

# Domestic & Family Violence



The NSW Government continues to lead the nation with more than \$350 million over four years to tackle domestic violence by supporting victim-survivors and holding perpetrators to account.



## 2017-18 Budget Highlights

**\$25 million** 

**FOR START SAFELY** private rental subsidy to help people escaping violence move from homelessness into stable housing in the private rental market.

**\$13 million** 

**FOR SAFER PATHWAY** to continue the state-wide implementation of the multi-agency response to high-risk victims with 15 new sites in the next 12 months.

**\$5.1 million** 

**FOR POLICE HIGH-RISK OFFENDER TEAMS** including the roll-out of two new teams in 2017-18.

**\$10 million** 

**FOR THE NEXT ROUND OF THE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE INNOVATION FUND** to invest in innovative prevention, early intervention and crisis responses.

**THIS INVESTMENT IS IN ADDITION** to the hundreds of millions of dollars the government spends each year to combat domestic and family violence through mainstream services in justice, police, health, child protection, social housing and homelessness services.

## Supporting victim-survivors in 2017-18

**\$10 million**

**FOR WOMEN'S DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COURT ADVOCACY SERVICE** to support victims through the criminal justice system.



**\$6.2 million**

**FOR STAYING HOME LEAVING VIOLENCE** to support women and their children remain safely at home.



**\$3.7 million**

**FOR INTEGRATED DFV SERVICE PROGRAM,** a coordinated multi-agency initiative to prevent the escalation of domestic and family violence.



**\$1.7 million**

**FOR THE NSW DOMESTIC VIOLENCE LINE** to provide information, support and advice to victims 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.



**\$1.5 million**

**FOR SERVICE SYSTEM MONITORING AND CAPABILITY BUILDING.**



## Holding perpetrators to account in 2017-18

**\$10 million**

**FOR BEHAVIOUR CHANGE INTERVENTIONS FOR HIGH RISK OFFENDERS.**



**\$4.9 million**

**FOR NGO-LED COMMUNITY BASED PERPETRATOR INTERVENTIONS** to support people to change their behaviour.



**\$840K**

**FOR MORE GPS TRACKERS TO IMPROVE VICTIM SAFETY.**



**\$600K**

**FOR NO TO VIOLENCE** to help men address their problems with violence.



## GETTING HELP



For information and support call the NSW Domestic Violence Line on 1800 656 463 or 1800 RESPECT on 1800 737 732



For crisis accommodation and referral call Link2Home on 1800 152 152



For men wanting to address violent behaviour call No To Violence Men's Referral Service on 1300 766 491