

30TH ANNUAL VERA HOUSE, INC.
**REPORT TO THE
 COMMUNITY**
 ON DOMESTIC & SEXUAL VIOLENCE

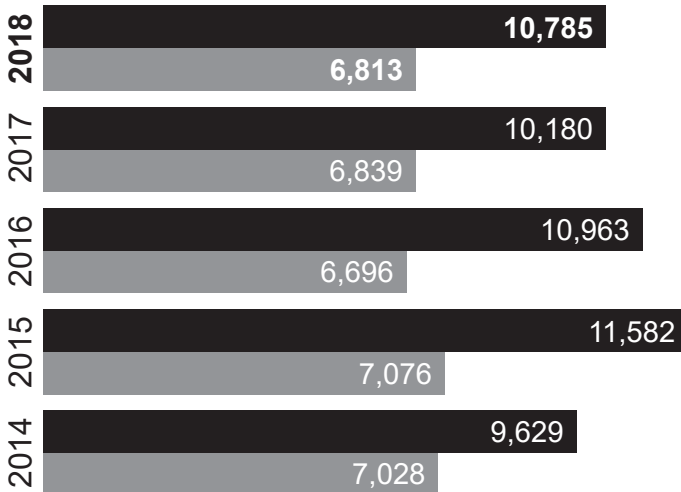
DOMESTIC & SEXUAL VIOLENCE IN ONONDAGA COUNTY

Justice System Response in 2018



Domestic Calls Answered

- Syracuse Police Department
- Onondaga County: Sheriff's Office, New York State, Town and Village Police



Sex Offense Calls Answered

Onondaga County Sheriff's Office, New York State, and Town and Village Police answered **295** sex offense calls.



Arrests Made in 2018

Syracuse Police Department arrested **1,320** domestic violence perpetrators.



Onondaga County Sheriff's Office, New York State, and Town and Village Police arrested **1,737** domestic violence perpetrators and **98** sexual offense perpetrators.

DID YOU KNOW?

Intimate Partner Violence (IPV) alone affects more than **12** million people each year.

- **Nearly half of all women and men** in the United States have experienced psychological aggression by an intimate partner in their lifetime.
- Females ages **18 to 34** generally experienced the highest rates of intimate partner violence.
- Nearly, **15%** of women (14.8%) and **4%** of men have been injured as a result of IPV that included rape, physical violence and/or stalking.

Source: The National Domestic Violence Hotline. <https://www.thehotline.org/resources/statistics/>

In **2018** there was **1** Intimate Partner Homicide in **Onondaga County**.

2018 JUSTICE SYSTEM

2018 District Attorney's Special Victims Bureau & City Court Bureau Prosecutions:



Special Victims Bureau Prosecuted...

- **658** felony arrests and **301** misdemeanor arrests between partners or ex-partners
- **63** felony arrests and **23** misdemeanor arrests for child sexual abuse
- **19** felony arrests and **23** misdemeanor arrests for adult sexual assault

City Court Bureau

- **668** misdemeanor arrests between partners or ex-partners in 2018

Probation Department

Onondaga County Probation supervised approximately **175** registered sex offenders in 2018.

Orders of Protection

ONONDAGA COUNTY FAMILY COURT

Issued **1,047** Temporary Orders of Protection and **188** Permanent Orders of Protection in 2018

SYRACUSE CITY DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COURT

Issued approximately **450** Orders of Protection



Vera House Accountability Programs

ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM

For men who have been abusive in their intimate relationships.

STEPS PROGRAM

For women who have been abusive in their intimate relationships.

DVIP (Domestic Violence Impact Program)

A one-time, 4-hour course for men and women originally charged with a violation-level domestic violence related offense.

There were a total of **475** participants in 2018

In 2018...

Onondaga County Integrated

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COURT

served **93** new families.

Syracuse City

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COURT

handled approximately **680** new misdemeanors & **161** new felonies.