

**Office on Violence Against Women
Discretionary Grants**
Recovery Act Technical Assistance Program
Report Period: January 1-June 30, 2010

The purpose of the Technical Assistance Program is to provide OVW grantees and others in the field with the training, expertise, and problem-solving strategies they need to meet the challenges of addressing domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.

Total number of projects reporting	9
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Type of Lead Organization:

Type of lead organization providing technical assistance	Number of projects
Advocacy organization (22% of all projects reporting)	2
State/Tribal/Territory Coalition (11%)	1
Training organization (11%)	1
University/college (11%)	1
Other ¹ (44%)	4

Areas addressed by Technical Assistance projects:

Area	Number of projects	Area	Number of projects
Sexual assault	8	Underserved populations	4
Domestic violence	7	Criminal/civil justice	3
Dating violence	6	Law enforcement	3
Stalking	6	Courts	3
Tribal issues	5	Probation	2

¹. Community-based violence prevention non-profit, Native American 501(c)(3), etc.

Staff: Technical Assistance Program staff provides training, consultation, and information to service providers about responding to victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.

Total number of projects using funds for staff: **7** (78% of all projects reporting)

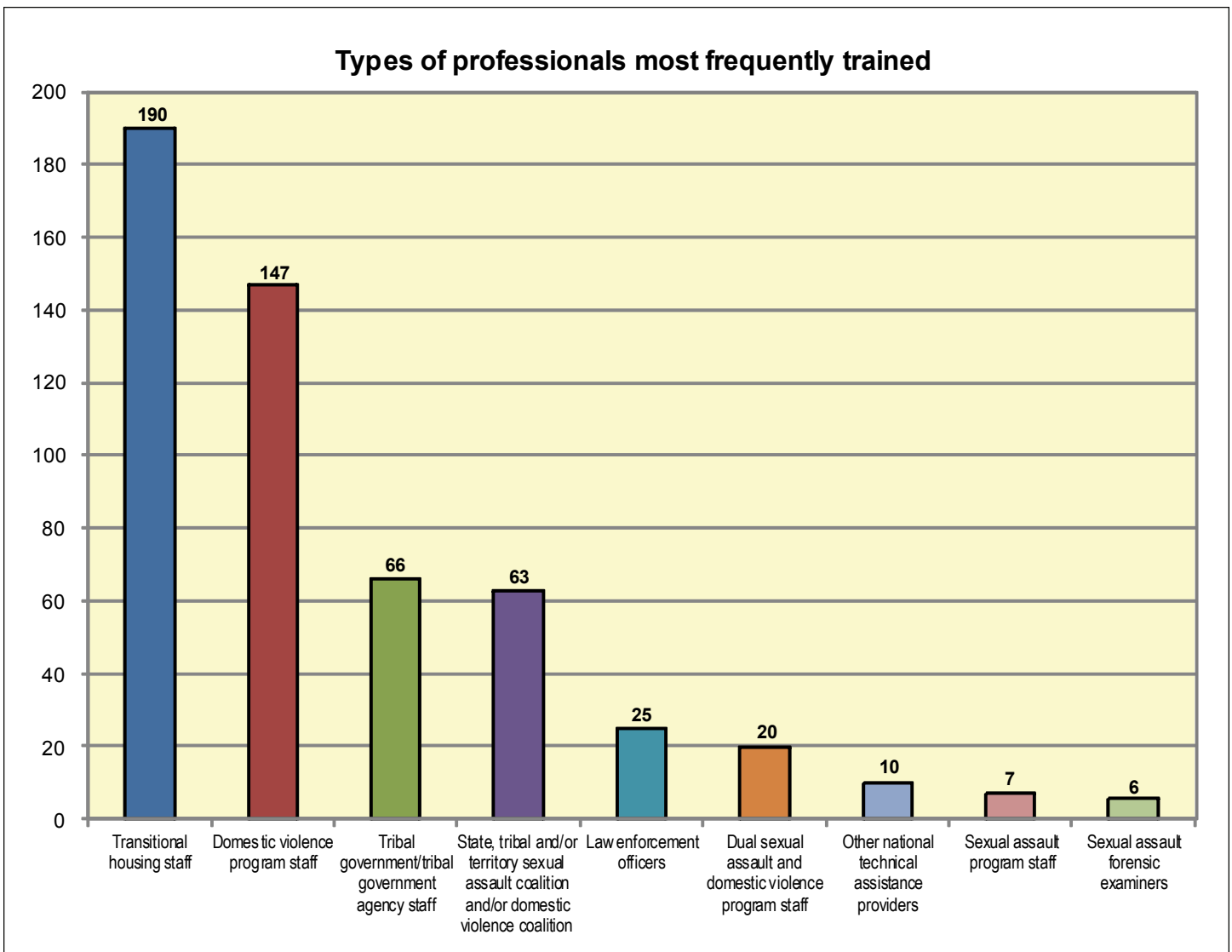
Total number of full-time equivalent staff funded: **11**

Training: Technical Assistance Program grantees train professionals to improve the response to victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking and to increase offender accountability.

Total number of projects using funds for training: **6** (67% of all projects reporting)

Total number of people trained: **541**

Number of training events: **14**

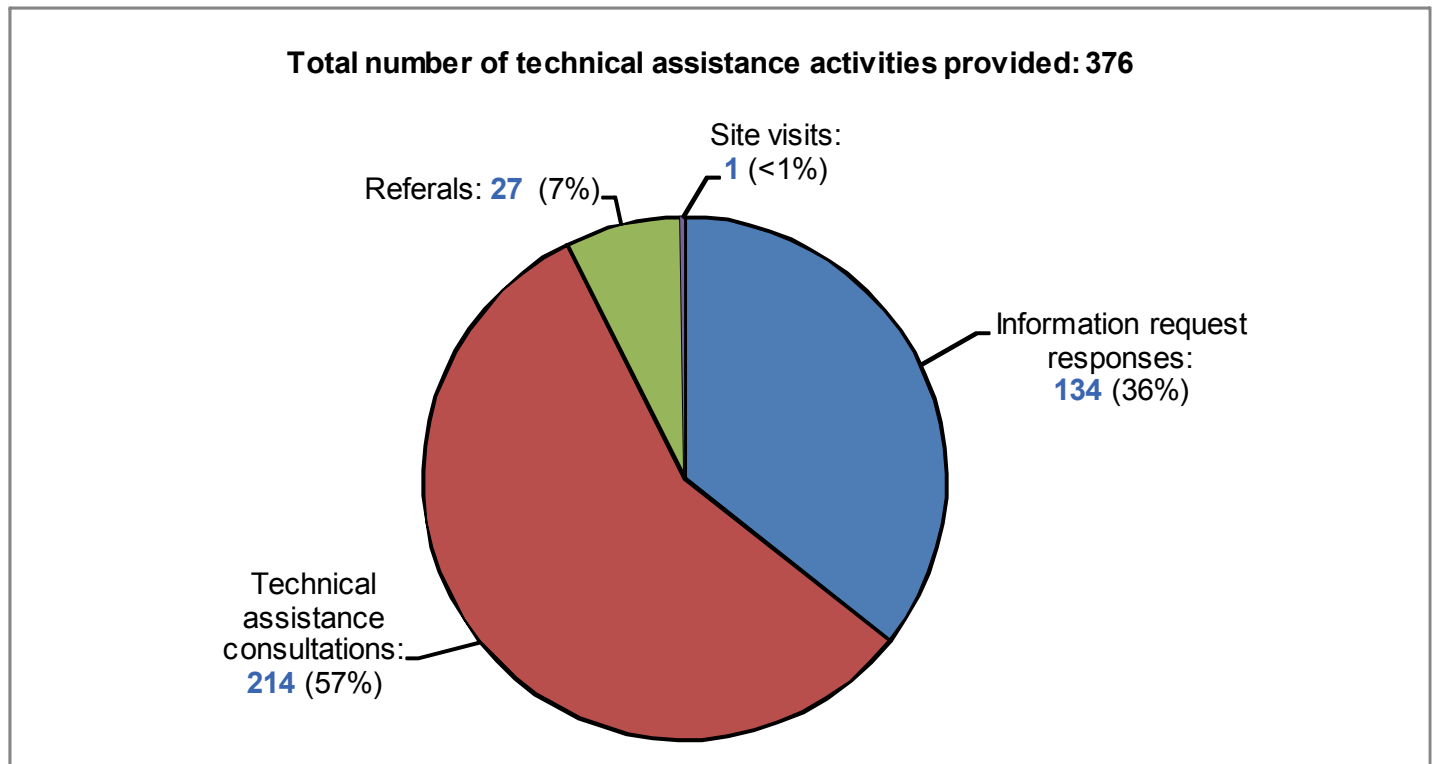


Topics on which projects provided training²

Training topic	Number of projects training on this topic	Training topic	Number of projects training on this topic
Domestic violence overview, dynamics, and services	4	Domestic violence statutes/codes	2
Issues specific to victims/survivors who are American Indian or Alaska Native	4	Dynamics and history of violence against American Indian and/or Alaska Native women	2
Advocate response	3	Grants administration skills	2
Cultural issues specific to American Indians and/or Alaska Natives	3	Outreach to underserved populations	2
Transitional housing	3	Safety planning for victims/survivors	2
Tribal strategies to address sexual assault domestic violence, dating violence or stalking	3	Sexual assault overview, dynamics, and services	2
Confidentiality	2	Sexual assault statutes/codes	2

Technical Assistance: Technical Assistance Program grantees provide technical assistance to service providers through site visits, technical assistance consultations, information request responses, and referrals.

Total number of projects using funds for technical assistance: **4** (44% of all projects reporting)



² Not all topics reported by projects are presented here.

Topics on which projects provided technical assistance ³	Number of projects providing technical assistance on this topic
Policy/protocol development	4
Program development	4
Board development for sexual assault, domestic violence, and stalking programs	3
Coordinated community response	3
Collaboration	3
Curricula and training issues	3
Grant guidelines	3
Response to sexual assault victims/survivors	3
Response to domestic violence victims/survivors	3
Safety planning	3

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