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## Mission

Transitions of PA is a crisis center that provides advocacy, empowerment, and education to victims, survivors, families, and communities to end patterns of violence and abuse.

## 2018 Annual Report

Answered **2,793** hotline calls.

Provided services to **2,520** adult victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.

Provided services **181** child victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.

Provided **8,671** hours of counseling to adult and child victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.

Provided **5,766** shelter nights to **175** adult and child victims of domestic violence.

Provided **131** victims of domestic violence with rental assistance and case management services.

Provided **170** prevention education programs to **4,452** students.

Provided **105** community awareness activities to **3,977** participants.

## Special Initiatives

[Trauma 101 Workshops](#) – Two-hour workshop that focuses on informing professionals about basic physical, mental, and social outcomes of trauma. The goal is to increase each participant’s knowledge of the impact of trauma as well as learn the basic skills need to become trauma-sensitive.

[Lethality Assessment Program](#) – Transitions is working with local law enforcement jurisdictions to implement an evidence-based screening tool at the scene of domestic violence to identify people at high risk and connect them to our services.

[Human Trafficking Response](#) – Transitions is a member of PAATH 15, a regional collaboration on behalf of labor and sex trafficking victims in counties along Route 15 in Pennsylvania.

[Mandated Reporter Training](#) – Certified trainers from Transitions provide education on mandated reporting of suspected child abuse. This training is approved by the Pennsylvania Department of Human Services.

[Rapid Rehousing](#) – Victims who are homeless as a result of domestic violence receive rental assistance and case management services to attain safe, affordable, and permanent housing without returning to an abusive partner.