

What is Domestic Violence?

IC39-6303 states, "Domestic violence" means the physical injury, sexual abuse or forced imprisonment or threat thereof of a family or household member, or of a minor child by a person with whom the minor child has had or is having a dating relationship, or of an adult by a person with whom the adult has had or is having a dating relationship.

Who are Abusers?

Your partner has committed domestic violence when he/she physically harms, intimidates, or causes fear in the person with whom he/she shares a living space or a child in common.

Who are Victims?

Victim is defined in Idaho Code § 19-5306(5)(a):
"Victim is an individual who suffers direct or threatened physical, financial or emotional harm as the result of the commission of a crime or juvenile offense."

Victims of Domestic Violence can be spouses, former spouses, or persons that have children in common or persons that are co-habiting or dating.

RESOURCE LIST

EMERGENCY

Emergency Dispatch **911**
(208) 945-2121

LEGAL INFORMATION

Bear Lake County Prosecutor (208) 945-1438
Bear Lake County Deputy Prosecutor (208) 852-3081

Bear Lake County Magistrate Court (208) 945-2212
Bear Lake County District Court (208) 945-2212
Sixth Judicial District Family Court Services
(208) 236-7416

SHELTER ASSISTANCE

Oneida Crisis Center (208) 766-4412
Oneida Crisis Line (208) 766 3119

COUNSELING SERVICES

Bear Lake Memorial Counseling Services
(208) 847-4464

SEICAA

(208) 847-1462

***The Montpelier Police Department
Victims Assistance Unit
(208) 847-0824 Ext. 112
24/7 CRISIS LINE (208) 840-0807***

OFFICER: _____

OFFICER PHONE NUMBER

CASE NUMBER

**YOU ARE NOT
ALONE**

VICTIMS ASSISTANCE

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What is Abuse?

Disagreements and arguments are often part of a normal relationship. But physical violence or other abusive behavior is not normal! Abuse comes in many forms. Listed below are some questions to ask yourself that will help you identify the different types of abuse you have experienced.

Physical Abuse. Has your partner ever pushed, slapped, pinched or hit you? Kept you from leaving? Kicked, choked or thrown things at you?

Emotional Abuse. Has he/she ever threatened or intimidated you? Isolated you socially from family and friends? Used the children to manipulate you? Monitored your phone calls or demanded to “see” your cell phone or inside your purse? Called you names? Humiliated you in public or private? Destroyed your personal property? Hurt or threatened to hurt your pets?

Sexual Abuse. Does your partner become angry if you glance at someone of the opposite sex? Has he/she ever accused you of having affairs? Force you to have sex? Committed sadistic sexual acts, or made you perform, any sexual act that made you feel uncomfortable?

INFORMATION AND SUPPORT

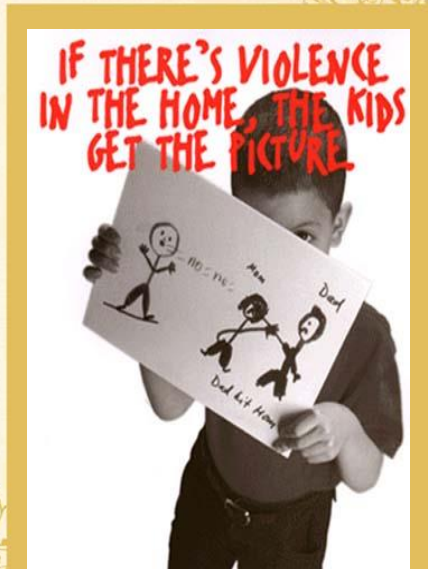
INFORMATION

Referrals to various community resources
Victims’ Rights
Details of your case

SUPPORT SERVICES

24/7 Crisis Line
Crisis intervention
Assistance in filing out Protection Orders
Assist in obtaining copies of police reports
Notification of Court Proceedings
Support in court proceedings

It’s not just your life at stake here!



Protection Orders

- Protection orders can be obtained through the Victims Assistance Unit or at the County Courthouse in Paris.
- A Protection Order can order the abuser to stay away from you and your family, your home, your place of employment, school and the daycare.
- It can order the abuser not to have any contact with you physically, by phone or through someone else.
- This process can take some time. It is best to arrange childcare if possible.

If you give me any problem in America I can trace it down to domestic violence. It is the cradle of most of the problems, economic, psychological, educational.
– Salma Hayek
Actress