



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 sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking.

Number of projects reporting	<b>174</b>
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**Type of Lead Organization:**

Type of lead organization providing technical assistance	Number of projects
Training organization (26% of all projects reporting)	46
Advocacy organization (22%)	38
Membership or professional organization (14%)	24
State/Tribal/Territory Coalition (10%)	17
Policy/research institute (9%)	16
University/college (8%)	14
Victim services (6%)	10
Faith-based organization (2%)	3
Other <sup>2</sup> (3%)	6

**Areas addressed by Technical Assistance projects:**

Area	Number of projects	Area	Number of projects
Domestic violence	135	Criminal/Civil justice	71
Sexual assault	130	Courts	53
Underserved population	98	Law enforcement	51
Stalking	96	Tribal issues	41
Dating violence	91	Probation	32

<sup>1</sup> This report contains selected data submitted by Technical Assistance Program grantees on a semi-annual progress report.

<sup>2</sup> American Indian owned 501(c)(3) non-profit, non-governmental fiscal sponsor for a faith-based agency, National Resource Center, etc.

**Staff:** Technical Assistance Program staff provide training, consultation, and information to service providers about responding to victims/survivors of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking, and holding offenders accountable.

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Number of projects using funds for staff: **142** (82% of all projects reporting)

Total number of full-time equivalent staff funded: **247**

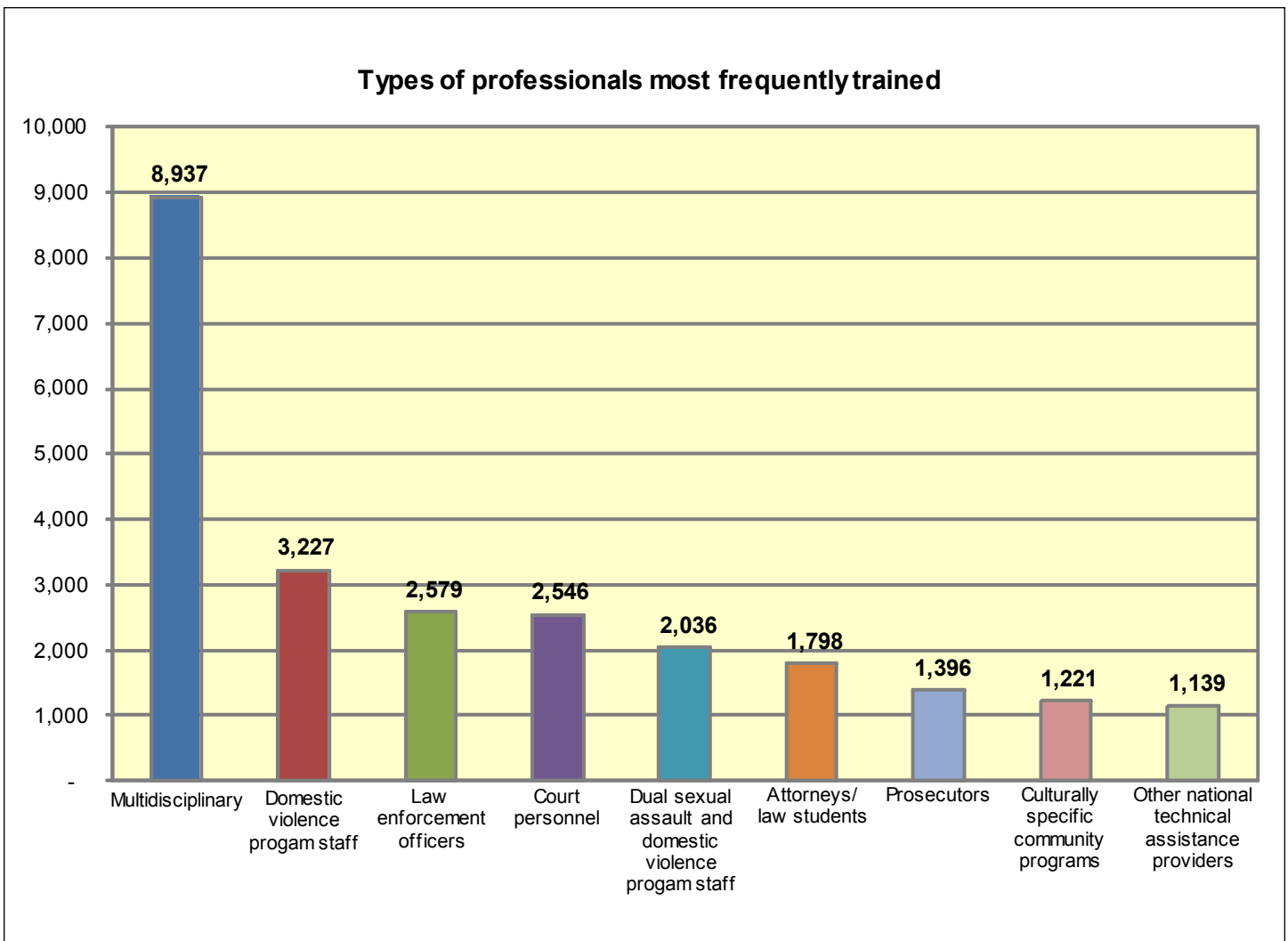
**Training:** Technical Assistance Program grantees train professionals to improve the response to victims/survivors of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking, and to increase offender accountability.

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Number of projects using funds for training: **93** (53% of all projects reporting)

Total number of people trained: **34,903**

Number of training events: **652**

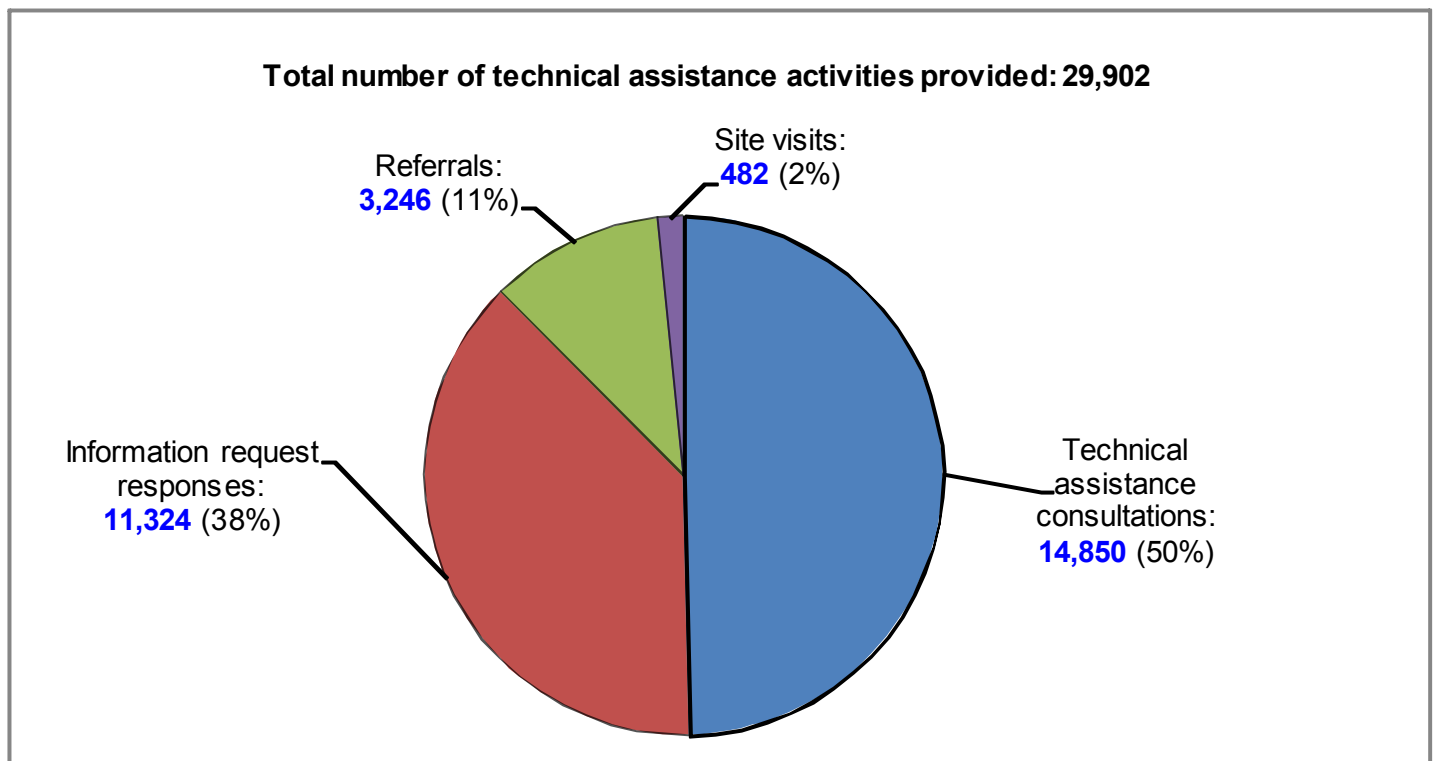


### Topics on which projects provided training<sup>3</sup>

Training topic	Number of projects training on this topic	Training topic	Number of projects training on this topic
Advocate response	61	Safety planning for victims/survivors	45
Domestic violence overview, dynamics, and services	56	Issues specific to victims/survivors who are immigrants, refugees, or asylum seekers	42
Coordinated community response	52	Outreach to underserved populations	42
Issues specific to victims/survivors who live in rural areas	52	Sexual assault overview, dynamics, and services	42
Confidentiality	45	Law enforcement response	41

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

Number of projects using funds for technical assistance: **104** (60% of all projects reporting)



<sup>3</sup> Not all topics reported by projects are presented here.

Topics on which projects provided technical assistance <sup>4</sup>	Number of projects providing technical assistance on this topic
Curricula and training issues	73
Collaboration	69
Policy/protocol development	64
Response to domestic violence victims/survivors	62
Program development	59
Coordinated community response	57
Response to sexual assault victims/survivors	57
Safety planning	45
Law enforcement response	44
Court response	43
Civil legal services for victims/survivors	42
Developing or enhancing culturally and linguistically appropriate services for underserved populations	41
Standards of service for sexual assault, domestic violence, and stalking programs	35
Data collection	31
Program evaluation	31

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