

# Attachment Four (4)

Committee on Domestic Violence Agenda  
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Contents: HRTM Update

# Multidisciplinary Domestic Violence High Risk Teams

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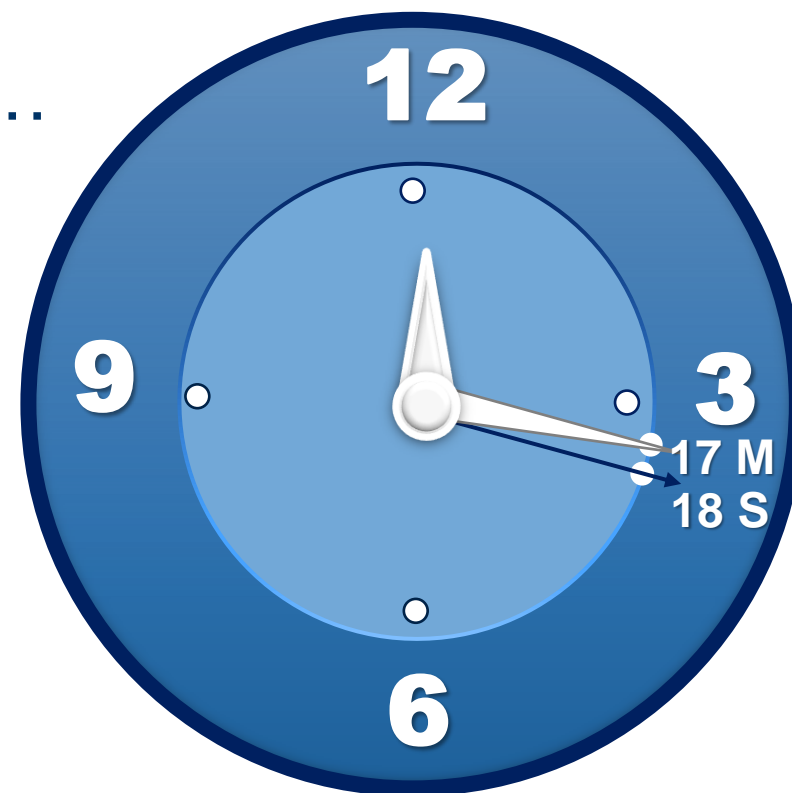
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# Scope of Problem in Nevada

There is 1 domestic violence incident every...

**17 minutes &  
18 seconds**



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# Need

- Domestic violence offenses continue to increase and even greater increases during COVID-19
- Nevada consistently ranks in the top five states in the nation for the number of domestic violence fatalities

# Domestic Violence High Risk Team Model

- Developed by the Jeanne Geiger Crisis Center
- Uses a victim-centered coordinated community response system model
- Communities that have implemented the DVHRT model report:
  - Zero homicides
  - Reduced re-assault
  - Increased use of domestic violence services
  - Improved offender accountability

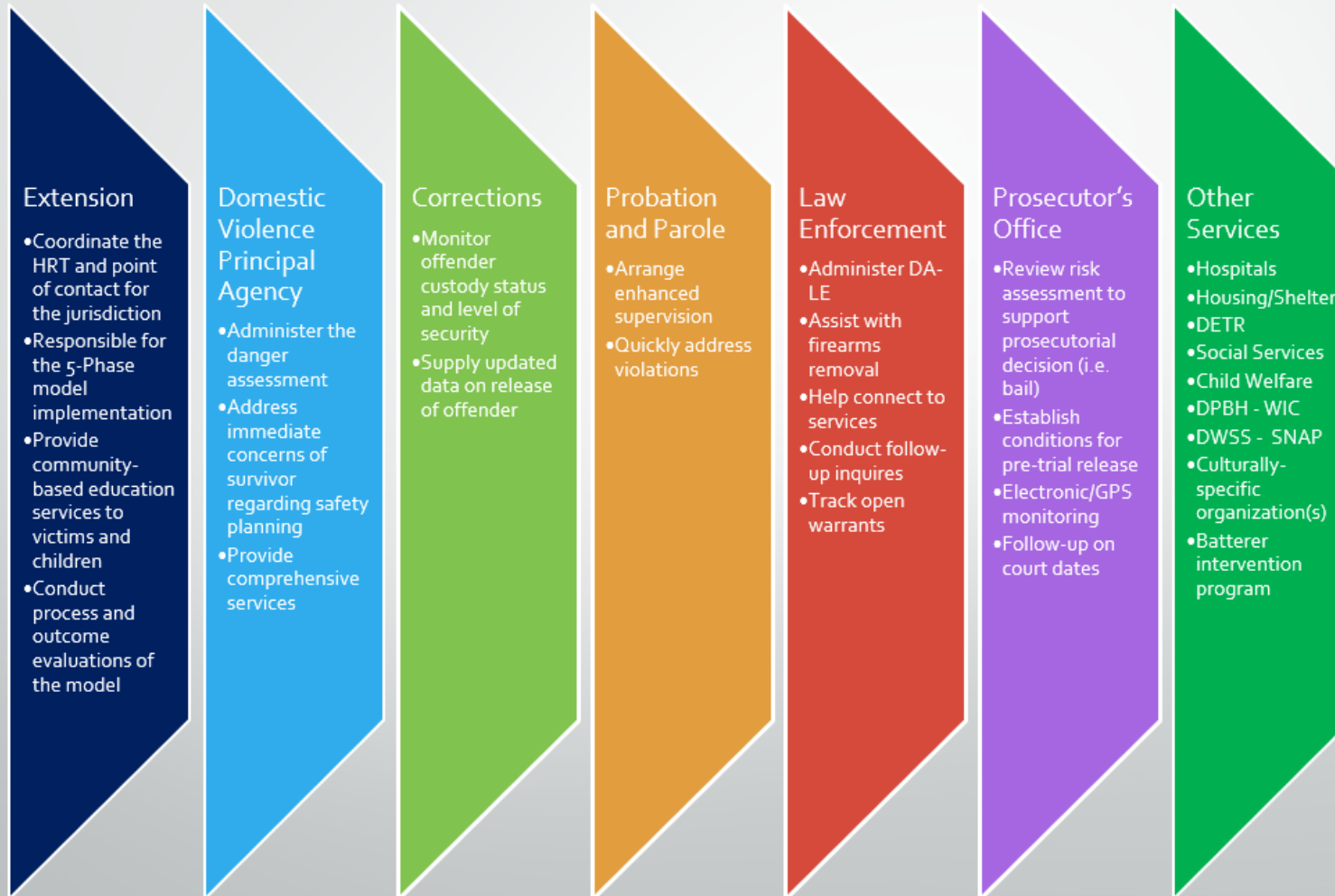
*Website: <http://dvhrt.org/>*



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# The Functions of DV High-Risk Team Model Participants



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# DVHRT IMPLEMENTATION COMPONENTS



## SITE ASSESSMENT & CUSTOMIZATION

- DVHRT and DA-LE Partner Orientation webinar
- Assessment of the DV response system
- Determination of estimated case volume
- Customize Model to community



## FOUR-PART DV AGENCY TRAINING SERIES

- Supervisor Training
- Danger Assessment Certification Training
- Risk Assessment Skills and Realities Training
- Identification and Response to Strangulation Training



## DA-LE IMPLEMENTATION

- Development of DA-LE Policy
- Development of protocol for connection of high-risk victims to DV services
- DA-LE Train the Trainer event
- DA-LE Officer training
- DA-LE data collection



## PROSECUTOR TRAINING

- DA-LE Overview and Strangulation Training



## JUDICIAL TRAINING

- DA-LE Overview and Strangulation Training



## OPERATIONS TTA

- DVHRT Operations Training
- DVHRT Operations Calls
- DVHRT data collection



## POST-IMPLEMENTATION TTA

- DVHRT and DA-LE data analysis
- DVHRT meeting observation and feedback
- Troubleshooting
- Additional training as needed

# Unique Elements

- Trauma-Informed Care training required for all DVHRT partners.
- Trauma-Informed Care expert embedded in DVHRT pilots.
- Eligible survivors and their children referred to Extension's Heart and Hope Family Violence Prevention Program.

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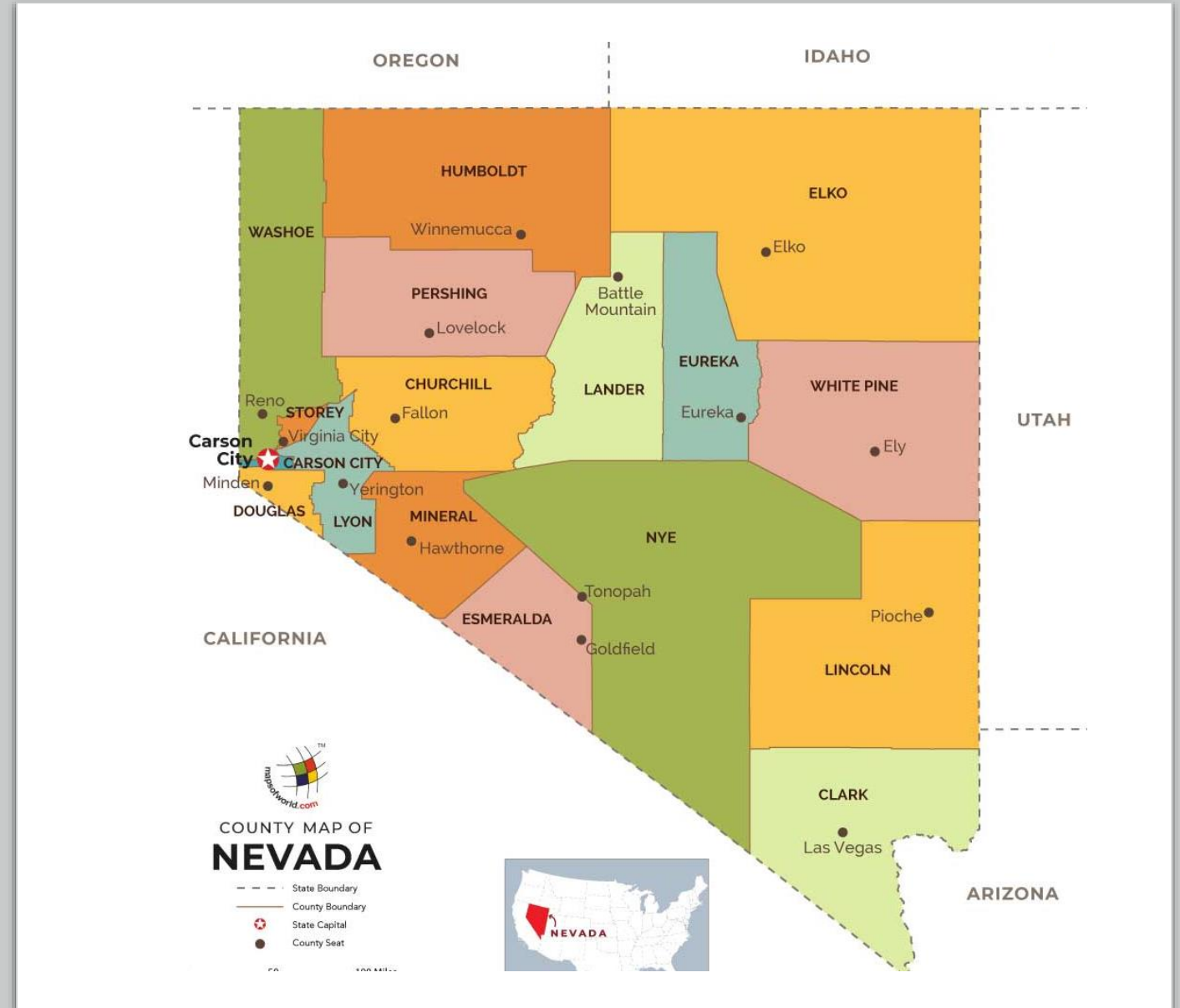
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# Pilot Project Goals

- Implement two DVHRTs:
  - North Las Vegas – urban site
  - Elko County – rural site
- Funding
  - SFY22 STOP sub-grant award AG's Office
  - Extension county and state funding
- Outputs
  - 185 high risk survivors
  - 164 offenders



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# Outcomes

- Early identification of high-risk cases
- At least 90% of victims report no re-assault
- At least 90% of victims use domestic violence services
- 0 domestic violence related homicides
- At least 79% of cases have criminal justice intervention
- At least 60% of offenders detained pretrial



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# Next Steps

- Document and report outcomes
- Identify best practices and lessons learned in Nevada's urban and rural settings.
- Scale model throughout the entire state.
- Seek funding from DOJ ICJR and other sources.



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# Questions & Comments



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