

## Domestic Violence Resources

If you are in a relationship with an abusive partner and you fear for your safety, you can seek help by calling Safe Horizon's Domestic Violence Hotline at 1-800-621-HOPE (4673). Help is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. ***However, if you are in immediate danger then you should call 911 right away.***

Clients can also seek support with getting connected to domestic violence services by coming to the Coalition's [Crisis Intervention Program](#).

Domestic violence can take many forms and it involves behavior that is used to establish power and control over another person. This is often done through fear and intimidation over a period of time, using threats and verbal, emotional, or physical abuse. Domestic violence can happen to anyone and everyone deserves to feel safe and respected.

### Additional Resources

#### **Safe Horizon - 1-800-621-HOPE (4673)**

<http://www.safehorizon.org/index.php>

Safe Horizon provides support to prevent violence and promote justice for victims of crime and abuse, and they offer a wide variety of programs located throughout the five boroughs of New York City.

#### **New York City Family Justice Centers - Call 311 to be connected to the nearest NYC Family Justice Center**

<https://www1.nyc.gov/site/ocdv/programs/family-justice-centers.page>

New York City Family Justice Centers are a program of the Mayor's Office to Combat Domestic Violence. They provide criminal justice, civil legal, and social services all in one location for victims of domestic violence. All services are free and available regardless of immigration status. Interpretation services are available in more than 30 languages. Children's services are also available so parents can receive services while children play.

#### **Barrier Free Living – 212-400-6470**

<https://www.bflnyc.org/>

Barrier Free Living offers specific programs for disabled victims of domestic violence. Individuals seeking assistance from Barrier Free Living



### **The Anti-Violence Project - 212-714-1141**

<https://avp.org/>

The Anti-Violence Project (AVP) offers services to members of the lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, and HIV-affected communities, as well as allies. AVP provides assistance towards ending all forms of violence through organizing, education, and supporting survivors through counseling and advocacy. AVP provides direct services such as immediate crisis intervention, safety planning, short or long-term counseling, advocacy and accompaniment, to anyone who calls their hotline or comes to their main offices or intake sites throughout the five boroughs. AVP's free bilingual (English/Spanish) hotline is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

### **The Mayor's Office to Combat Domestic Violence (OCDV)**

<https://www1.nyc.gov/site/ocdv/index.page>

The Mayor's Office to Combat Domestic Violence (OCDV) oversees the citywide delivery of domestic violence services, develops policies and programs, and works with diverse communities to increase awareness of domestic violence.

### **Other Support Services**

<https://www1.nyc.gov/site/hra/help/domestic-violence-support.page>

A list of additional support services is available through the NYC Human Resources Administration (HRA).