

**Office on Violence Against Women  
Discretionary Grants  
Enhanced Training and Services to End Violence and  
Abuse of Women Later in Life Program  
Report Period: July 1–December 31, 2009**

The purpose of the Abuse in Later Life Program is to provide or enhance training and services<sup>1</sup> to address elder abuse, neglect, and exploitation, including domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking against victims who are 50 years of age or older.

Total number of grantees reporting	<b>31</b>
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**Training:** Abuse in Later Life Program grantees provide training to criminal justice professionals, governmental agencies, and community-based elder and victim service agencies to enhance their ability to address elder abuse, neglect, and exploitation in their communities, and provide cross training to professionals working with older victims.

Total number of grantees using funds for training: **17** (55% of all grantees reporting)

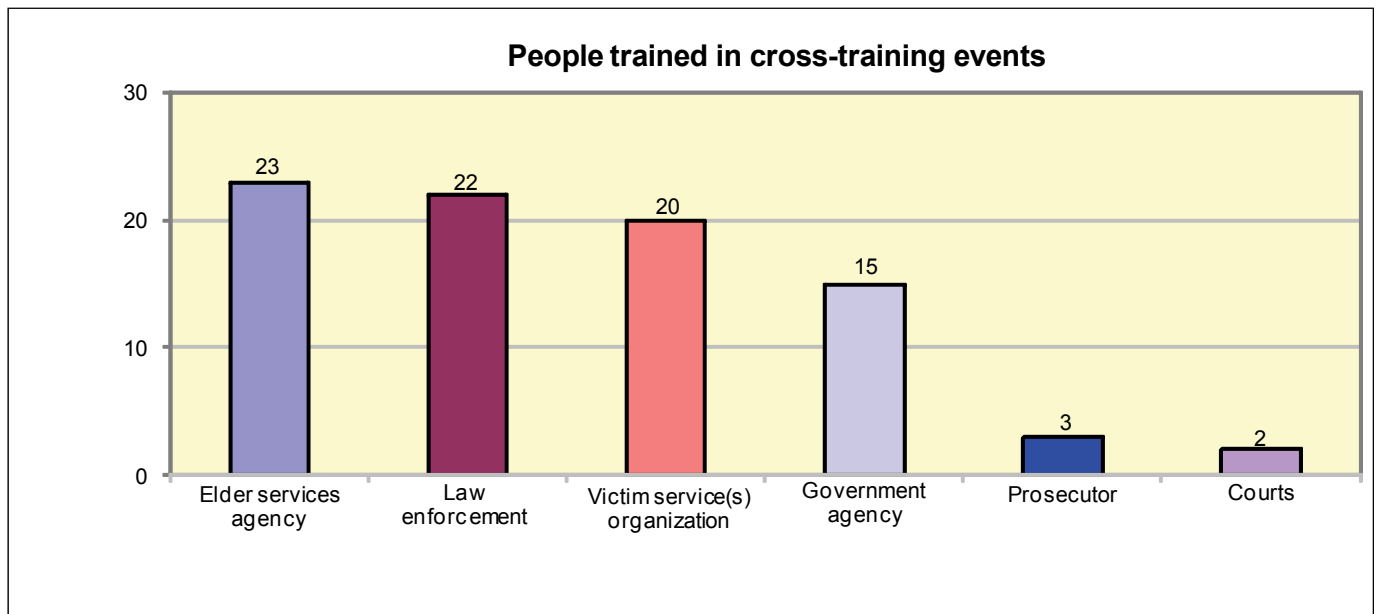
Total number of training events provided for law enforcement officers and/or detectives/investigators: **62**

Total number of people trained in the mandatory and/or advanced law enforcement training events: **1,328**

Total number of people trained in the mandatory local direct services training events: **15**

Total number of cross-training events: **2**

Total number of people trained in the cross-training events: **99**



<sup>1</sup> All grantees must submit an implementation plan for approval to OVW prior to providing victim services. It is expected that some Abuse in Later Life Program grantees will begin providing services to victims in 2010.

**Staff:** Abuse in Later Life Program staff provides training and information to agencies to increase victim safety and offender accountability.

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Total number of grantees using funds for staff: **27** (87% of all grantees reporting)

<b>Total number of full time equivalent staff funded<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>24</b>
Program coordinator (54% of all staff funded)	13
Administrator (17%)	4
Support staff (13%)	3
Trainer (8%)	2
Victim advocate (4%)	1

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<sup>2</sup>. Categories are rounded to the nearest whole number and only categories with at least one full FTE after rounding are included.