

## FVPSA Grants to States and Territories FY 02-05

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State/Territory	FY 02	FY 03	FY 04	FY 05
Alabama	\$ 1,467,105	\$ 1,478,259	\$ 1,459,120	\$ 1,456,225
Alaska	\$ 722,241	\$ 724,900	\$ 723,849	\$ 723,880
American Samoa	\$ 124,459	\$ 126,403	\$ 125,648	\$ 125,630
Arizona	\$ 1,600,382	\$ 1,644,095	\$ 1,665,286	\$ 1,685,611
Arkansas	\$ 1,121,265	\$ 1,129,607	\$ 1,120,294	\$ 1,120,260
California	\$ 7,204,366	\$ 7,387,302	\$ 7,373,404	\$ 7,384,094
Colorado	\$ 1,438,669	\$ 1,469,084	\$ 1,468,652	\$ 1,469,686
Connecticut	\$ 1,264,024	\$ 1,273,804	\$ 1,264,919	\$ 1,262,197
Delaware	\$ 752,788	\$ 756,627	\$ 756,046	\$ 756,943
District of Columbia	\$ 711,541	\$ 712,496	\$ 707,541	\$ 704,618
Florida	\$ 3,716,278	\$ 3,825,637	\$ 3,848,663	\$ 3,888,144
Georgia	\$ 2,196,212	\$ 2,249,342	\$ 2,257,771	\$ 2,268,794
Guam	\$ 124,459	\$ 126,403	\$ 125,648	\$ 125,630
Hawaii	\$ 836,228	\$ 840,872	\$ 840,057	\$ 838,683
Idaho	\$ 852,298	\$ 859,878	\$ 860,811	\$ 863,333
Illinois	\$ 3,021,540	\$ 3,055,605	\$ 3,015,355	\$ 3,002,936
Indiana	\$ 1,785,586	\$ 1,802,935	\$ 1,782,647	\$ 1,778,929
Iowa	\$ 1,170,581	\$ 1,175,068	\$ 1,161,973	\$ 1,158,405
Kansas	\$ 1,124,193	\$ 1,130,109	\$ 1,119,873	\$ 1,117,023
Kentucky	\$ 1,388,073	\$ 1,399,805	\$ 1,386,026	\$ 1,383,598
Louisiana	\$ 1,471,370	\$ 1,478,471	\$ 1,458,277	\$ 1,453,501
Maine	\$ 848,587	\$ 853,123	\$ 849,242	\$ 848,967
Maryland	\$ 1,632,720	\$ 1,657,438	\$ 1,651,561	\$ 1,650,499
Massachusetts	\$ 1,837,960	\$ 1,854,981	\$ 1,828,035	\$ 1,812,749
Michigan	\$ 2,537,819	\$ 2,565,463	\$ 2,524,105	\$ 2,511,332
Minnesota	\$ 1,559,210	\$ 1,578,184	\$ 1,565,752	\$ 1,564,105
Mississippi	\$ 1,154,657	\$ 1,162,251	\$ 1,149,990	\$ 1,148,674
Missouri	\$ 1,690,966	\$ 1,707,515	\$ 1,688,893	\$ 1,687,649
Montana	\$ 775,912	\$ 777,926	\$ 775,159	\$ 775,182
Nebraska	\$ 933,666	\$ 937,040	\$ 932,002	\$ 930,232
Nevada	\$ 989,624	\$ 1,014,322	\$ 1,027,800	\$ 1,041,283
New Hampshire	\$ 840,956	\$ 847,715	\$ 845,798	\$ 845,612
New Jersey	\$ 2,240,648	\$ 2,269,117	\$ 2,248,929	\$ 2,244,128
New Mexico	\$ 954,681	\$ 959,842	\$ 957,833	\$ 959,730
New York	\$ 4,300,070	\$ 4,340,051	\$ 4,263,080	\$ 4,234,009
North Carolina	\$ 2,169,472	\$ 2,210,460	\$ 2,204,807	\$ 2,214,330
North Dakota	\$ 725,218	\$ 724,813	\$ 720,989	\$ 719,898
N. Mariana Islands	\$ 124,459	\$ 126,403	\$ 125,648	\$ 125,630
Ohio	\$ 2,813,659	\$ 2,837,482	\$ 2,782,908	\$ 2,765,806
Oklahoma	\$ 1,272,816	\$ 1,280,694	\$ 1,270,294	\$ 1,265,968
Oregon	\$ 1,267,112	\$ 1,283,207	\$ 1,279,469	\$ 1,279,393
Pennsylvania	\$ 2,994,586	\$ 3,017,214	\$ 2,960,364	\$ 2,944,847
Puerto Rico	\$ 1,151,222	\$ 1,349,256	\$ 1,340,349	\$ 1,336,146
Rhode Island	\$ 804,403	\$ 808,318	\$ 805,422	\$ 804,244
South Carolina	\$ 1,382,271	\$ 1,399,304	\$ 1,391,624	\$ 1,393,454
South Dakota	\$ 747,181	\$ 748,844	\$ 745,894	\$ 745,700
Tennessee	\$ 1,709,309	\$ 1,729,217	\$ 1,715,095	\$ 1,715,309
Texas	\$ 4,665,732	\$ 4,795,207	\$ 4,822,063	\$ 4,850,718
Utah	\$ 1,035,428	\$ 1,046,529	\$ 1,048,857	\$ 1,051,539
Vermont	\$ 718,710	\$ 720,611	\$ 718,177	\$ 717,446
Virgin Islands	\$ 124,459	\$ 126,403	\$ 125,648	\$ 125,630
Virginia	\$ 1,980,184	\$ 2,014,021	\$ 2,009,930	\$ 2,009,942
Washington	\$ 1,749,248	\$ 1,777,996	\$ 1,770,393	\$ 1,772,545
West Virginia	\$ 952,595	\$ 954,486	\$ 945,567	\$ 943,110
Wisconsin	\$ 1,645,821	\$ 1,662,701	\$ 1,644,573	\$ 1,641,231
Wyoming	\$ 696,279	\$ 697,266	\$ 695,679	\$ 695,741
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 87,121,298</b>	<b>\$ 88,482,102</b>	<b>\$ 87,953,789</b>	<b>\$ 87,940,898</b>

# FAMILY VIOLENCE PREVENTION AND SERVICES ACT

Funding Need: \$175 million

The President's FY '07 Budget requests \$125 million for this program, \$50 million less than authorized.

FVPSA funding for emergency domestic violence shelters and services provides life-saving emergency shelter, crisis lines, counseling, victim assistance, and programs for underserved communities. These programs are the heart of our nation's response to domestic violence. Domestic violence shelters provide essential services to hundreds of thousands of women, men and children across the United States. Over the past 20 years, shelters have evolved to provide a wide spectrum of residential and nonresidential services. These programs can only succeed in their goal of providing safety if they are also able to provide victims with practical assistance such as food, clothing, transportation, life-skills training and services for children.

To respond to the needs of victims of domestic violence, there are over 2000 community-based domestic violence programs for battered women and children, providing emergency shelter to approximately 300,000 women and children and providing services such as counseling, legal assistance, and preventative education to millions of women, men and children annually.<sup>7</sup>

## The Need

Increased training for police, prosecutors, and court officials has greatly improved the response of the criminal justice system to victims of domestic violence. These programs have been so successful that many more victims are now referred for services and demand has steadily risen for the emergency shelter, hotlines and supportive services funded by FVPSA. The National Domestic Violence Hotline receives so many calls that it is unable to answer 13% of them. In the FY '06 Congressional budget, FVPSA Programs/Shelters received \$126 million in appropriations – \$49 million below the authorized level of \$175 million. This funding simply does not meet the need for emergency services – in 2004, over a quarter of a million women and children were turned away from domestic violence centers due to lack of available resources.<sup>8</sup>

Over 8.8 million children witness domestic violence in the home each year.<sup>9</sup> Recognizing the need for specific services for children, Congress passed the Keeping Children and Families Safe Act of 2003, which amended FVPSA to provide a portion of all appropriations over \$130 million to programs serving children who witness domestic violence. Such programs have been identified as a top priority by the Bush administration. This year we have the unique opportunity to fund these children's services and take a crucial step toward preventing future violence.

## The Solution: Fully Fund FVPSA at \$175 million in FY 2007

When victims in life-threatening situations step forward, they must receive immediate assistance. Yet shelters overwhelmingly report that they cannot fulfill the growing need for these services. Increased funding for FVPSA will provide critically needed direct services to victims of domestic violence and their children.

**We ask that Congress follow through on its commitment to victims of domestic violence and their children by fully funding FVPSA at \$175 million in the fiscal year 2007.**

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