



ADVOCATE

If someone you know is in an abusive situation, offer your support by listening to their needs. Call the Philadelphia Domestic Violence Hotline for information, crisis intervention, and safety planning.



ENGAGE YOUR COMMUNITY

- Sign the pledge against violence through our *iPledge® Campaign!*
- Bring your friends to *Dish It Up*, our annual food competition and fundraiser.

Learn more at womenagainstabuse.org or by calling 267.295.5918.



GIVE

- Make a donation at womenagainstabuse.org.
- Join our Monthly Donor Program!
 - Send checks, payable to:
Women Against Abuse, Attn: Advancement
100 S Broad Street, Suite 1341, Philadelphia, PA 19110
- Join the 1976 Legacy Society by making a planned gift.
- Women Against Abuse is United Way Agency #00195

For more information on how to donate, call 267.295.5918.

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WOMEN AGAINST ABUSE LEGAL CENTER

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PHILADELPHIA DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HOTLINE

1.866.723.3014 TTY 215.456.1529



WOMEN AGAINST ABUSE



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for SAFETY

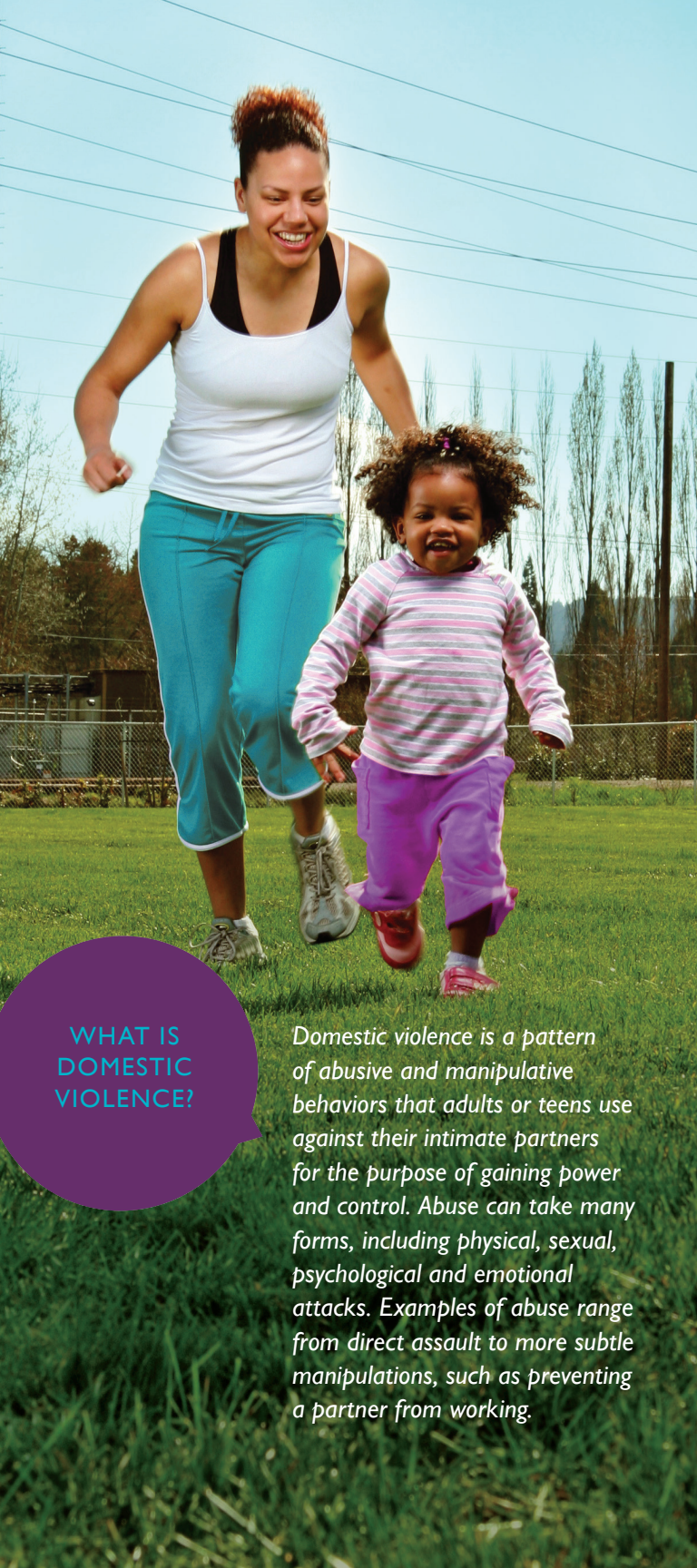
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SURVIVORS
of DOMESTIC
VIOLENCE

OUR MISSION

THE MISSION OF WOMEN AGAINST ABUSE is to provide quality, compassionate and nonjudgmental services in a manner that fosters self-respect and independence in persons experiencing intimate partner violence and to lead the struggle to end domestic violence through advocacy and community education.

We fulfill our mission through innovative programs and community collaborations. We serve more than **15,000** people in Philadelphia each year. Our services make a tangible impact on the community by **EMPOWERING** those who have experienced violent relationships to heal and embrace futures of **HOPE AND SAFETY**.

Get
INVOLVED!



WHAT IS DOMESTIC VIOLENCE?

Domestic violence is a pattern of abusive and manipulative behaviors that adults or teens use against their intimate partners for the purpose of gaining power and control. Abuse can take many forms, including physical, sexual, psychological and emotional attacks. Examples of abuse range from direct assault to more subtle manipulations, such as preventing a partner from working.

WHAT WE DO

PHILADELPHIA DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HOTLINE



1.866.723.3014 -or- TTY 215.456.1529

A free, confidential and 24-hour city-wide resource that offers intake into Women Against Abuse's emergency housing, as well as safety planning and crisis counseling.

THIS IS THE BEST PLACE to START YOUR JOURNEY TO SAFETY!

SUPPORTIVE HOUSING



Because safe housing is essential for survivors of domestic violence, Women Against Abuse provides:

- Two confidential safe havens offering 200 beds to women and children for stays of 60-90 days. The safe havens provide specialized trauma-informed case management, children's services, meals, 24-hour security, and counseling.
Sojourner House, a 15-unit transitional housing program, provides case management, behavioral health services, life skills development workshops, and on-site child care for up to 18 months.
Community-based permanent affordable housing options through the Safe at Home program, which provides case management for up to two years, empowering survivors to sustain their independence and safety.

EMERGENCY HOUSING IS AVAILABLE through the PHILADELPHIA DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HOTLINE at 1.866.723.3014

LEGAL AID



Legal services provide critical protection from domestic violence. The Women Against Abuse Legal Center helps women and men who have been abused navigate the justice system by providing attorney representation, court advocacy and telephone counseling.

Attorneys represent clients seeking protection from abuse orders and child custody and support.

Contact the LEGAL CENTER at 215.686.7082

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES



Women Against Abuse recognizes the significant trauma that domestic violence creates in the lives of survivors and their children.

Our behavioral health team provides individual and group therapy at Women Against Abuse's supportive housing programs.

WOMEN AGAINST ABUSE WAS THERE FOR ME WHEN I NEEDED THEM. I remember my first night staying at Sojourner House, I could finally sleep, knowing I was safe. I can't imagine what my son and I would have done without them. My life is so different now, and I'm glad I didn't have to walk this journey alone.

Sheila Armstrong, former client and board member

There are no words in the dictionary to appreciate the love, affection and all that you and your institution have showered on my daughter Dana. Today, with your help and able guidance, Dana has been able to OVERCOME THE TRAUMA OF ABUSE AND STAND FIRMLY ON HER FEET AGAIN.

Dana's father (name changed to protect client confidentiality)

COMMUNITY EDUCATION, TRAINING & TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE



Wish your child's school understood the dynamics of teen dating violence? Need help writing a domestic violence policy for your workplace or church? Would your staff or coworkers benefit from more knowledge about intimate partner violence? We can help!

Women Against Abuse offers a variety of trainings and technical assistance that can be specialized according to your unique needs.

For TRAINING, WORKSHOPS or TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE, call 267.295.5905 or visit WOMENAGAINSTABUSE.ORG

Denotes services available to men

Denotes services available to the LGBTQ+ community