

Domestic Violence

✓ Spanish Language ✓ Families ✓ Housing Insecure

Adelante Familia Spanish Program of House of Ruth

3734 Eastern Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21224
(410) 732-2176
www.hruth.org/get-help/adelante-familia/

Línea en Español: (410) 732-2177
Línea de 24-Horas: (410) 889-7884 (Oprima 8)

The only comprehensive intimate partner violence program in Maryland providing specialized intimate partner violence intervention services for Spanish-speaking victims and abusers, including programs for women, men, and educational programs for children. They are a women-centered advocacy model with a focus on providing comprehensive, linguistically and culturally-specific services as they pertain to case management (one-on-one support), individual and group counseling, education, and advocacy. Their model focuses on securing the safety of women and children within the context of promoting empowerment, individual responsibility, and healing.

Services

FREE

- Client service coordination, Emergency shelter for women and children in imminent danger, Language services, Culturally-specific services, Education, Onsite childcare and health clinic, Transitional housing, Legal clinic services, Individual and group counseling, and Domestic abuse intervention.

Languages: Spanish-speaking professionals are available.

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House of Ruth

2201 Argonne Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21218
(410) 889-0840
www.hruth.org/get-help/

24-Hour Hotline: (410) 889-7884

House of Ruth is a domestic violence shelter for women and children, with counseling, supportive, and legal services. 24-hour hotline provides confidential counseling, entry to shelter, and referrals to counseling programs.

Services

FREE

- Client service coordination, Emergency shelter for women and children in imminent danger, Language services, Culturally-specific services, Education, Onsite childcare and health clinic, Transitional housing, Legal clinic services, Individual and group counseling, and Abuse intervention.

Languages: Spanish-speaking professionals are available.

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Counseling, Helpline and Aid Network for Abused Women (Chana)

101 West Mount Royal Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21201
(410) 234-0023
www.chanabaltimore.org/

Email: info@chanabaltimore.org
Hotline: 410-234-002

You May Be Experiencing Domestic Violence if Your Partner is...

- Physically hurting you in any way
- Possessive of you
- Displaying jealous behavior
- Constantly putting you down
- Reacting to you with an explosive temper or extreme mood swings
- Controlling your actions or decisions
- Controlling your finances
- Pressuring or forcing you into unwanted sexual activity
- Refusing to allow medical treatment
- Isolating you from family or friends
- Making false accusations against you
- Checking your cell phone or email without permission

Information Provided By: Springboard Community Services of Maryland; <https://www.springboardmd.org/>

Chana operates a safe-house for Jewish women and their children who are in crisis and need to be away from the abusive partner or parent.

Services

FREE

- Trauma-informed supportive counseling, Legal advocacy, Shelter, Support groups, Crisis intervention, Education, and Consultation for people in Northwest Baltimore City and County who are experiencing physical, psychological, sexual, financial, and/or spiritual abuse. Chana also has an Elder abuse program to prevent, intervene, respond to, and mitigate abuse.

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Family and Children's Services of Central Maryland

4623 Falls Road
Baltimore, MD 21209
(410) 366-1980
www.springboardmd.org/

24-hour Hotline: 410-828-6390

Family and Children's Services of Central Maryland provides services that support individuals and families by offering programs designed to help individuals and

families solve problems or prevent issues from becoming disabling. The programs address issues including relationship disruption, family violence, sexual abuse, parent/child issues, teen pregnancy prevention, single or teen parenthood, and elder care. Some services are offered in a community setting or at home.

Services

FREE

- Trauma services including treatment and support for adult, senior, and child victims of crime, domestic violence, abuse, or neglect; Crisis services including transitional shelter, food, clothing, counseling, and support; Victim services including support groups for victims of domestic violence, including women, men, LGBTQ, and Spanish speakers; Counseling including individual, family, and child therapy; Support groups; Psychiatry services including behavioral health assessment and medication management; Services for foster grandparents; and Services for homeless youth and young adults.

Other Locations:

Carroll County: 22 North Court St., Westminster, MD 21157
Phone: (410) 876-1233
Harford County: 44 East Gordon St., Bel Air, MD 21014
Phone: (410) 838-9000
Howard County: 10451 Twin Rivers Rd., #100, Columbia, MD 21044
Phone: (410) 997-3557

✓ Children

✓ Families

✓ Parents and Guardians

The Family Tree

2108 N. Charles Street
Baltimore, MD 21218
(410) 889-2300
www.familytreemd.org/programs/

Email: info@familytreemd.org

Parenting Hotline: (800) 243-7337

The Family Tree is the leading authority in Maryland for the prevention of child abuse and neglect. Their vision is that all children are raised in safe and supportive families and communities. They do that through proven, research-based programs that strengthen families and break the cycle of abuse and neglect.

Services

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- Parenting classes, Home visiting, Family counseling, Children and youth services, Parent leadership and support groups, and Programs for kids and parents.

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✓ Human Trafficking

✓ Immigrant

Turnaround

2300 N. Charles Street, Suite 404
Baltimore, MD 21218
(410) 837-7000
www.turnaroundinc.org

24-Hour Hotline: (443) 270-0379

Crisis TEXT Hotline: (410) 498-5956

Turnaround provides wrap-around and therapeutic services for survivors of human trafficking, and sexual and intimate partner violence.

Services

FREE

- Crisis response services including a 24/7 help line, Trauma therapy, Advocacy and resources, Community engagement and training, Abuser intervention program (26-week program for domestic violence offenders), and Legal services (free legal consultation and representation on family law, civil cases, victim rights, and protective orders).

Statistics:

Prevalence of Domestic Violence

- 1 in 3 women are at one time in their lives victims of domestic violence.
- More women between the ages of 15 and 44 are injured due to domestic violence than are injured in car accidents, muggings, and rapes combined.
- An estimated half of all women murdered in the U.S. are killed by their current or former male partner.
- 15% of men will be victims of severe physical violence by an intimate partner during their lifetime.
- 1 in 15 children are exposed to intimate partner violence each year, and 90% of these children witness the violence firsthand.
- Nationwide, 50% of homeless women and children left their homes to escape domestic violence.
- It is projected that approximately 50% of lesbian women and 25% of gay men will experience domestic violence in their life time.

Statistics from Baltimore:

- Violent domestic crime in Baltimore has risen 31% in 2021, increasing from 354 incidents in the first three months of 2020 to 462 in the first three months of 2021, police data show. Reports of domestic aggravated assaults have risen by 35%, from 266 to 359 during the same period.

Information Provided By: Springboard Community Services of MD; <https://www.springboardmd.org/>

Center for Child and Family Traumatic Stress at Kennedy Krieger

1750 E. Fairmount Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21231
(443) 923-5980
www.kennedykrieger.org

Other Important Notes: <https://www.kennedykrieger.org/sites/default/files/library/documents/patient-care/centers-and-programs/traumatic-stress-center/traumatic-stress-center-treatment-info-sheet.pdf>

The Center for Child and Family Traumatic Stress at Kennedy Krieger Institute provides mental health evaluation and treatment services to children, adolescents, and families who have experienced or may be at risk for trauma through physical or sexual abuse, neglect, domestic violence, and community violence. The education, training, and technical assistance offered to parents, professionals, and community organizations promotes greater understanding of the developmental, emotional, and behavioral consequences of trauma and communicates the most effective ways to provide care.

Services



- Psychiatric evaluation and follow-up, Psychological testing, Mental health assessments, Therapeutic interventions (individual, family, and group), Case management (in center and within the community), and Consultations with schools or other child-serving agencies.

Languages: Spanish, telephone-based translation services, American Sign Language.

AVANZA! Clinic Kennedy Krieger Institute

1741 Ashland Avenue, 3rd Floor
Baltimore, MD 21205
(443) 923-5980
<https://www.kennedykrieger.org/patient-care/centers-and-programs/traumatic-stress-center/treatment/clinic>

The AVANZA! Clinic provides trauma-informed and culturally competent mental health treatment services to Latino children and their families who are primarily Spanish-Speaking. Treatment addresses diverse difficulties and complex trauma exposures including sexual abuse, physical abuse, community violence, domestic violence, and stressors related to immigration experiences. Clinicians are fully bilingual and aware of issues that pertain specifically to the mental health treatment of Latino families.

Services



- Psychiatric evaluation and follow-up, Psychological testing, Mental health assessments, Therapeutic interventions (individual, family, and group), Case management (in center and within the community), and Consultations with schools or other child-serving agencies.



Alternative Ways to Get Help Now!

800-799-7233

Call The National Domestic Violence Hotline to receive immediate help or guidance 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Text START to 88788

The National Domestic Violence Hotline can provide you with the same assistance via text 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

www.thehotline.org

Visit the National Domestic Violence Hotline's website for immediate assistance.