

Domestic Violence Resource Guide

(for victims of intimate partner violence)

If a victim needs immediate, emergency assistance, call one of the following:

Police

24-Hour Hotline / Domestic Violence Shelter

National Domestic Violence Hotline (TheHotline.org)

National Teen Dating Violence Hotline (LoveIsRespect.org)

CHAT > LoveIsRespect.org **TEXT** Love Is to 22522

Safe Haven Pet Sheltering Program

911

704-332-2513

800-799-SAFE (7233)

866-331-9474

Call your advocate

If a victim needs additional services, call one of the following:

Safe Alliance

(SafeAlliance.org)

Domestic Violence Shelter

704-332-2513

- 24 – Hour Crisis Hotline
- Emergency Shelter for adults and children in imminent danger
- Individual Safety Planning and Crisis Intervention & Victim Advocacy for adults and children
- Domestic Violence Support Groups for adults and children
- Recovery and Trauma group
- Parenting groups (childcare available)
- Bi-Lingual English & Spanish
- No Fee

Victim Assistance

704-336-4126

- Assistance applying for domestic violence protective orders
- Civil and Criminal Court Accompaniment
- Crisis Support, Safety Planning and Photo Injury Documentation
- Bi-Lingual English & Spanish
- No Fee

Mecklenburg County Community Support Services Prevention and Intervention Services

(CSS.CharMeck.org)

Adult Victim Services

704-336-3210

- Individual Counseling
- Domestic Violence Support Groups
- Host Legal Clinic
- No fee

Programa Confianza (Latina Victim Program)

704-336-3210

- Individual & Group Counseling
- Bi-lingual/culturally informed Social Workers in both English & Spanish
- No fee

Child Services (CARE & HERO) *No fee (English & Spanish)

704-336-3210

(Serves children age 2 to 18 years old who have witnessed Domestic Violence)

- Domestic Violence Support Groups
- Individual Counseling (school or office based – ages 5-18)
- Child/Parent therapy for children (ages 2-5). Regular parent participation required.

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Teen Victim Services *No fee **704-336-3210**
(Serves teens ages 13-18 who are in or have been in a teen domestic violence relationship)

- Domestic Violence Support Groups
- Individual Counseling

REACH (Reaching to Educate Adolescents about Choices and Healthy relationships) *No fee **704-336-3210**

- 12 sessions, weekly group sessions
- Participants are 13-17 years of age
- Educational program for adolescent witnesses of domestic violence who demonstrate at-risk behaviors.
- Also for teen perpetrators of dating violence
- Primary goal is to deter future abusive behavior

NOVA (New Options for Violent Actions) **704-336-4344**

- Batterer's education program
- 26 weekly sessions (required)
- Participants are 18 years of age and older
- Educational groups; weekdays, evenings and Saturdays
- Spanish and English groups

Supervised Visitation & Safe Exchange Center (SVSE) *No fee **980-314-8680**

- Safe and secure location for custody cases involving visitation & exchange of children
- Bi-Lingual English & Spanish
- Accepting referrals

Domestic Violence Speakers Bureau (<http://DVSB.Charmeck.org>) *No fee **704-432-1568**

- Events - Speaking Engagements – Trainings
- Advocates – DV Professionals – Survivors
- Silent Witness silhouettes available

LoveSpeaksOut Speakers Bureau *No fee **704-432-1567**

- Teen Dating Violence Prevention and Advocacy
- Speaking Engagements – Community – School
- Trainings – Volunteer – Education

Domestic Violence Healthcare Project (DVHP)

24 hour crisis services to victims of domestic violence based at Carolinas Medical Center **704-446-3999**

Project Safe Domestic Violence Information Line

Services for victims of domestic violence based at Presbyterian Hospital **704-614-7212**

Mecklenburg County Department of Social Services

Please call if you suspect child abuse or neglect. **704-336-CARE (2273)**

Legal Aid of North Carolina

800-738-3868

Legal Aid of North Carolina is a statewide, nonprofit law firm that provides free legal services in civil matters to low-income people in order to ensure equal access to justice and to remove legal barriers to economic opportunity. (Bi-Lingual staff)

Surrounding County Battered Women Shelters:

Cabarrus County, CVAN	704-788-2826	Union County, Turning Point	704-283-7233
Gaston County	704-852-6000	South Carolina, Safe Passages	803-329-2800
Iredell County	704-872-3403	(Chester, Lancaster & York Co.)	