

## Partner Abuse Intervention Programs

Programs listed below are approved by the Illinois Department of Human Services to provide services like assessment, individual and group education, and case coordination with referral sources for individuals identified as having used violence and/or abuse toward their intimate partner. These services can help you accept responsibility for your behavior, learn about and modify abusive attitudes and beliefs, and give you the tools and skills to become and remain a healthy, supportive and caring partner and parent.

### Chicago

*Avance* – Spanish & English; males & females  
4765 N. Lincoln Ave: 773.293.1770

*Counseling Center of Illinois* – Polish & English  
4515 N. Milwaukee: 773.777.6767

*Deer (Re)habilitation Services*  
3936 W. Roosevelt: 773.826.0398

*Healthcare Alternative Systems*  
Spanish & English; males & females  
2755 W. Armitage Ave: 773.252.3100

*La Familia Unida* – Spanish & English  
3047 W. Cermak Rd.: 773.522.7798

*Polish/American Association* – Polish & English  
3834 N. Cicero Ave.: 773.282.8206

*Polish/Am. Fam. Intervention* – Polish & English  
6814 W. Archer Avenue: 773.586.9511

*Polish/American Family Services*  
Polish & English  
5146 W. Belmont: 773.283.3121

*Salvation Army Family & Community Services*  
5045 W. 47th St.: 773.735.6773

### Chicago, continued

*The Center for Domestic Peace, Inc.* – English  
*Centro para la Paz Domestica, Inc.* – Espanol  
813 S Western Avenue: 312.265.0206  
845 W. 69th St.: 773.994.3034

*Universal Family Connections, Inc.*  
1350 West 103rd Street: 773.881.171

### North Suburbs

*Associates in Human Development*  
Rolling Meadows: 847.483.0800

*Behavioral Services Center* – Russian & English  
Skokie: 847.673.8577

*Center for Contextual Change*  
Skokie: 847.676.4447

*Counseling Center of Illinois*  
Arlington Heights: 773.777.6767

*Salvation Army* – Spanish & English  
Arlington Heights: 847.392.0265  
Hoffman Estates: 847.392.0265

*Zabin & Associates*, Evanston: 847.677.3055

*YWCA Evanston/North Shore*  
Evanston: 224.420.3266

### South Suburbs

*Crisis Center of South Suburbia*  
Evergreen Pk. & Tinley Park: 708.429.  
7233

*South Suburban Family Shelter*  
Spanish & English; males & females  
multiple locations: 708.794.2140

### West Suburbs

*Pro-Health Advocates* – Spanish & English  
Cicero: 708.652.7190

*David L. Gates & Associates* – Spanish & English  
Des Plaines: 847.296.8300

*Deer (Re)habilitation Services*  
Forest Park: 773.826.0398

*Resurrection Behavioral Health*  
Spanish & English; males & females  
Melrose Park: 708.410.0615

*Corporate Health Resource Center, Inc.*  
Oak Park: 708.383.6770

*Sarah's Inn*  
Oak Park: 708.386.3305 x 1009

## Other Resources

### Supervised Visitation/Visitation Exchange Sites

The Supervised Child Visitation and Safe Exchange programs listed below provide a safe setting where a non-custodial parent can visit with their children. Supervised visitation is a monitored visit designed to assure that a child can have safe contact with a visiting parent without having to be put in the middle of the parents' issues. These Centers also offer supervised exchange of children so that you do not have contact with the other parent during the transfer of the child from one parent to another with the remainder of the visit unsupervised.

*Apna Ghar: Chicago & North Suburbs, 773.883.4663*

*Branch Family Institute: 773.238.1100*

*Metro Family Services: 773.884.2235*

*Mujeres Latinas en Accion: 312.226.1544*

*Polish American Association: 773.282.8206 x 343*

### Domestic Violence Hot Line

1.877.863.6338; TTY: 1.877.863.6339

Toll free, confidential, multilingual 24 hr.

### Legal Services

*Cabrini Green Legal Aid: 312.738.2452*

*CARPLS legal aid hotline: 312.738.9220*

*Illinois Legal Aid Online, website: [illinoislegalaid.org](http://illinoislegalaid.org)*

### Veterans

*Veterans Resource Center: Chicago, 773.962.3740*

*Oak Park Veterans Center: W suburbs, 708.383.3225*

*Evanston Veterans Center: N suburbs, 847.332.1019*

*Orland Park Veterans Center: SW suburbs, 708.444.0561*

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## Domestic Violence Division

# Respondent Resource Guide

## Now That You Have an Order of Protection Against You:

- ❖ Make sure you understand and follow the specific requirements of your Order of Protection.
- ❖ Refrain from violence and all types of abuse toward the petitioner or anyone else.
- ❖ Take it seriously, there could be severe consequences, including possible arrest for many violations.
- ❖ Understand the harm that has occurred to your child and the other parent.
- ❖ Take steps to change your violent and/or abusive behavior.

## What Steps Can You Take?

- ❖ Take responsibility for your emotional needs and develop appropriate ways of communicating and meeting those needs.
- ❖ Learn alternative skills in stress management and conflict resolution. Confront gender role stereotypes and family of origin experiences that influence how you learned abusive behavior.
- ❖ Ensure that any contact with your children is non-abusive and follows the Order of Protection.
- ❖ Begin the process of healing and repair. Reach out to one of the programs listed inside this brochure for support and assistance.

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