

## RESOURCES:

DV hotlines and shelters remain open!  
Many are utilizing hotel space when needed

Virtual and remote services are being provided such as:

- Temporary Protective Orders
- Support groups
- Intakes and safety planning



If you or someone you know is experiencing Domestic Violence, call 1-800-33-HAVEN (1.800.334.2836)



SCAN QR CODE FOR  
LINK TO RESOURCES  
OR CLICK HERE

# INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE & Covid-19



When it's not  
"Safer at Home"

# COVID-19 has heightened barriers for DV survivors

## Isolation:

Abusers frequently isolate survivors as a control tactic. Unfortunately, isolation is what public health experts have recommended we must do to stop the spread of COVID-19, leading to more barriers for survivors seeking safety.

- Not able to see family/friends
- Working from home
- Less daily contact for someone to reach out to help
- Difficult to get away from abusers to get help and call a crisis line



Decrease in Income



Job Instability



Caring for Children



Schooling from Home



Conflict over Gender Roles



Financial Stress

## Medical/Health Concerns

Abusers may be controlling survivors access to safety items such as:

- Vaccines
- Masks
- Sanitizers
- Reliable information about COVID-19

**Survivors may have a fear of going to a shelter and being close to many strangers**