

**Overview** Everyone needs a safe and healthy home to reach their highest potential and fully contribute to our community. At LifeWire, we help adults, children, and youth who have been impacted by domestic violence to build safer, healthier homes by offering support, resources, and professional services including survivor advocacy, mental health therapy, legal advocacy, shelter, and housing. And we work with youth and young adults to develop healthy foundations early in life, preventing future violence.

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

**Founded** LifeWire, originally Eastside Domestic Violence Program or EDVP, has served survivors and their families in east and north King County, Washington since 1982.

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

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

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### 2019 Highlights:

- 3,172 survivors of Domestic Violence connected with LifeWire’s services to reach greater safety, freedom, and healing
- 908 survivors worked one-on-one with a LifeWire advocate to heal from physical, financial, emotional, and legal abuse
- 282 families found safer homes through homelessness and housing stabilization services
- 264 survivors who could not access counseling through insurance received Mental Health Therapy at LifeWire to heal from their experiences
- 202 survivors filed Domestic Violence Protection Orders and custody challenges and addressed other DV-related legal issues with help from LifeWire’s Legal Advocacy Services
- 2,276 high school and college students learned about dating violence and healthy relationships