



Colorado State Report

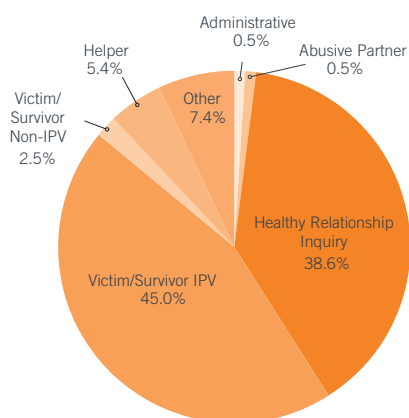
Based on loveisrespect contacts documented January–June 2018

In 2018, loveisrespect documented* **202 contacts** from Colorado. The state ranks 19th in terms of contact volume. loveisrespect provides crisis intervention, safety planning, referrals and DV and healthy relationship education for these contacts.

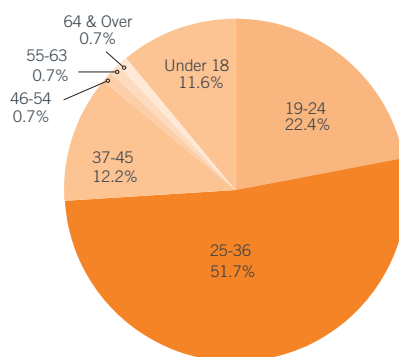
**Contacts documented refers to the calls, online chats and texts where a location was self-disclosed by the caller, chatter or texter.*

Phone	118
Chat	58
Text	26
Total	202

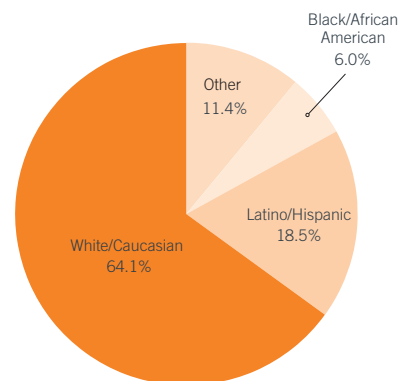
Who is contacting loveisrespect from Colorado?



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. Denver	44.6%
2. Colorado Springs	15.5%
3. Boulder	7.8%
4. Aurora	4.7%
5. Fort Collins	4.1%
6. Lakewood	3.1%
7. Loveland	3.1%
8. Littleton	2.6%
9. Pueblo	1.6%
10. Parker	1.6%
Total:	88.6%

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?

98%

Emotional/Verbal Abuse

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

42%

Physical Abuse

hitting, biting, choking, etc.

27%

Digital Abuse

steal passwords, constant texts, etc.

25%

Sexual Abuse

rape, exploitation, coercion, etc.

20%

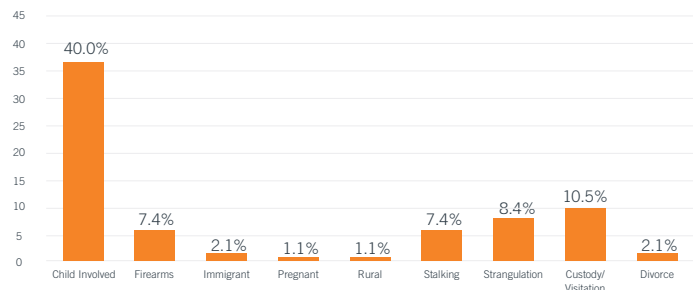
Economic/Financial Abuse

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	5	5.7%
Legal Advocacy	23	26.1%
Individual Professional Counseling	39	44.3%
DV Support Groups	22	25.0%
Legal Representation	4	4.5%
Protective/Restraining Order	5	5.7%



Referrals to Service Providers

218

Offers to Direct Connect

19

Referrals to Other Resources

236

Most-Referred Resources

Scarleteen
GoodTherapy.org
WomensLaw.org
NetworkTherapy.com
211 - United Way

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