

\$20M needed to bridge cuts to VOCA programs to maintain crime victim services

3

MOVA-funded agencies serving Barnstable County

3,021

appx. number of individuals served by MOVA-funded agencies in Barnstable County in FY23

IMPACTED AGENCIES

- Barnstable County Sheriff's Office
- County of Barnstable - Children's Cove Advocacy Center
- Independence House

Highlights

- Bridge funding will mitigate cuts to 115 subrecipients of MOVA-awarded funding
- All programs funded by MOVA will have services and staffing reduced on July 1, 2024 without a critical, lifeline investment from the state
- The need for services, both in-person and remote, has increased exponentially as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic. Victims need consistent support now more than ever
- MOVA-funded programs are serving more victims than ever before in our agency's history, as illustrated by our FY23 data collection
- From FY18 to FY23, the total number of individuals served by MOVA-funded programs in MA has increased by approximately 56%

3 most reported victimization types in Barnstable County



COURTS WITH SAFEPLAN SERVICES

Provided by Independence House
SAFEPLAN is a court-based civil advocacy program that supports survivors seeking protection from abuse

- Barnstable Probate and Family Court
- Barnstable District Court
- Falmouth District Court
- Orleans District Court

Contacts to share your support

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