

Main Priorities

DV Funding

Funding for domestic violence services has been level for years

VOCA Cuts

Cuts to primary funding streams, such as VOCA, result in catastrophic financial implications for DV programs & service disruption for survivors

Contract Reform

Domestic violence advocates spend hours on grant reporting for 6+ funders...time that could be spent directly meeting survivor needs

Living Wages

DV advocates are frontline, essential workers who deserve to be well compensated for their skills and the services they provide

Legislative Priorities

A.1309 L. Rosenthal/S.2278 Cleare

Permits DV survivors to dispute coerced debt

A.2105A Meeks/S.214A Myrie

Expands eligibility for victims of crime to access victim compensation funds

A.2583 Hevesi/S.15 Gounardes

Expands shelter capacity for single adult DV victims by requiring the state to provide full reimbursement when a shelter room intended for double occupancy is used to house a single individual

A.3346A Hevesi/S.3170A Skoufis

Requires courts to conduct a review of any findings or allegations of DV, child abuse, heightened danger and risk of lethality before issuing orders of custody or visitation