

# Illinois Coalition Against Domestic Violence

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## Fact Sheet

### Domestic Violence Services—Illinois\* For State Fiscal Year 2002

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VOCA Funded Illinois domestic violence programs\* served 47,384 adults (96% women) and 11,019 children. Services include 24 hour hotline, 24 hour emergency shelter, individual and group counseling, court and other advocacy, public education/information and referrals. Approximately 78% of clients were non-residential clients and approximately 22% of clients received shelter.

Programs provided over 553,000 hours of service to victims of domestic violence and their children. This is 63 hours of service provided every hour of every day in FY02.

Programs provided over 252,300 days of shelter to victims and their children.

Approximately 60% of the children served were under the age of 8 and approximately 82% were under the age of 11.

Programs also provided public education to 111,976 persons; professional training to 35,665 persons including medical, social service, criminal justice, and others; and school prevention programs to 154,978 students.

Approximately 7% of adults served had disabilities. Approximately 7% of children served had disabilities.\*\*

Of the adult clients, approximately:

- 50% were employed;
- 4% were on TANF
- 43% were married
- 63% had 2 or less children.

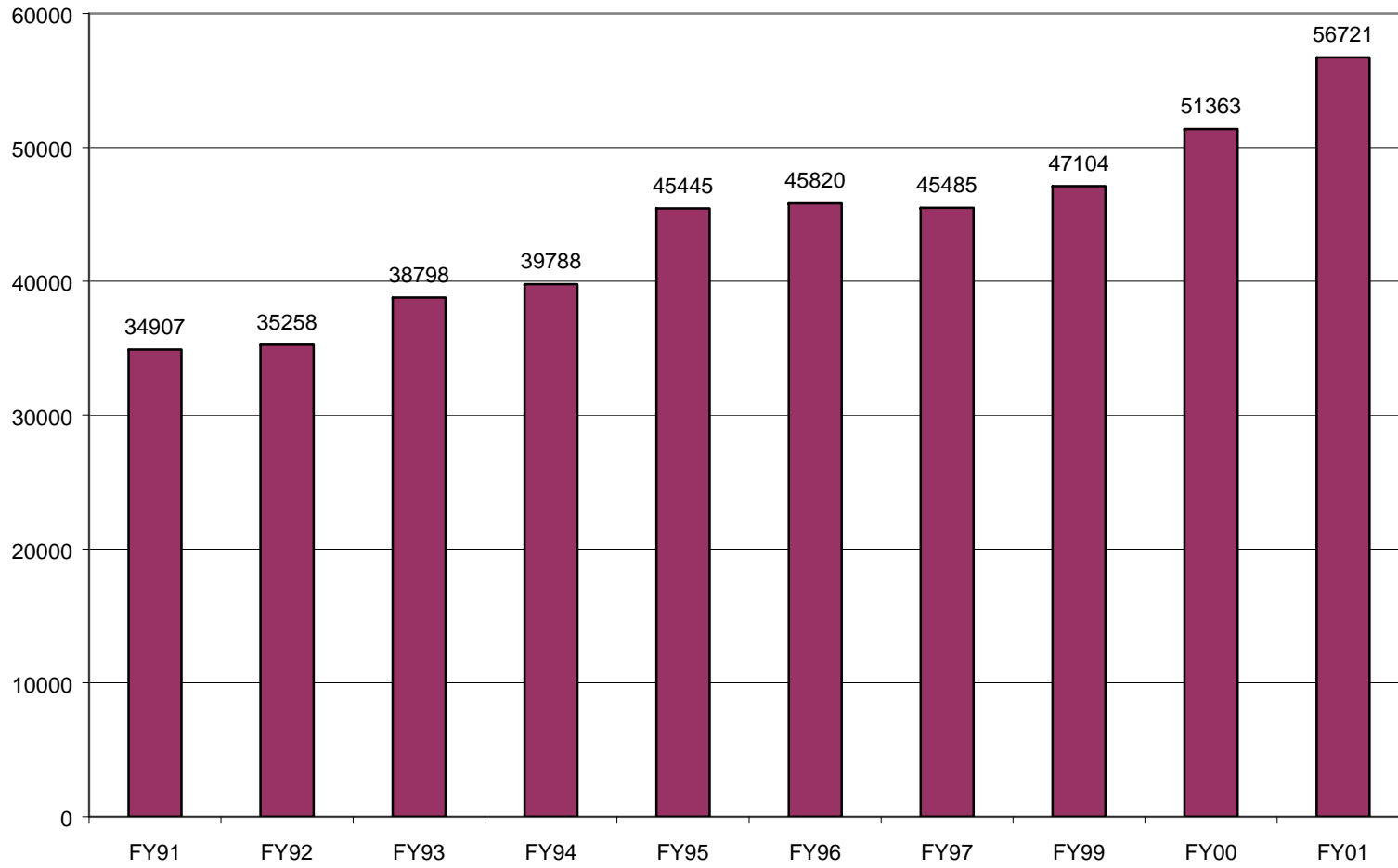
Programs answered over 183,000 hotline calls.

\*Data reflects services provided by 51 VOCA funded programs, not all DHS funded programs.

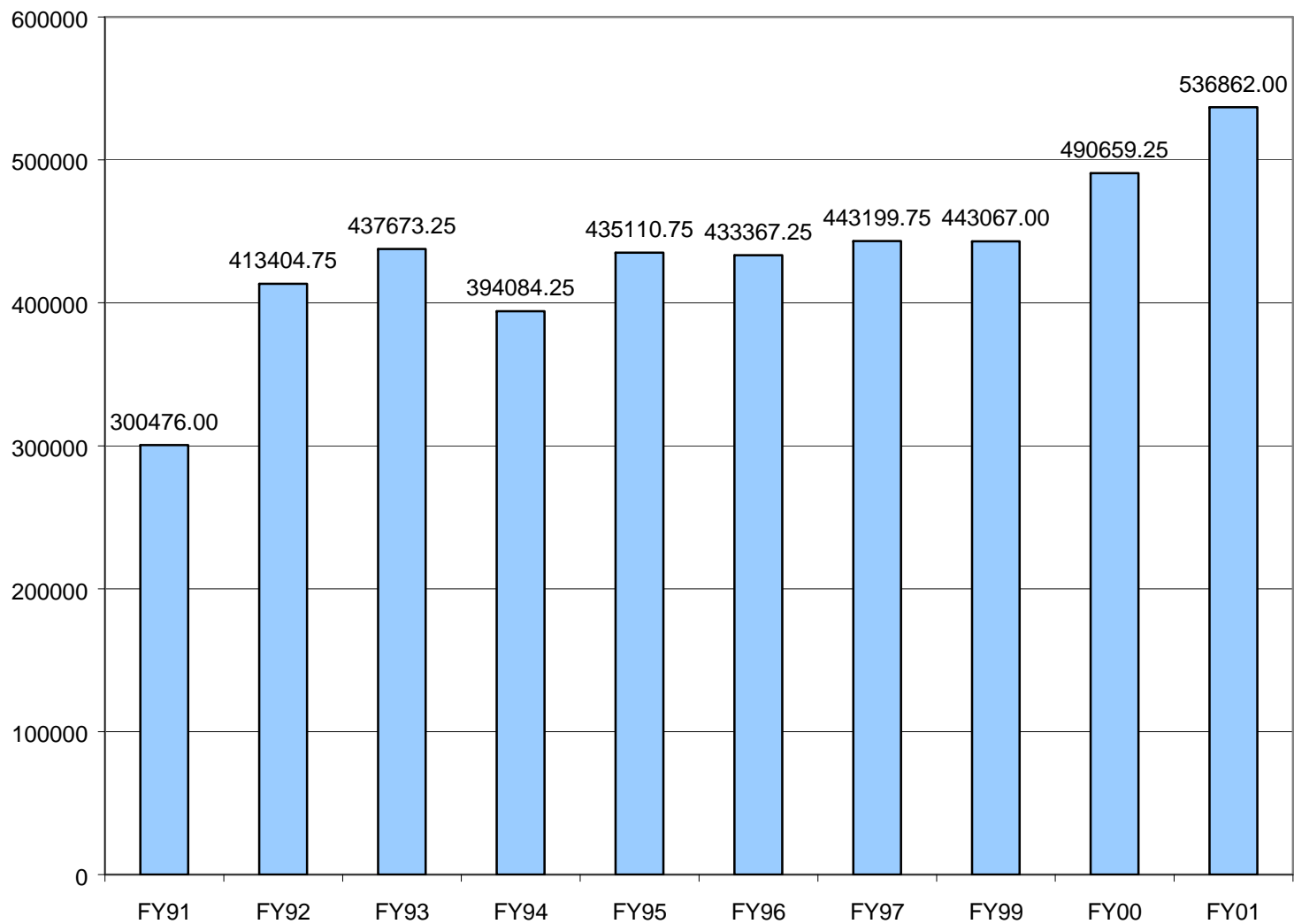
\*\*Data from FY02.

**These data only reflect victims served by domestic violence programs, not all victims of domestic violence in Illinois.**

Clients Served by Domestic Violence Programs  
FY91 to FY01  
(\*FY98 data is not accurate due to change in data collection systems mid-year)



Total Service Hours Provided to Victims Of Domestic Violence  
FY91 to FY01  
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### Average Number of Service Hours Per Client

FY91 to FY01

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