



CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO

Domestic Violence Westside Program

COUNSELING

Our trained professionals provide one-on-one and group counseling to survivors of domestic violence. Clients have the opportunity to learn how to be safe, explore the impact that their relationship has had on their lives, and learn about the dynamics of domestic violence.

CASE MANAGEMENT

Advocacy and empowerment based support groups to assist clients and their children in breaking the cycle of domestic violence. Linkages and referrals for Orders of Protection, Legal, Food, Shelter, Housing and Employment.

COMMUNITY EDUCATION

Outreach and trainings to community groups and parishes on prevention, awareness and services for domestic violence.

OVERVIEW

The Domestic Violence Westside Program provides free and confidential services to individuals and their families impacted by domestic violence. Individuals who are survivors of a pattern of physical and psychological abuse, threats, intimidation, isolation or economic coercion by another person in order to exert power and control in the context of dating, family or household relationship.

The goal of the program is to empower survivors, assist them in regaining control of their lives and ultimately move toward healing. Targeted area for services are communities located on the Westside of Chicago. Our staff provide counseling, case management, outreach and advocacy for domestic violence survivors. Our goal is to collaborate with agencies and service organizations to increase prevention, awareness and services for domestic violence to the community.

SERVICES:

- Domestic Violence Counseling
- Safety Planning
- Case management and Advocacy
- Mental health services, if needed
- Domestic Violence Support groups
- Life Skills Training groups
- Referral and Linkages to Catholic Charities programs including Legal, Food, Health Care, Shelters, and Housing
- Community Education and Seminars on Healthy Relationships
- Outreach and Training for Parishes, Hospitals and Schools

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INTAKE: (312) 655-7106

In case of an emergency please contact:

Illinois 24-hour DV hotline: (877) 863-6338 or TTY hotline (877) 863-6339

If you are in immediate danger call 911



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