

LifeWire

FACT SHEET



Overview LifeWire is on a mission to end domestic violence and create a world where every person lives in a safe environment, free from oppression, and with the opportunity to thrive. Since 1982, LifeWire has helped more than 145,000 survivors break free from abuse, find safety, create a stable home for themselves and their children, and heal. As Washington State’s largest domestic violence organization and a nationally recognized leader in the field, LifeWire delivers a comprehensive range of services aimed at meeting the needs of survivors of domestic violence and their families.

Mission LifeWire’s mission is to end domestic violence by changing individual, institutional and societal beliefs, attitudes and behaviors that perpetuate it.

Founded LifeWire, the first domestic violence agency in East King County, opened its doors in 1982 as Eastside Domestic Violence Program (EDVP).

Programs	Survivor Advocacy Services	Homelessness & Housing Stability Services	Community Engagement & Prevention
	24-Hour Helpline		
	Survivor-Driven Advocacy	My Sister’s Home (Emergency Shelter)	Prevention (in partnership with high schools & Bellevue College)
	Support Groups	My Friend’s Place (Transitional Housing)	
	Legal Advocacy	Flexible Funds	Social Change
	Mental Health Therapy	Short-Term Rental Assistance Services	Public Advocacy

Budget \$4.44 million. View [impact report](#), including stories. LifeWire is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization (Federal Tax ID #91-1190193).

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2018 Highlights:

- 4,242 survivors of Domestic Violence connected with LifeWire’s services to reach greater safety, freedom, and healing
- 1,094 survivors worked one-on-one with a LifeWire advocate to heal from physical, financial, emotional, and legal abuse
- 274 survivors and their 472 children found safer homes through homelessness and housing stabilization services
- 161 survivors who could not access counseling through insurance received Mental Health Therapy at LifeWire to heal from their experiences
- 260 survivors filed Domestic Violence Protection Orders and custody challenges and addressed other DV-related legal issues with help from LifeWire’s Legal Advocacy Services
- 2,539 high school and college students learned about dating violence and healthy relationships