

Did You Know?

- Domestic violence affects all people, regardless of age, socio-economic status, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, race, religion or nationality.
- One in four women, and one in 10 men, experience sexual violence, physical violence and/or stalking by an intimate partner during their lifetime.
- In New York, 59 individuals were killed by their intimate partners in 2017. In fact, 41% of all female homicide victims who were 16 or older were killed by an intimate partner in New York that same year.
- Law enforcement officers in New York respond to more than 430,000 domestic violence incidents a year.
- There are 228,769 protective orders entered in New York's Order of Protection Registry.
- Nearly I in 3 New Yorkers in high school report having experienced physical dating violence. In fact, national statistics show that most victims first experience dating violence between the ages of I I and 24.
- Domestic violence is the leading cause of injury to women more than car accidents, muggings and rapes combined.
- The costs of intimate partner violence in the U.S. exceed \$5.8 billion per year: \$4.1 billion are for direct medical and health care services while productivity losses account for nearly \$1.8 billion.
- Domestic violence victims lose nearly 8 million days of paid work a year in the U.S. the equivalent of 32,000 full-time jobs.