

WHEN DOMESTIC **VIOLENCE HAPPENS**

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SUPPORT SERVICE DIVISION

DEPUTY & ADVOCACY **SERVICES**















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WHO WE ARE

The Sheriff's office is the only law enforcement agency in Gaston county that can serve court-ordered Domestic Violence Protection orders.

Advocates provide victim-centered, culturally appropriate crisis intervention, referrals to community services, and advocacy to those impacted by violent crime.

WHAT WE DO

VICTIM-CENTERED APPROACH

Our Advocates office is open Monday through Friday 8am-5pm.

SUPPORT & ADVOCACY

We educate and support victims and their families by assisting with the necessary paperwork; accompaniment to court and providing any relevant photography and printing services to help victims prepare for their case.

REFERRALS & RESOURCES

We connect victims with local resources in our community and provide direct referrals to the Women's Shelter, Hope United Survivor Network and Legal Aid.



IMPORTANT NUMBERS

THE CATHY MABRY CLONINGER CENTER: A DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTER

24-HR CRISIS LINE: 704-852-6000

GASTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

MAIN: 704-869-6800

DISPATCH: 704-862-6681

D.V. ADVOCATES: 704-869-6843

GASTON COUNTY COURTHOUSE

CLERK'S OFFICE: 704-852-3100

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE:

704-852-3113

COURT SERVICES: 704-671-1027

MAGISTRATES OFFICE:

704-852-3192

HOPE UNITED SURVIVOR NETWORK

704-862-6783

LEGAL AID OF NC

704-865-2357

NC S.A.V.A.N 877-627-2826