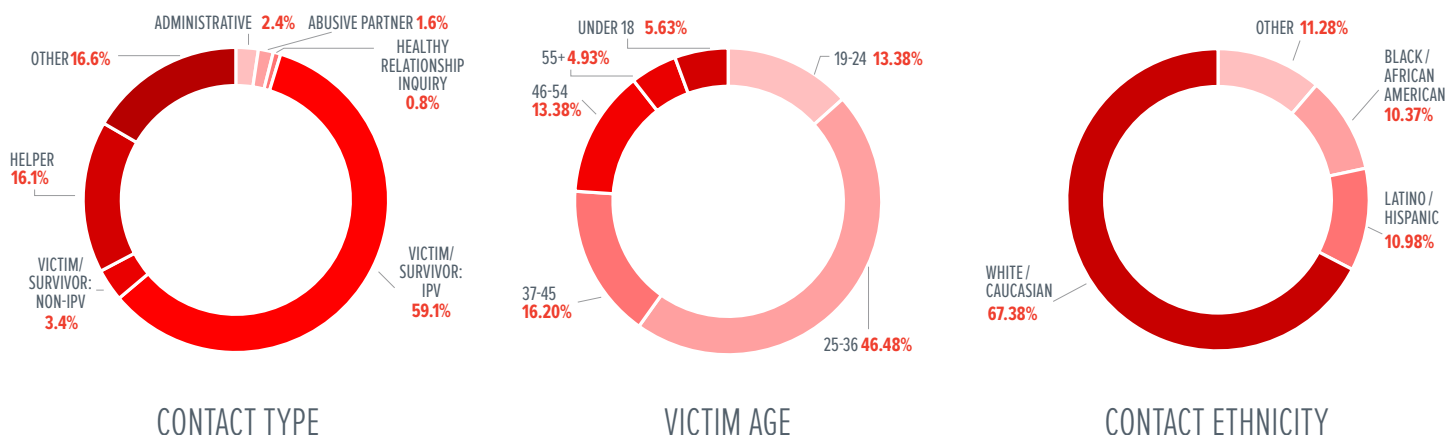


## BASED ON THE NATIONAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HOTLINE CONTACTS DOCUMENTED JANUARY–JUNE 2017

In 2017, The National Domestic Violence Hotline documented **379 contacts\*** from Nebraska. The state ranks 38th in terms of contact volume. The National Domestic Violence Hotline provides Crisis Intervention, SafetyPlanning, Referrals and DV Education for these contacts.



## WHO IS CONTACTING THE NATIONAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HOTLINE FROM NEBRASKA



### 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 calls, hang-ups, prank calls and feedback.

### TOP 10 CITIES IN CONTACT VOLUME

1. OMAHA	49.86%	7. SIDNEY	1.67%
2. LINCOLN	12.81%	8. GRAND ISLAND	1.67%
3. BELLEVUE	2.23%	9. KEARNEY	1.39%
4. NORTH PLATTE	2.23%	10. LEXINGTON	1.39%
5. FREMONT	1.95%		
6. SCOTTSBLUFF	1.67%		

**TOTAL 76.88%**

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FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT [WWW.THEHOTLINE.ORG](http://WWW.THEHOTLINE.ORG)



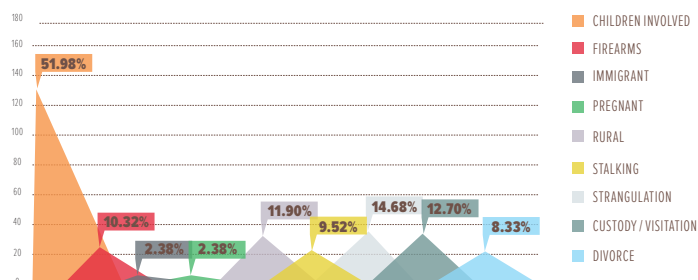
\*Contacts documented refers to the calls, online chats or texts where a location was self-disclosed by the contact.



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## MOST COMMON DISCLOSED SPECIAL FACTORS



## WHAT ARE VICTIMS EXPERIENCING

**94%**

**EMOTIONAL/  
VERBAL ABUSE**

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

**67%**

**PHYSICAL  
ABUSE**

*hitting, biting, choking, etc.*

**25%**

**ECONOMIC/  
FINANCIAL  
ABUSE**

*control finances,  
ruin credit, etc.*

**13%**

**SEXUAL  
ABUSE**

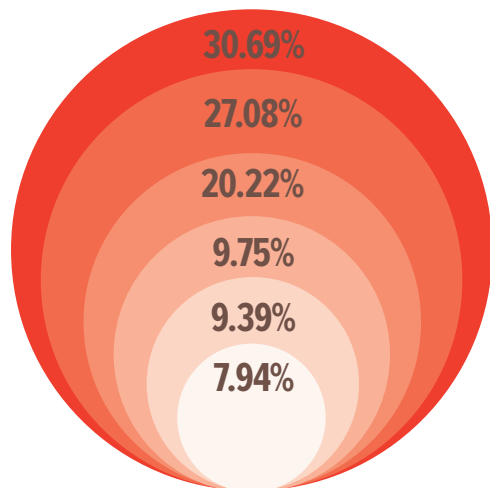
*rape, exploitation,  
coercion, etc.*

**10%**

**DIGITAL  
ABUSE**

*steal passwords,  
constant texts, etc..*

## WHAT DO VICTIMS NEED



- **85** Legal Advocacy
- **75** Domestic Violence Shelter
- **56** Individual Professional Counseling
- **27** Legal Representation
- **26** Domestic Violence Support Groups
- **22** Protective/Restraining Order Assistance

## THEHOTLINE.ORG

thehotline.org is a comprehensive online resource for those affected by abuse.

Visits Jan. – June 2017:

**984,242**

New Visitors Jan. – June 2017:

**772,966**

### Most Viewed Pages on thehotline.org in 2017

Relationship Spectrum  
Setting Boundaries  
Healthy Conflict Resolution  
Help a Friend or Family Member  
Abuse Defined

"Why Don't They Just Leave?"  
Resource For Victims &  
Survivors  
Survivor Series  
Get Help Today

## TOP RESOURCE REFERRALS

Womenslaw.org  
211 - United Way

Nebraska DV Sexual  
Assault Coalition

Childhelp National  
Child Abuse Hotline



REFERRALS TO  
SERVICE PROVIDERS



OFFERS TO DIRECT  
CONNECT



REFERRALS TO  
OTHER RESOURCES