

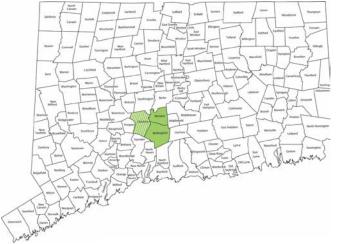
Fact Sheet

CHRYSALIS DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SERVICES works to promote healthy relationships, safe families and violence free communities. We offer services at no cost regardless of when the abuse occurred, or whether or not the victim plans to leave. Our services include, but are not limited to:

- Individual in person and/or phone support
- · Advocacy through medical, legal, police or social services systems
- An education support group for women mandated by DCF
- Support group on Tuesday evenings for women and children
- Safety planning for adults and children
- Short-term emergency shelter & transitional housing
- 24 hour hotline services

In Fiscal Year 2016 (7/1/15 – 6/30/16) we...

- Provided services to 1,681 VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE
- Housed 94 VICTIMS in EMERGENCY SHELTER & 28 VICTIMS in TRANSITIONAL LIVING
 - Victims stayed in shelter for an average of 55 DAYS and our shelter ran at 97% CAPACITY
- Provided 651 ONE-ON-ONE COUNSELING SESSIONS over the course of 366 HOURS
- Held 54 SUPPORT GROUP SESSIONS over the course of 106 HOURS
- Provided COURT-BASED ADVOCACY to 1,330 VICTIMS
- Held/participated in 78 COMMUNITY EDUCATION EVENTS reaching 1,363 INDIVIDUALS



CUTS TO FUNDING COULD MEAN:

- Fewer advocates/certified counselors to provide counseling and safety planning services
- Reduction or elimination of 24/7 support services
- Reduction or elimination of hotel placements when the shelter is full
- Limited transportation for victims in need of relocation for safety or to attend various medical or human services appointments
- Reduction of community-based services
- Reduction or elimination of community education events

Our services are provided to victims of domestic violence living in the following towns:

Cheshire I Meriden I Wallingford

Please do not hesitate to contact me with questions or concerns:

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