

State of Alaska



Council on Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault

OUR VISION

Alaska, free from domestic and sexual violence

OUR MISSION

The Council provides safety for Alaskans impacted or victimized by domestic violence and sexual assault through a system of statewide crisis intervention, perpetrator accountability and prevention services

OUR PURPOSE

“There is established in the Department of Public Safety the Council on Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault. The purpose of the council is to provide for planning and coordination of services to victims of domestic violence or sexual assault or to their families and to perpetrators of domestic violence and sexual assault, and to provide for crisis intervention and prevention programs.”

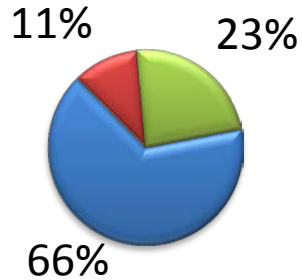
Alaska Statute § 18.66.010

COUNCIL MEMBERS AND STAFF

- Four public members appointed by the Governor-one designated as “rural”
- Commissioners or designees from the Departments of Public Safety, Law, Corrections, Health and Social Services and Education
- Executive Director
- Program Coordinators
- Research Analyst
- Office Assistant and Administrative Assistant

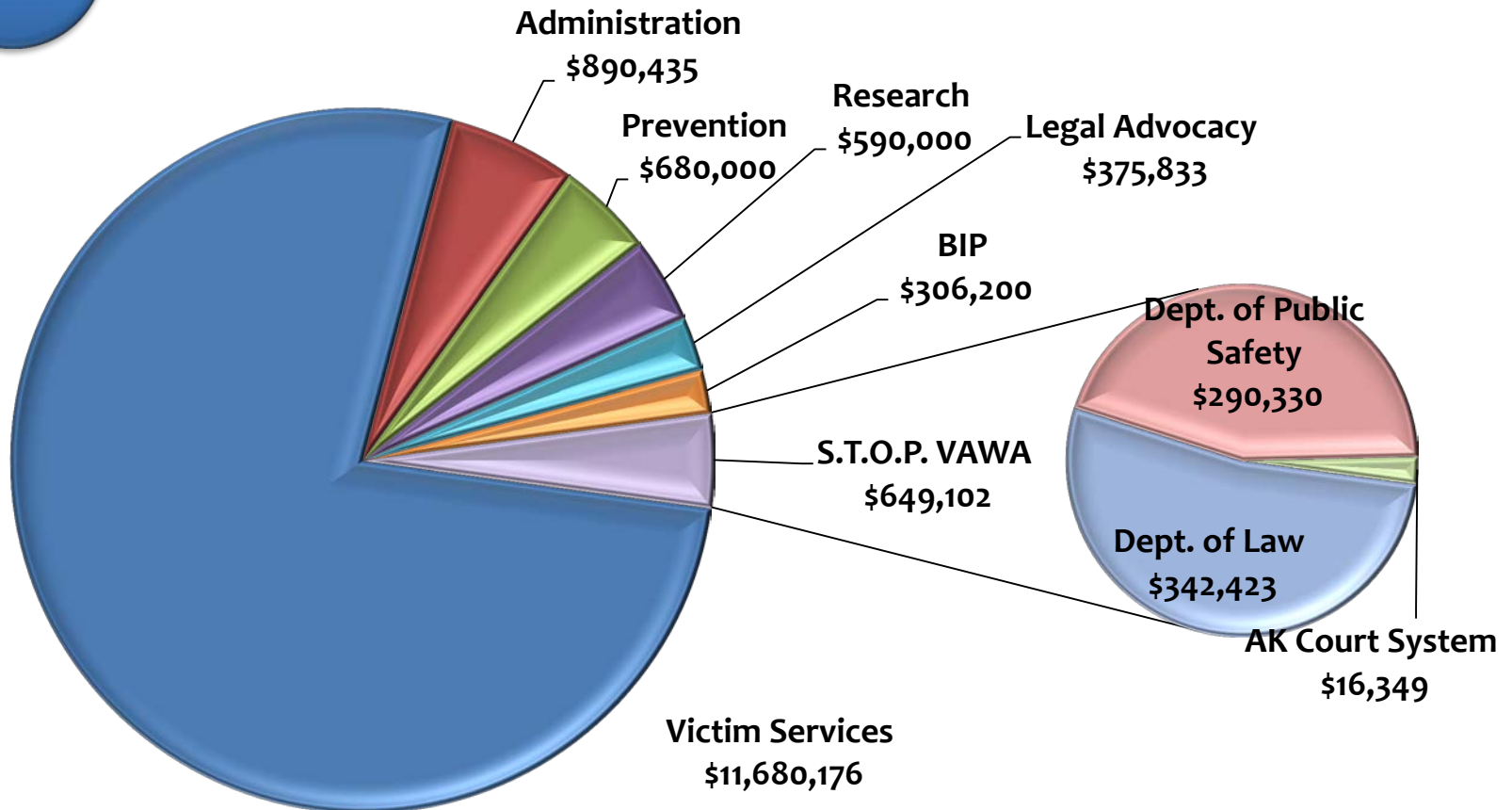
FY 12 EXPENDITURES

AUTHORIZED



■ General Fund

ACTUALS



STATUS OF FY 2013 INCREMENTS

- Direct UGF increases to CDVSA: \$830.5
 - Funds to victim service providers
 - Prevention-Green Dot, Summit, Girls on the Run
 - Data collection-Batterers Intervention Programs (BIPs)
 - DVSA Initiative Workgroup
- Year 3-RSAs through Governor's Office: \$910.0 I/A
 - Research-Alaska Victimization Survey, 4th R
 - Pro Bono-Continuing Legal Education and Low Bono
 - Public Education/Media Campaign

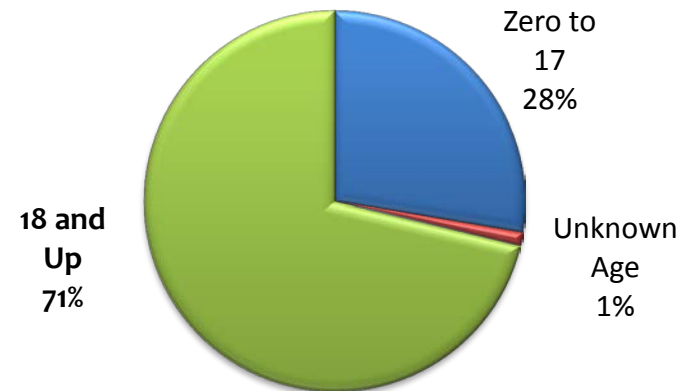
ACCOMPLISHMENTS/CHALLENGES

- Crisis Intervention
 - Victim service programs
 - Batterers intervention programs
 - SART-sexual assault response teams
 - STOP-services*training*officers*prosecutors
 - GTEA-grants to encourage arrest
 - SAFT-safe Alaska family teams
- Research
 - AVS-Alaska Victimization Survey
 - Dashboard
 - 4th R
- Prevention
 - Summit, 4th R, Green Dot, Girls on the Run, Mini-grants

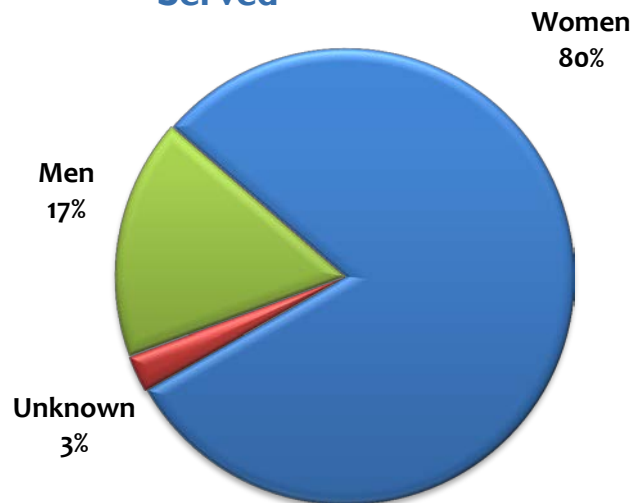
VICTIM SERVICE PROGRAMS

Alaska Fiscal Year	Number of Persons Seeking Services	% Reporting Domestic Violence	% Reporting Sexual Assault	% Reporting Stalking	% Reporting all Other Violent Crimes
2010	9,548	70%	23%	4%	15%
2011	9,895	72%	20%	3%	16%
2012	9,349	73%	19%	3%	14%

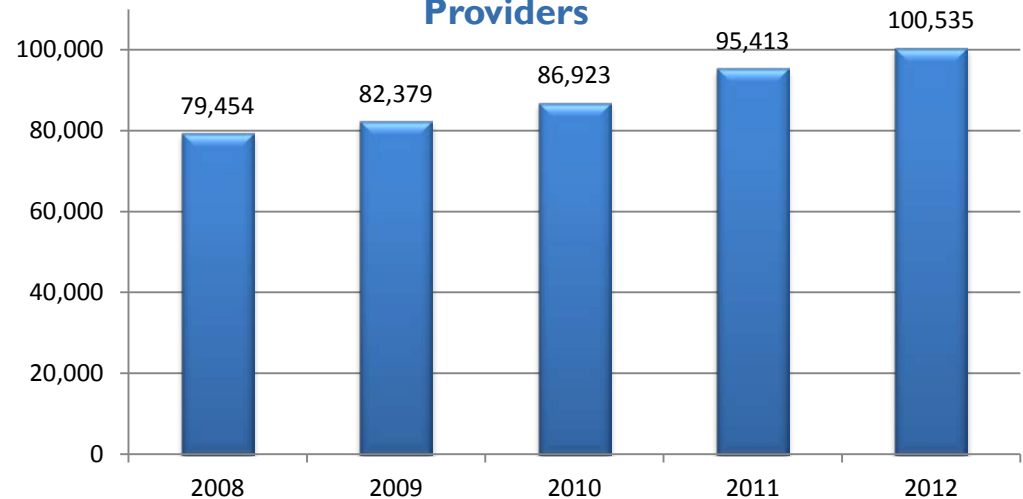
FY12 Age of Persons Served



FY12 Gender of Persons Served

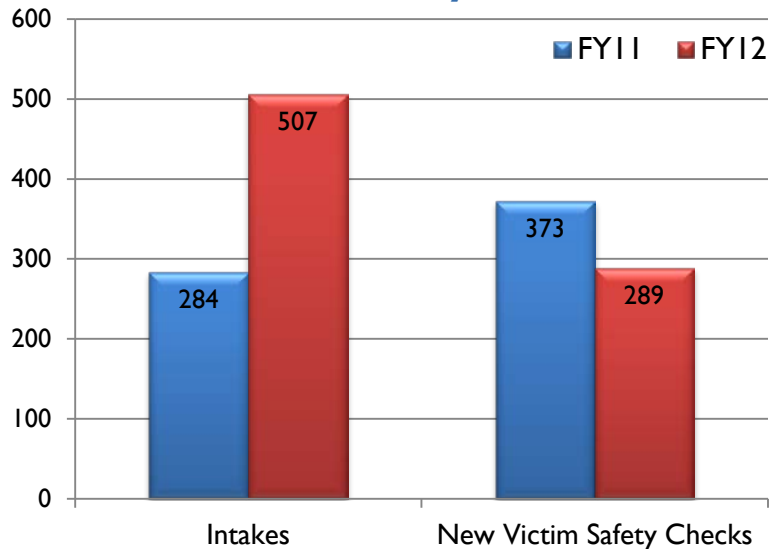


Shelter Nights Provided by Victim Service Providers

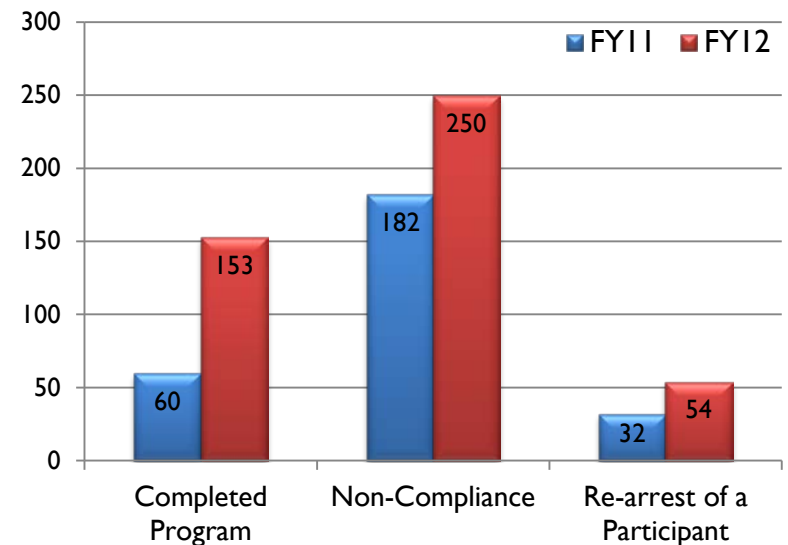


BATTERERS INTERVENTION PROGRAMS

Intakes and Safety Checks



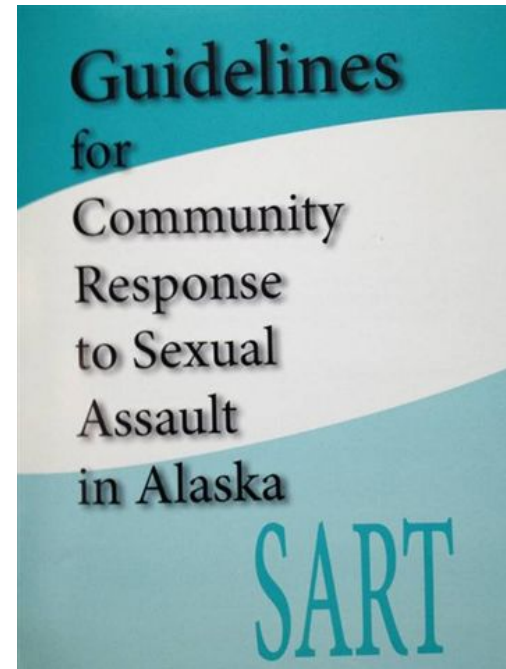
Participant Completion



During Fiscal Year 12, fifteen approved batterer intervention programs operated in Alaska. Eleven were community based Batterers Intervention Programs (BIP) and four were Prison Batterers Programs (PBP). All of these programs have the primary goal of victim safety. The Council collaborates with the Department of Corrections to provide these programs. In FY12, the majority of participants admitted into batterers' programs were court-ordered. *Numbers in graphs are for services provided only by Council-funded programs.*

TRAINING/TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

- **SART**-Sexual Assault Response Teams
- **SAFT**-Safe Alaska Family Team
- **GTEA**-Grants to Encourage Arrest
- **STOP**-
Services*Training*
Officers*Prosecutors



LEGAL ADVOCACY

- Pro Bono Attorney Program
 - Direct legal representation, training/mentoring to participating attorneys
 - Legal forms bank and practice manual
 - Continuing legal education
 - \$375.0 investment--\$868.0 return
- Technical Assistance for Legal Advocates
- Materials to help people understand the process

RESEARCH

- AVS-statewide

- Regional: Bethel, Kodiak, Sitka

- Mat-Su, Kenai, Ketchikan

38 experienced intimate partner violence (IPV):



23 experienced sexual violence:



44 experienced intimate partner violence, sexual violence, or both:



- Dashboard

- Compilation of population indicators

- 4th R

- Evaluation of Curricula in High Schools

Kodiak, Bethel, Kotzebue, Barrow, Juneau and Valdez

“I think the Fourth R has completely changed the way I’ve taught. I really enjoy it. It’s reinvigorated me”..

4th R teacher

PREVENTION

- Summit-14 communities: Anchorage, Barrow, Bethel, Cordova, Craig, Dillingham, Emmonak, Fairbanks, Glennallen, Juneau, Kenai, Ketchikan, Old Harbor, Sitka
- Green Dot- Homer, Prince of Wales, Kenai, Anchorage, Fairbanks
- Mini-grants-Anchorage, Craig, Emmonak, Homer, Beaver, Juneau, Bethel, Dillingham, Ketchikan and Sitka

PREVENTION—4TH R

- Emphasizes skill development through role plays and practice: negotiation skills, delay skills and yielding to peer pressure
- Promotes healthy relationships and draws the links among relationships and risk behaviors
- Provides whole-class, small group and dyadic discussion opportunities to process issues with peers and teacher, time to examine individual values, beliefs, boundaries and limits



COACHING BOYS INTO MEN

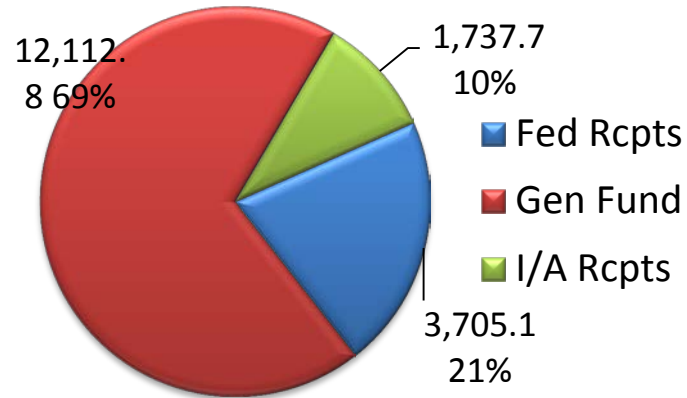


- *6 teams in Juneau, 1 in Ketchikan and 1 in Fairbanks implementing program this year
- *42 participants at January 2013 training
- *partnering with ASAA (Alaska School Activities Association)
- *Organizing technical support for coaches implementing the curriculum

The Thunder Mountain High School boy's basketball team sign a pledge against violence toward women and girls as part of the Coaching Boys into Men program they have joined. The pledge stated: "I pledge to never commit, condone or remain silent about violence against women and girls." The Juneau-Douglas Crimson Bears signed the pledge also, as did Governor Sean Parnell, who spoke to the fans in attendance. Coaching Boys into Men has been championed by the Falcons and Crimson Bears, with many opposing teams taking the pledge while in Juneau and local middle school sports teams becoming involved as well.

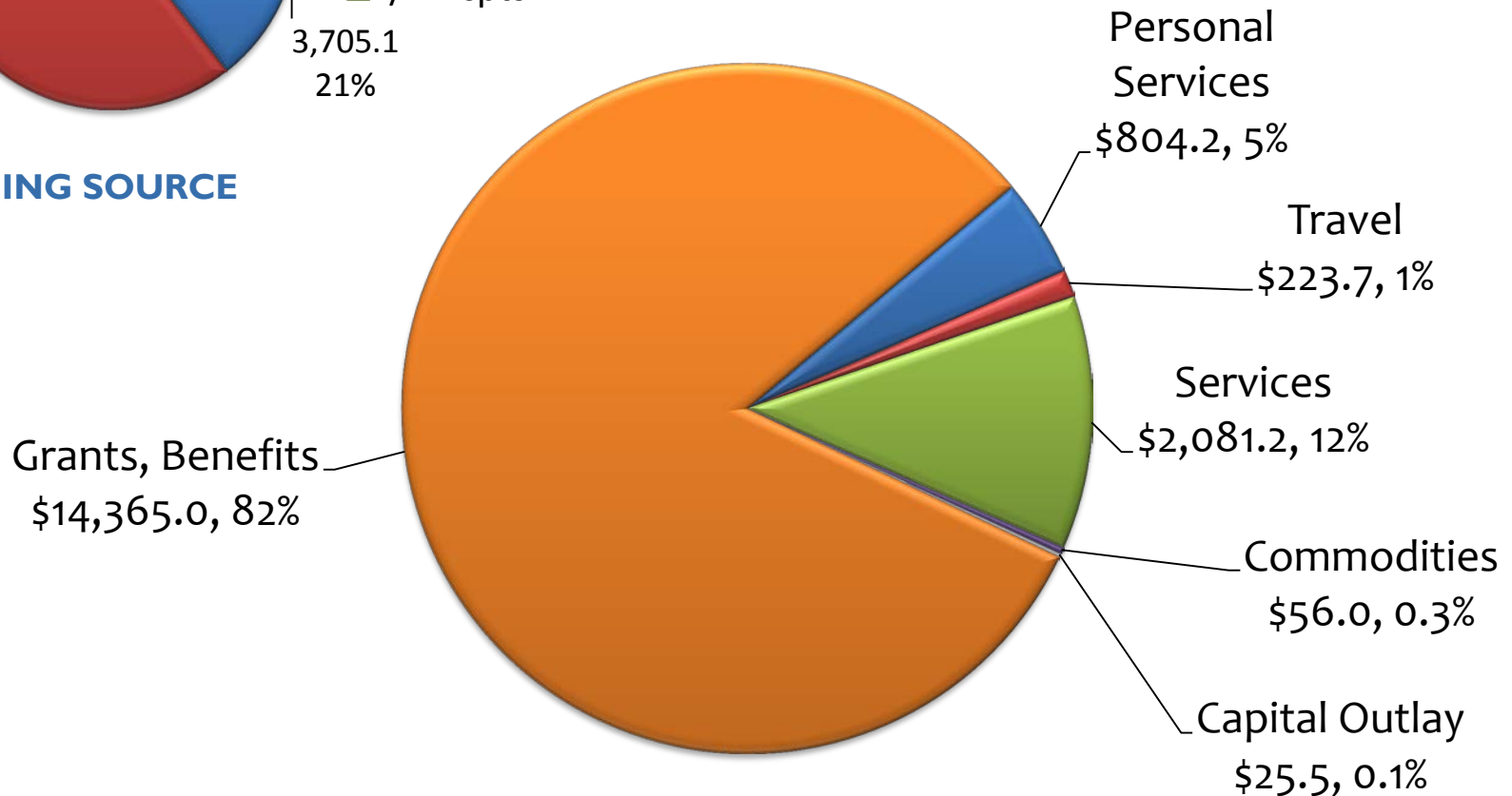
Juneau Empire 2.5.2013

FY 14 BUDGET : \$17,555.6



FUNDING SOURCE

BUDGET BY LINE ITEM



FY 2014

SIGNIFICANT OPERATING CHANGES

- Provide Additional Grant Funds to Maintain Existing Services to Adults and Children, \$287.5 GF
- Grants to Non-profits to Provide New Community Prevention Coordinators, \$300.0 GF
- Grants to Non-profits to Provide Non-residential Services to Victims in Remote Areas (Emerging Programs), \$250.0 GF
- Coaching Boys to Men Violence Prevention Curriculum, \$50.0 GF