

Interpersonal Violence

The intentional use of physical force or power against other persons by an individual or small group of individuals. Interpersonal violence may be physical, sexual, or psychological (also called emotional violence), and it may involve deprivation and neglect.

Harmony House

24/7 Hotline: 417-864-7223
Admin: 417-837-7700

<https://www.myharmonyhouse.org/>

Started by a concerned group of community members in 1976, Harmony House has been providing shelter and support services to domestic violence survivors ever since and has impacted the lives of over 21,000 individuals and their children who have been served to date.

Greene County Family Justice Center

417-874-2600

<https://greenecountyfamilyjusticecenter.org/>

The Greene County Family Justice Center offers services from many on-site, community partners in one safe location. All services are coordinated by a Navigator (community advocate) and are **free of charge and confidential**. Some of the services we offer include:

- Crisis intervention
- Safety planning
- Assistance in filing an emergency order of protection (ex parte)
- Assistance in accessing emergency shelter
- Basic legal information
- Civil legal representation including divorce, child custody, and orders of protection
- Assistance in filing a police report related to domestic or sexual violence
- Crisis counseling
- Prosecution services
- Assistance with community resources, including housing, Medicaid, food stamps, etc.
- Child protection services
- Assistance with child support orders and enforcement

The Victim Center

24/7 Hotline: 417-864-7233
Admin: 417-863-7273

<https://www.thevictimcenter.org/>

The Victim Center provides comprehensive victim advocacy services, which includes interacting with law enforcement agencies, medical personnel, social service agencies, and the civil and/or criminal justice system on behalf of the victim or their family.

- Safety Planning
- Emergency Ex Parte order of protection
- Assistance obtaining community resources and referrals
- Court, hospital, and law-enforcement accompaniment