Domestic Violence Intervention Programs in North Carolina
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What are domestic violence intervention programs?
- Designed to educate offenders about their behavior and help them develop new methods of interacting with intimate partners, family members, and their communities
- 26 weeks long; virtual or in-person, depending on program
- 39 service providers working in 57 counties
- 26 counties have access to programs in Spanish

Where were referrals from?
- Total referrals: 3,163
- Criminal Court: 2,000
- Civil Court: 1,500
- Probation/Parole: 1,000
- DSS: 500
- Other: 0

Who participated?
- Of those referred, 2,518 people were accepted & enrolled
- 1,252 people completed the program → 90% men & 10% women
- 1,915 contacts were made to Victim Service Providers (domestic violence agencies)

Why do people not complete their DVIP?
- 18% of referrals were not enrolled because they did not show up for their intake appointment
- Excessive absences accounted for 70% of the individuals who were terminated from a DVIP

1. Other referrals were from mental health providers, substance abuse providers and self-referrals

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