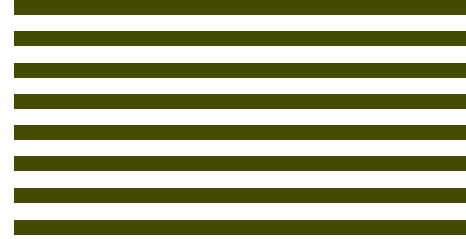


# COVID-19 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE RESPONSE RESOURCES



## Director's Office Message:

In these trying times, there are a lot of changes happening including a large effort to support each other while we support Oregonians. This work is greatly appreciated and needed in our communities. We would like to take a moment to share an important consideration and highlight some resources. Families are staying in home more, children are out of school, financial and health stressors are impacting families, and social distancing measures cause further isolation. All of these factors can contribute to increased risk of domestic violence. The Department of Human Services is working to share resources, make services more available and stay connected with our statewide partners.

This document outlines important domestic violence resources. We ask that staff are vigilant in looking for additional stressors facing families you are working with. Please be mindful of safety in phone conversations and in written communications. See the section below for a collection of resources to share with survivors and aid in your daily work.

DHS also has Co-Located Domestic Violence Advocates in Child Welfare and Self-Sufficiency. These advocacy agencies are community based, available to all survivors, and are completely confidential. Please reach out to your local domestic violence sexual assault agencies for their best practices and to find out how they are offering services safely to survivors.

## RESOURCES FOR SURVIVORS

### Connection to Advocates

#### National Domestic Violence Hotline

Phone Call: 1-800-799-7233

Online Chat: [HERE](#)

Text: Text LOVEIS to 22522

#### Oregon Coalition Against Domestic Violence (OCADSV)

- Click [HERE](#) for an interactive, statewide service map. Find services by location, language needed, or service type (example: Shelter, advocacy).

#### Oregon Attorney General's Sexual Assault Task Force

- [Help for Survivors](#)



## COVID-19 SPECIFIC RESOURCES

- [OCADSV COVID-19 Update Page](#) – Great list of resources and changes in services for survivors
- [National Network to End Domestic Violence \(NNEDV\) Resources in Response to the Coronavirus](#)
- [NNEDV Technology Safety: Technology Tools for Services and Remote Workplaces](#)

## SAFETY PRACTICES FOR USING MOBILE AND TECHNOLOGY WITH SURVIVORS

- [NNEDV Mobile Advocacy Resource Page](#)
  - [Best practices for Mobile Advocacy](#)
- [OCADSV Technology Resource Page](#)
  - [Technology, internet and computer safety for survivors](#)

## CHILD RELATED RESOURCES

- [Safe & Together Institute Blog: How to keep children Safe & Together in a time of crisis](#)
- Free worksheets for children for continued learning [here](#)

## BENEFIT SERVICES

### Temporary Assistance for Domestic Violence Survivors (TA-DVS)

TA-DVS Provides temporary financial assistance and support services to families with children affected by domestic violence when other resources are not available. TA- DVS is used to help vulnerable children and their parents address safety concerns and stabilize their living situation, through safety planning, resource and advocate connection, and a \$1,200 financial grant.

Apply by completing the [DHS 415F Application for Services](#) and returning to a Self-Sufficiency office.