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| ADVOCACY RESOURCES  |                        |
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| Ayuda   | 202-387-4848           |
| assistance for immigrant victims  | ayuda.com              |
| Child and Adolescent Protection Center  | 202-476-4100/476-5000  |
| services for abused children and adolescents  | childrensnational.org  |
| Chinatown Service Center  | 202-898-0061           |
| social services for Asian residents   | cccdc.com              |
| DC Rape Crisis Center   | 202-333-7273           |
| 24-hour sexual assault hotline/counseling   | dcrapecrisiscenter.gov |
| Domestic Violence Intake Center   | www.dccourts.gov       |
| SE Satellite Intake Center  | 202-879-1500           |
| Anacostia Professional Building<br>2041 Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue, SE, Room 400<br>Washington, DC 20020<br>Monday – Friday from 8:30 am to 4 pm |                        |
| DC Superior Court, Room 4550  | 202-879-0152           |
| Moultrie Court House, Room 4550, Civil Protection Orders  | 202-879-0152           |
| DV Clerks Office, Room 4510, Anti-stalking Orders   | 202-879-0157           |
| <a href="https://www.probono.net/dccourts/domesticviolence/">https://www.probono.net/dccourts/domesticviolence/</a>                                 |                        |

| BATTERER’S INTERVENTION RESOURCES                     |                      |
|---|----------------------|
| CSOSA Restorative Justice and Victim Services Program | 202-220-5721         |
|   | Luella Johnson       |
| Interdynamics Anger Management Program                | 301-306-4590         |
|   | interdynamicsinc.com |

| SYSTEMS BASED RESOURCES                           |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| MPD Victim Services Branch                        | mpdc.gov 202-724-4339    |
| USAO Victim Witness Assistance Unit               | justice.gov 202-252-7130 |
| Crime Victim Compensation Office                  | 202-879-4216             |
| financial assistance for victims of violent crime | dccourts.gov             |
| Victim Information Notification Everyday (VINE)   | 877-329-7894             |
|   | doc.dc.gov               |

| EMERGENCY SHELTER  |                       |
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| DASH – District Alliance for Safe Housing/Housing Center | 202-290-2356 ext. 101 |
| House of Ruth  | 202-667-7001          |
| 24 hour shelter  | houseofruthdc.org     |
| My Sister’s Place  | 202-529-5261          |
| 24 hour shelter  | mysistersplacedc.org  |

| INFORMATION/REFERRAL RESOURCE                                    |  |
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| National Organization for Victim Assistance                      | 1-800-879-6682                               |
| 24 hr. crisis intervention, referrals, information               | trynova.org                                  |
| National Center for Victims of Crime (24 hour DC Victim Hotline) | 1-844-443-5732                               |
|  | victimsofcrime.org                           |
| DC Victim Hotline 24/7   | call/text at 1-844-4HELP-DC (1-844-443-5732) |
|  | dcvictim.org                                 |
| Mayor’s Citywide Information Line                                | 311  |

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