

**2023**

# ANNUAL REPORT



# ABOUT ACESDV

Our **Mission** is to **end sexual and domestic violence** in Arizona by **dismantling oppression** and **promoting equity** among all people.

The Arizona Coalition Against Domestic Violence was formed in 1980 so that concerned citizens and professionals could unite in a statewide organization to end domestic violence. In 2013, the Coalition became the designated dual coalition to address both sexual and domestic violence thus becoming the Arizona Coalition to End Sexual and Domestic Violence.

# LETTER FROM THE CEO

*As we reflect on 2023, I am proud to share the progress and impact the Arizona Coalition to End Sexual and Domestic Violence (ACESDV) made in our mission to end sexual and domestic violence by dismantling oppression and promoting equity across our state.*

*This year has been marked by resilience and innovation from our dedicated team, partners, and supporters. We have expanded our programs, deepened our advocacy efforts, and strengthened our collaborations across the state to ensure that every survivor and program receives compassionate and comprehensive support.*

*Our commitment to justice and equity has guided our work as we continue to address systemic barriers and promote safety and healing for all. I extend my heartfelt gratitude to everyone who has contributed to our mission this year—your support is vital to creating a future free from violence. Together, we are making a difference, and I look forward to continuing this essential work with you in the years ahead.*

*All my best,*



Jenna Panas, CEO



1-800-782-6400 or online  
through chat:

[www.arizonasurvivors.org](http://www.arizonasurvivors.org)

Open Monday-Friday,  
8:30am-5pm,  
extended  
hours Tuesday  
8:30am-7pm

An LGBTQ+ male survivor of domestic violence sought our support for rental assistance after a family-related incident on Thanksgiving left him unable to work. Our Victim Services Specialist quickly assessed his needs, provided the necessary survivor request form, and secured Survivor Emergency Relief Funding (SERF) to help him regain stability.

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CALLS, CHATS, TEXTS & EMAILS TO THE HELPLINE

- CALLS: 2590
- CHATS: 131
- TEXTS: 1544
- EMAILS: 622

OF THE 2590 CALLS:  
FEMALE: 1666  
MALE: 180  
UNKNOWN: 744



NUMBER OF TRAININGS **70**

PEOPLE TRAINED **1650**

## SEXUAL VIOLENCE TRAININGS PROVIDED

- A Further Look into Serving Hispanic & Latinx Survivors of Sexual Violence
- Addressing Sexual Violence in I/DD Communities
- Best Practices and Cultural Responsiveness for LGBTQ+ Survivors
- Best Practices and Cultural Responsiveness for LGBTQ+ Survivors for Rural Advocates
- Best Practices and Cultural Responsiveness for Trans Survivors
- Best Practices When Working with Trans Survivors of Sexual Assault
- Best Practices When Working with Trans Survivors of Sexual Assault in Spanish
- Building a Sexual Violence Program
- Communities of Color and Sexual Violence 101
- Compassion Fatigue & Self-Care for Community Responders Webinar
- Creative Outreach: Serving Underserved Populations
- Crisis Response DV and SV 101 Training
- DV Updates & Considerations for families in General Jurisdiction
- Examining Secondary Victimization Within the Healthcare Response to Sexual Assault
- Harm Reduction and Sexual Violence
- How to Assist Survivors in Writing a Victim Impact Statement
- LGBTQ+ 101 and Sexual Violence Intersection
- Male Survivors of Sexual Violence
- Medical Forensic Exams
- Motivational Interviewing with Survivors
- Prevention: Creating Protective Environments
- Prevention: Promoting Social Norms Against Violence
- Prevention: Teaching Skills to Prevent Violence
- Reproductive Coercion
- Reproductive Justice & Immigration Webinar
- Responding to Student Sexual Assault Survivors
- Responding to Survivors in the Workplace
- Rooted in Prevention: Building Capacity
- Rooted in Prevention: Create Protective Environments
- Rooted in Prevention: Introduction to SVPEP
- Rooted in Prevention: Promoting Social Norms Against Violence
- Rooted in Prevention: Teach Skills to Prevent Violence
- Serving Latinx Sexual Assault Survivors
- Serving Sexual Assault Survivors who are Deaf, Hard of Hearing, or DeafBlind
- Sexual Assault Victims' Rights in Arizona
- Sexual Harassment in the Workplace
- Sexual Violence 101 and Medical Forensic Exams
- Sexual Violence Core Advocacy Training (SVCAT)
- Sexual Violence Training for Community Health Workers/Promotoras
- Staff Resiliency and Burnout
- Stalking and Technology Misuse
- Substance Use, Harm Reduction, and Sexual Violence
- Support Youth who are Survivors of Sexual Violence
- SV 101 for First Responders
- Teens and Tech
- Theory of Prevention Throughout Time & Legislation
- Trauma Informed Care
- Victim Impact Statements

***"They were all great and very passionate about what they were presenting. They were great at answering questions and at keeping everyone engaged."***

***-Sexual Violence Core Advocacy Training participant***



NUMBER OF TRAININGS **163**

PEOPLE TRAINED **3717**

## DOMESTIC VIOLENCE TRAININGS PROVIDED

- All I've Lost: Addressing The Intersection of Grief & Domestic Violence
- Approaching Survivors and Services from a Lens of Resilience
- Caring for Ourselves & Others
- Child Welfare Response to Domestic Violence
- Conflict Resolution Strategies for Direct Service Providers
- Crisis Calls
- Domestic Violence 101
- Domestic Violence and Intimate Partner Sexual Violence
- Domestic Violence and Reporting Abuse
- Domestic Violence Pets and Homelessness
- Domestic Violence Survivor Panel
- DV 101 and Trauma Informed Care in Communal Living Settings
- DV and SV 101
- Dynamics of Domestic Violence
- Finances Matter: Talking About Finances, Budget Building, and Financial Assistance with Survivors
- Gaslighting, Emotional Abuse, and Coercive Control
- Stalking and Technology Misuse
- Grief and Domestic Violence
- Healthy Relationship Basics For Young Adults
- Holding Space, Making Space: Practicing Cultural Humility In Our Prevention Efforts
- Intersection of Domestic Violence and Mental Health
- Intersection of Homelessness, Domestic Violence and Pets
- Let's Talk Teen Dating Violence
- Prevention Through A Life-Span
- Reducing Intake Trauma
- Reducing Rules in Shelter
- Religious World Views, Faith Communities & Intimate Partner Violence
- Role of the Advocate & Trauma-Informed Care
- Safety Planning & Orders of Protection
- Self-care and Vicarious Trauma
- Serving People and Their Pets: Combatting Compassion Fatigue and Setting Boundaries
- Supporting DV Callers on the Helpline
- Survivor Speakers Bureau Training
- The difference with SA, ESA's, and Pets
- The Impact of Family Violence on Children
- The Intersection of Domestic Violence and Mental Illness
- The Sharing Experience
- TIPP Training
- Trauma & Grief
- Trauma Informed Care
- Trauma Informed Documentation
- Trauma-Informed Supervision
- Violence in the Workplace
- Weapon of Choice: The Intersection Between Domestic Violence and Firearms
- What I See, Hear & Live: The Role of Culture in Teen Dating Violence
- What's A Relationship? Healthy Relationships for Young Adults

***"This training was incredibly insightful and taught me so much. I am an MSW student and new to advocacy, but I've found my calling in this work. This training confirmed to me that this was what I wanted to do with my degree, and to help people around me. If I could, I would work in advocacy until I retire and this training just re-confirmed that. Thank you very much."***  
***- The Sharing Experience participant***



## THRIVE LUNCHEON : THE ART OF HEALING

*Thrive*  
LUNCHEON

**200+ ATTENDEES**



**ASU** Office of  
Gender-Based Violence  
Arizona State University



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## 2023 LEARNING CONFERENCE : TOGETHER FORWARD: HONORING REILIENCY AND HUMANITY

**TOGETHER FORWARD**  
Honoring Resiliency and Humanity



**125+ ATTENDEES**

 **a new leaf**







**7,200+**

FOLLOWERS ON  
FACEBOOK



**882+**

FOLLOWERS ON  
LINKEDIN



**2,150+**

FOLLOWERS ON  
INSTAGRAM



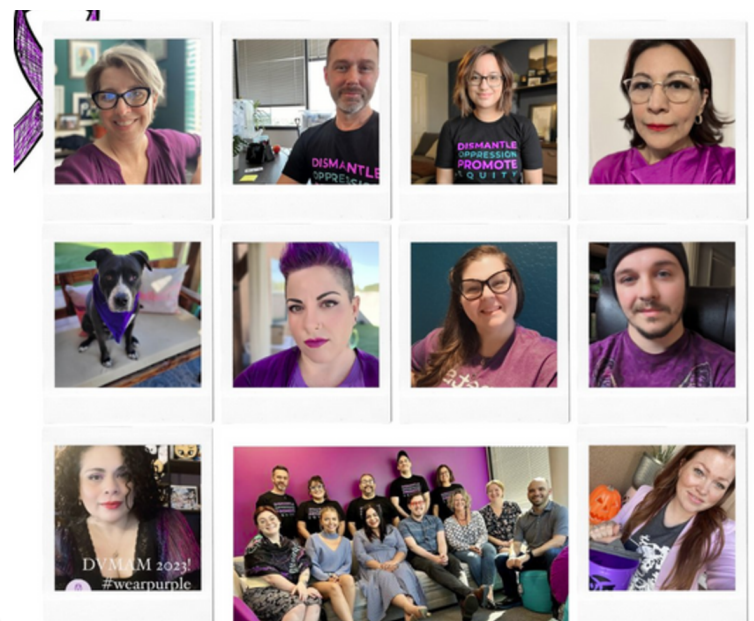
**2,500+**

FOLLOWERS ON  
X

## CAMPAIGNS

**SEXUAL ASSAULT  
AWARENESS MONTH  
APRIL/WEAR TEAL**

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE  
AWARENESS MONTH  
OCTOBER/WEAR PURPLE**



Defenders of Children



**WEAR  
PURPLE  
DAY**



## ACESDV BaRC PROJECT

**Helps remove barriers to safety and services  
for sexual and domestic violence survivors  
through BaRC funds which are available to  
survivors for anything related to pets.**

VICTIMS OF CRIME ACT  
(VOCA) FUNDING FOR  
PROGRAMS BACKFILL  
SECURED

TRACKED 88 BILLS,  
WEIGHED IN PUBLICLY  
ON 21 BILLS AND  
PREPARED TESTIMONY  
ON 5 BILLS, SUBMITTED 5  
REQUESTS FOR VETO TO  
THE GOVERNOR

STOPPED 14 BILLS  
HARMFUL TO  
SURVIVORS

ACESDV advocates for systemic change to increase safety for victims/survivors of sexual and domestic violence and their children. We believe in offender accountability and work on big picture issues impacting sexual and domestic violence victims/survivors and direct service providers.

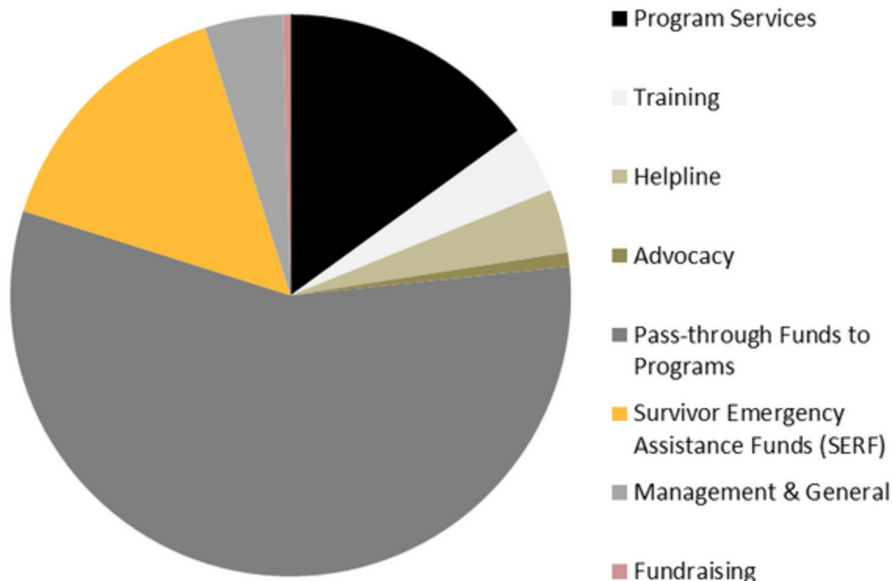
#### Activities include:

- Monitoring policies, procedures and practices
- Advocating for systems level changes
- Educating lawmakers on needed statutory changes and sexual and domestic violence
- Working with the criminal justice system, human services, and other community partners to enhance system responses to sexual and domestic violence



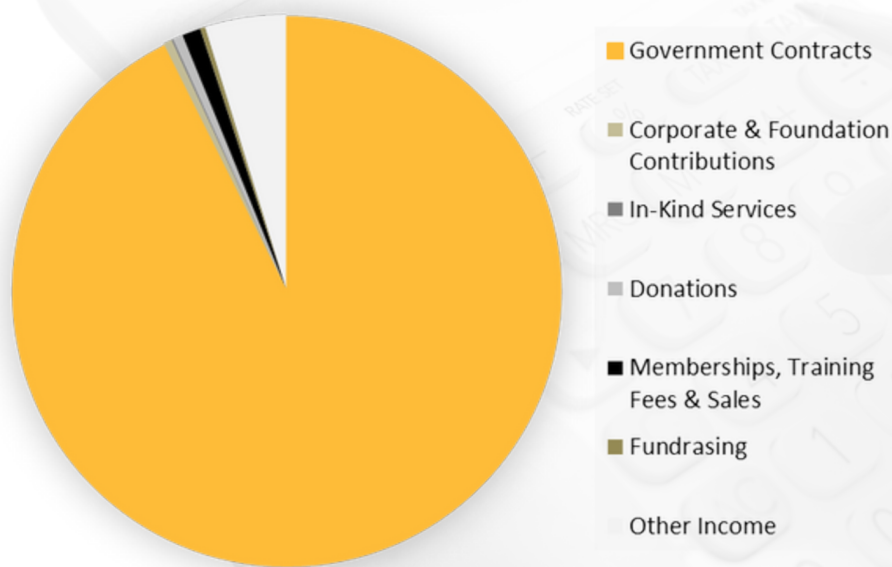
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EXPENSES

Program Services	\$1,928,745.54
Training	\$496,139.30
Helpline	\$470,199.82
Advocacy	\$102,494.60
Pass-through Funds to Programs	\$7,252,876.85
Survivor Emergency relief Funds (SERF)	\$1,951,424.78
Management & General	\$576,876.05
Fundraising	\$56,757.05
Total:	\$12,835,513.99



REVENUES

Government Contracts	\$12,401,246.89
Corporate & Foundation Contributions	\$68,653.69
In-Kind Services	\$15,000.00
Donations	\$77,835.08
Memberships, Training Fees & Sales	\$146,789.31
Fundraising	\$40,879.64
Other Income	\$641,633.75
Total:	\$13,392,038.36

Net Assets

Net Assets Without Donor Restrictions	\$776,729.45
Retained Earnings	\$264,301.45
Net Income	\$129,269.28
Total Equity	\$1,170,300.18

**Kerryann Tomlinson, Chair**  
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