


# Crystal Judson Family Justice Center Updates

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Mission:

Partnering with survivors to heal pasts and build futures

Vision:

To work in **partnership** with survivors, professionals, and the community to break down barriers, advocate for equitable practices which promote safety and access for ALL survivors and create a haven where needs are met, children are protected, violence stops, families begin to heal and thrive, and hope is realized.

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## CJFJC History

- The CJFJC opened in 2005
- At that time we had **6** co-located agencies, that offered access to community based advocates (safety planning, connections to resources, support on filing DVPOs), law enforcement and prosecutors
- The Family Justice Center model is an international model that focuses on collaboration and co-location
  - by co-locating a variety of agencies it makes it easier for survivors to access and navigate care

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## Stats

in 2023 the CJCJF has provided care to survivors by:

- Answered **4,460** calls on the HELpline
- Provided care onsite **1,123** times
- Provided follow up care via phone or email **2,433** times
- Made **1,758** outreach calls to survivors from police reports or referrals from the Prosecutors Office
- Called out **57** times based off of strangulation exam referrals
- **88** Survivors have attended support groups or workshops
- Supported survivors in filing **98** protection orders onsite

Stats from 1/2023-8/31/2023

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# Stats

## City of Tacoma 2023

Of the care provided...

- onsite, **317** visits were from City of Tacoma residents
- via phone/email **589** were to City of Tacoma residents
- **679** outreach calls were to City of Tacoma residents
- To survivors of strangulation exams **18** were to City of Tacoma residents
- **39** protection orders were filed with City of Tacoma residents

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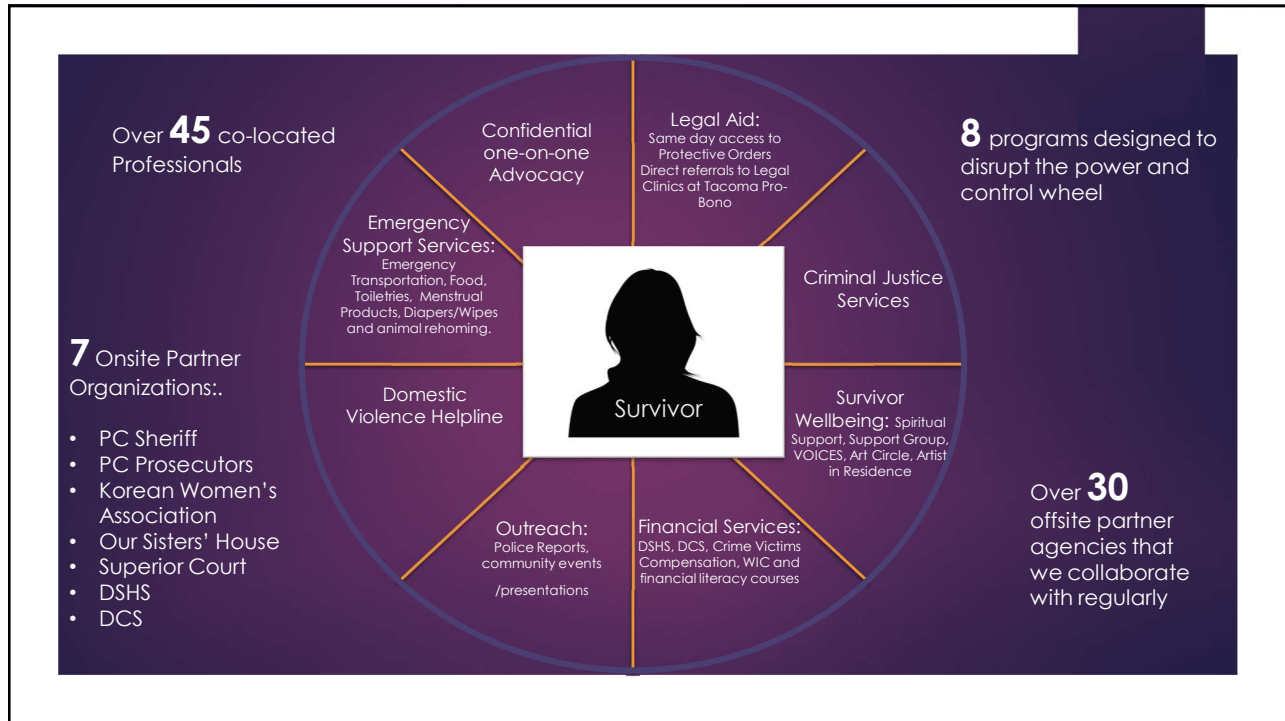
# Stats

## Clients served

- Age
  - 7% ages 18-24
  - 81% ages 25-54
  - 8% over 55
  - 5% unknown
- Gender
  - 89% identify as female
  - 5% identify as male
  - 1% identify as non-binary
  - 5% unknown
- Income
  - 42% make 0-\$20,000 yr
  - 8% make \$20-\$35,000 yr
  - 7% make \$35-\$50,000 a yr
  - 14% make 50,000 + a year
  - 29% unknown
- Race/Ethnicity
  - 17% Hispanic
  - 3% American Indian/Alaskan Native
  - 4% Asian
  - 12% Black
  - 2% Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
  - 8% Multi-Race
  - 36% White
  - 18% Other/unknown

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# Outcomes

After meeting with an advocate

- 89% of clients report feeling better able to handle their situation
- 86% of clients report knowing more about domestic violence
- 81% of clients report they have clearly identified a safety plan
- 100% of clients report knowing how to connect to services in the future

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## Excitements of the past few years

- VOICES
- DV/SUD partnerships
- Financial Literacy
- Strangulation Kit (SKIT) Exams
- Expanded collaboration with partners
- COVID: lessons and continuum of care

[Training Institute on Strangulation Prevention \(strangulationtraininginstitute.com\)](http://strangulationtraininginstitute.com)

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## Future of the CJFC

- Larger more trauma informed space
- Expanded funding
- Grow the Survivor Wellbeing Program (Coffee Table Book, Self Care workshops, more art options)
- Continue to nurture and grow partnerships

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