

Boulder County Domestic Abuse Prevention Project
Half Year Statistical Report: January – June 2007



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About the Boulder County Domestic Abuse Prevention Project

Since 1986, the Domestic Abuse Prevention Project (DAPP) has worked to improve the response to intimate partner violence (or domestic violence) in Boulder County. By treating domestic violence as a crime, we strive to raise awareness of the issues to prevent further abuse. The Project is a coordinated effort among law enforcement, the District Attorney's Office, the Judiciary, Community Justice Services, Probation, Private Probation Services, Social Services, battered women's shelters, perpetrator treatment providers and concerned individuals. DAPP acts as a liaison to all involved agencies, monitors the effectiveness of system-wide efforts, and maintains statistics on all reported cases of domestic violence in Boulder County.

Goals of the Project are to:

- Reduce the number of deaths and injuries from domestic violence;
- Increase interdepartmental communication;
- Improve interagency coordination;
- Raise community awareness of intimate partner violence and alternatives to violence; and
- Work with agencies and others to ensure that victims of domestic violence are provided the best possible services.

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DAPP Advisory Board

DAPP's Advisory Board, appointed by the Board of County Commissioners, consists of members from within the criminal justice system as well as agencies and individuals from the community. The Board makes recommendations to the Project staff regarding the status of the Project and any changes needed to improve our community's response to domestic violence. DAPP staff would like to thank the members of the Advisory Board for their continued support:

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DAPP Update:

This report is reaching you later than anticipated due to several changes in our data collection process. The State Court database changed and the new system requires additional steps to collect information. The District Attorney's Office changed their database and access policy, which significantly impacted our data collection procedures. Our thanks to Jim Atherton of the District Attorney's Office's for his ongoing assistance with our program.

DAPP staff is confident in the quality and reliability of the data in our reports.

Statistical Summary and Highlights, January-June 2007

- **All Case Summary:**
 - For the first half of 2007, overall Boulder County experienced an 11% increase from the first half of last year in all reported domestic violence cases (formal domestic violence cases remained the same).
 - Longmont is reporting **40%** of the formal domestic violence cases (arrests, book and release, summons, and warrant arrests) for Boulder County.
 - Cases where both parties were arrested or charged with a Domestic Violence crime (double arrest) for Boulder County reports to be down in a 29% comparing to the same period from 2006.

- **Felonies and Misdemeanors:**
 - For the first half of 2006, the county had 30% felony arrests and 70% misdemeanor arrests. The first half of 2007, Boulder County had **26%** felony arrests and **74%** misdemeanor arrests.

- **Demographics:**
 - The female arrest rate increased from **19%** for the first half of 2006 to **23%** in 2007.
 - For the first half of 2007, the recidivism rate was 35%, increased in 4% from 2006.
 - The majority of defendants and victims are in the age range of 18-29.
 - The majority of defendants have at least a high school diploma and slightly more than half were employed at the time of the arrest.

- **Incident Information:**
 - In 29% of the cases, the defendant and victim are no longer involved in a relationship at the time of the incident.
 - In 39% of the cases, defendants used alcohol and/or an illegal substance; in 18% of the cases, victims used alcohol and/or an illegal substance. In 13% of the cases, both defendants and victims used alcohol and/or an illegal substance.
 - In **79%** of the cases, law enforcement offered victim advocate services on scene, by either calling, presenting a brochure, etc.
 - In **11%** of the cases, the defendant used a weapon (DAPP defines a weapon as something other than a part of the body used to threaten or harm the victim) and in the majority of those cases, defendants used something other than a knife or firearm (telephones, bottles, keys, rocks, baseball bats, etc.).

- **Children's Involvement:**
 - In 28% of all the formal cases there was at least one child present during the domestic violence incident. Of those cases, 75% (almost **200** children) either heard or saw the incident.
 - In 69% of the formal cases where children were present during the time of the incident, the defendant was charged with child abuse.

▪ **Recidivism and Multiple Victimizations**

- The domestic violence recidivism rate was 35% and multiple victimization rate was 30% in Boulder County.
- DAPP's definition of recidivism and repeat victimizations includes only domestic violence crimes committed in Boulder County. Please note that DAPP's conversion to the new database allows for tracking recidivism and repeat victimization starting in 1994, when we developed our first electronic database.

▪ **Bonds:**

- For the first half of 2007, 25% of the defendants did not post bond prior to the disposition of their case.
- Recently DAPP staff changed the system of collecting data for the bond information. While this system is more labor intensive, we believe it is more reliable and that the numbers released are a more accurate representation of bonds posted prior to disposition of the criminal case.
- In 2004, the 20th Judicial District made the decision that all defendants arrested for a domestic violence-related charge be held until they are seen by a judge or magistrate in open court. This brings our judicial district into compliance with state statute §18-1-1001(5), which mandates that all domestic violence offenders are advised by a judge of the Criminal Protection Order (CPO) placed on them for the duration of their case. No domestic violence arrestee will be eligible for release prior to seeing a judge. Given these changes, DAPP no longer reports information on defendants held for a bond hearing.

▪ **Disposition Information:**

- Disposition information is based on the date of disposition; thus all reported material reflects cases that were sentenced during January to June 2007 (regardless of the date of arrest). During this period, there were a total of 563 dispositions, of those 416 (74%) were convictions and 147 (26%) were dismissals.
- For the first half of 2007, 3 defendants received deferred prosecutions.¹
- On 74% of convicted first time offenders were sentenced to domestic violence treatment.
- Only 9% of sentenced cases, where children were present and the defendant charged with child abuse, resulted in a conviction for child abuse.

¹ Colorado Statute (18-6-801 (4)) states: no person accused or convicted of a crime, the underlying factual basis of which has been found by the court on the record to include an act of domestic violence, as defined in section 18-6-800.3 (1), shall be eligible for home detention in the home of the victim pursuant to section 18-1.3-105 or 18-1.3-106 or for **deferred prosecution** pursuant to section 18-1.3-101. Nothing in this subsection (4) is intended to prohibit a court from ordering a deferred sentence for a person accused or convicted of a crime, the underlying factual basis of which has been found by the court on the record to include an act of domestic violence, as defined in section 18-6-800.3 (1).

Boulder County Domestic Abuse Prevention Project (DAPP)

All Case Summary

Second Quarter April - June and Half Year for 2007

Total Formal Cases* = **576** and Total Informal Cases* = **319**

Law Enforcement Agency	Report/ No Charges		Open (Under Investigation) & Outstanding Warrants		Book & Release		Warrant		Summons		Arrest		Total		Double Arrests (Both Parties Charged)	
	Q2	YTD	Q2	YTD	Q2	YTD	Q2	YTD	Q2	YTD	Q2	YTD	Q2	YTD	Q2	YTD
Boulder	14	33	3	4	0	0	10	23	0	0	79	143	106	203	8	12
Boulder Sheriff	5	15	5	6	0	0	6	13	0	1	24	57	40	92	0	4
Erie**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5	10	5	11	0	0
Lafayette	15	37	1	2	0	0	1	2	0	0	34	69	51	110	0	2
Longmont	90	175	8	11	0	0	27	49	0	0	90	178	215	413	2	4
Louisville	15	34	0	0	0	0	5	6	0	0	7	12	27	52	0	2
Nederland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	3	2	4	0	0
University of Colorado	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	7	5	9	0	0
Ward	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other***	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Total	140	296	17	23	0	0	50	96	0	1	245	479	452	895	10	24
Percent Total	31%	33%	4%	3%	0%	0%	11%	11%	0%	0%	54%	54%	100%	100%	3%	4%

Percent Change for all Domestic Violence Cases from YTD 2005 and YTD 2006

	Report	Open (Under Investigation) & Outstanding Warrants	Book and Release	Warrant	Summons	Arrest	Total **	Double Arrests (Both Parties Charged)
YTD 2006	172	60	0	98	0	479	809	34
YTD 2007	296	23	0	96	1	479	895	24
Percent Change	72%	-62%	N/A	-2%	N/A	0%	11%	-29%

*Formal Cases are defined as full custody arrests, book and releases, warrants, and summons. Informal cases are defined as incident reports (no charges), open (cases needing further investigation), and outstanding warrants.

** This report only reflects cases from the Boulder County portion of the Town of Erie; Weld County cases are not included in this report.

*** Cases from Other agencies for this quarter include the DA's Office and Colorado State Patrol.

Formal Cases
January - June 2007

Formally-Charged Cases by Sex

Law Enforcement Agency	Number of Male Defendants	Male Arrest Rate Percentage	Number of Female Defendants	Female Arrest Rate Percentage	Total	Percentage of Total Formal Cases
Boulder	123	74%	43	26%	166	29%
Boulder Sheriff	50	70%	21	30%	71	12%
CUPD	5	71%	2	29%	7	1%
Erie	7	64%	4	36%	11	2%
Lafayette	58	82%	13	18%	71	12%
Longmont	178	78%	49	22%	227	39%
Louisville	17	94%	1	6%	18	3%
Nederland	3	75%	1	25%	4	1%
Ward	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Other	1	100%	0	0%	1	0%
Total	442	77%	134	23%	576	100%

Seriousness of Offense

Law Enforcement Agency	Number of Misdemeanor Arrests	Misdemeanor Arrest Rate	Number of Felony Arrests	Felony Arrest Rate	Total	Percentage of Total Formal Cases
Boulder	122	73%	44	27%	166	29%
Boulder Sheriff	50	70%	21	30%	71	12%
CUPD	5	71%	2	29%	7	1%
Erie	9	82%	2	18%	11	2%
Lafayette	54	76%	17	24%	71	12%
Longmont	170	75%	57	25%	227	39%
Louisville	14	78%	4	22%	18	3%
Nederland	3	0%	1	0%	4	1%
Ward	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Other	0	0%	1	1%	1	0%
Total	427	74%	149	26%	576	100%

Recidivism versus First Time Offenders

Law Enforcement Agency	Number of Recidivists	Recidivist Rate	Number of First Time Offenders	First Time Offender Rate	Total	Percentage of Total Formal Cases
Boulder	57	34%	109	66%	166	29%
Boulder Sheriff	20	28%	51	72%	71	12%
CUPD	1	14%	6	86%	7	1%
Erie	6	55%	5	45%	11	2%
Lafayette	25	35%	46	65%	71	12%
Longmont	82	36%	145	64%	227	39%
Louisville	8	44%	10	56%	18	3%
Nederland	1	0%	3	0%	4	1%
Ward	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Other	1	0%	0	0%	1	0%
Total	201	35%	375	65%	576	100%

Demographics
January - June 2007

Age of Domestic Violence Defendants

	<18*	18-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50+	Total
Females	4	52	18	10	12	13	14	11	134
Percent Total	3%	39%	13%	7%	9%	10%	10%	8%	
Males	16	107	66	79	53	47	49	25	442
Percent Total	4%	24%	15%	18%	12%	11%	11%	6%	
Total	20	159	84	89	65	60	63	36	576
Percent Total	3%	28%	15%	15%	11%	10%	11%	6%	

*State statute has not been routinely applied by law enforcement to juvenile domestic violence offenders. Although this is changing in Boulder County, many juvenile DV cases are not flagged as such, and therefore DAPP does not receive these reports on a consistent basis.

Age of Domestic Violence Victims

	<18	18-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50+	Total
Females	24	126	78	49	52	52	39	23	443
Percent Total	5%	28%	18%	11%	12%	12%	9%	5%	
Males	3	39	25	15	6	13	10	17	128
Percent Total	2%	30%	20%	12%	5%	10%	8%	13%	
Total	27	165	103	64	58	65	49	40	571
Percent Total	5%	29%	18%	11%	10%	11%	9%	7%	

Date of birth (DOB) for 5 victims during the 1st Half of 2007 could not be collected. Data reflects all defendants and victims with documented DOB in all formal cases (arrests, warrants, summons, and book and releases).

Highest Level of Education for Domestic Violence Offenders**

	< H.S. Degree	GED	High School Degree	Associate Degree	College Degree	Graduate Degree	PhD	Professional Degree	Unknown	Total
Females	26	3	56	5	18	5	0	2	19	134
Percent Total	19%	2%	42%	4%	13%	4%	0%	1%	14%	
Males	107	22	184	15	41	9	1	4	59	442
Percent Total	24%	5%	42%	3%	9%	2%	0%	1%	13%	
Total	133	25	240	20	59	14	1	6	78	576
Percent Total	23%	4%	42%	3%	10%	2%	0%	1%	14%	

Income of Domestic Violence Offenders**

	<\$5,000	\$5,000 - \$9,999	\$10,000 - \$14,999	\$15,000 - \$24,999	\$25,000 - \$34,999	\$35,000 - \$49,999	\$50,000 or More	Unemployed	Total***
Females	7	13	13	16	4	2	1	43	99
Percent Total	7%	13%	13%	16%	4%	2%	1%	43%	
Males	6	11	33	51	21	24	27	118	291
Percent Total	2%	4%	11%	18%	7%	8%	9%	41%	
Total	13	24	46	67	25	26	28	161	390
Percent Total	3%	6%	12%	17%	6%	7%	7%	41%	

**The source of education and income data is from Bond Commissioner interviews and 575 defendants were eligible for an interview.

***The annual income of 138 employed DV offenders varied or was unknown. 1 defendant was retired and 1 was disabled. The employment status of 45 defendants was unknown.

Incident Information

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Relationship Between Perpetrator & Victim

	Married	Living Together	Dating	Common Law Married	Ex-Dating/Living Together	Separated	Divorced	Unknown	Total
Number of Cases	113	123	141	9	114	29	25	22	576
Percent Total	20%	21%	24%	2%	20%	5%	4%	4%	

29 percent of Boulder County domestic violence incidences involved couples that were separated, divorced or ex-dating.

Who Contacted the Police

	Child	Defendant	Victim	Police*	Other**	Unknown	Total
Number of Cases	12	30	291	36	152	55	576
Percent Total	2%	5%	51%	6%	26%	10%	

*This represents incidents where police witnessed the domestic in progress or made initial contact with the parties prior to anyone else reporting the incident to the police.

**This represents incidents reported by neighbors, witnesses, other family members, etc.

Defendant's Use of Alcohol and/or an Illegal Substance at the Time of Incident

	BC Boulder PD	BC Sheriff's Office	CU PD	Erie PD	Lafayette PD	Longmont PD	Louisville PD	Nederland PD	Other	Total
Male	55	15	2	3	26	57	10	3	0	171
Female	21	8	2	2	2	16	1	1	0	53
Total	76	23	4	5	28	73	11	4	0	224
Percent Total	46%	32%	57%	45%	39%	32%	61%	100%	0%	39%

Victim's Use of Alcohol and/or an Illegal Substance at the Time of Incident

	BC Boulder PD	BC Sheriff's Office	CU PD	Erie PD	Lafayette PD	Longmont PD	Louisville PD	Nederland PD	Other	Total
Male	30	9	2	2	5	16	3	1	0	68
Female	17	3	0	0	3	9	1	1	0	34
Total	47	12	2	2	8	25	4	2	0	102
Percent Total	28%	17%	29%	18%	11%	11%	22%	50%	0%	18%

Both Defendant and Victim's Use of Alcohol and/or an Illegal Substance at the Time of Incident

	BC Boulder PD	BC Sheriff's Office	CU PD	Erie PD	Lafayette PD	Longmont PD	Louisville PD	Nederland PD	Other	Total
Total Number of Cases	36	8	1	2	5	17	3	2	0	74
Percent Total	22%	11%	14%	18%	7%	7%	17%	50%	0%	13%

Victim's Advocate Contacted

	BC Boulder PD	BC Sheriff's Office	CU PD	Erie PD	Lafayette PD	Longmont PD	Louisville PD	Nederland PD	Other	Total
Documentation of VA Services Offered or Contacted	138	53	5	7	62	174	13	3	0	455
Percent Total	83%	75%	71%	64%	87%	77%	72%	75%	0%	79%

Weapons Involved*

	Mis-demeanor	Felony	Total
Number of Cases	34	31	65
Percent Total	6%	5%	11%

Type of Weapon Used

	Mis-demeanor	Felony	Total	Percent of Cases
Firearm	1	7	8	1%
Knife	3	15	18	3%
Something Else	30	16	46	8%

*DAPP defines weapon as anything other than the body used to harm or threaten a victim. Besides knives and firearms, the category of *Something Else* can include phones, rocks, baseball bats, bottles, etc.

Children's Involvement with Domestic Violence cases In Boulder County

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Children Present in Formal Domestic Violence Cases

	Boulder PD	BC Sheriff's Office	CU PD	Erie PD	Lafayette PD	Longmont PD	Louisville PD	Nederland PD	Other	Total
<i>Number of Children Present</i>	53	34	0	1	48	119	12	0	0	267
<i>Number of Cases Involving Children</i>	32	21	0	1	25	74	9	0	0	162
Percent Total	19%	30%	0%	9%	35%	33%	50%	0%	0%	28%

Age of Children Present in Formal Domestic Violence Cases*

	< 1	1-3	4-5	6-7	8-9	10-11	12-13	14-15	16-17	Average
<i>Number of Children</i>	31	74	30	30	26	13	13	16	7	5

*In the first half of 2007, 27 children's ages were not documented by law enforcement officers in reports received by DAPP.

Information about the Children Present in Formal Domestic Violence Cases

	Boulder PD	BC Sheriff's Office	CU PD	Erie PD	Lafayette PD	Longmont PD	Louisville PD	Nederland PD	Other	Total
<i>Number of Children that live with either defendant or victim</i>	47	34	0	1	46	115	12	0	0	255
Percent Total	89%	100%	0%	100%	96%	97%	100%	0%	0%	96%
<i>Number of Children that witnessed the incident</i>	36	27	0	1	33	93	9	0	0	199
Percent Total	68%	79%	0%	100%	69%	78%	75%	0%	0%	75%
<i>Number of Children that were injured during the incident</i>	2	0	0	0	2	6	0	0	0	10
Percent Total	4%	0%	0%	0%	4%	5%	0%	0%	0%	4%

Number of Domestic Violence Cases Involving Children and Child Abuse Arrest Charges

	Boulder PD	BC Sheriff's Office	CU PD	Erie PD	Lafayette PD	Longmont PD	Louisville PD	Nederland PD	Other	Total
<i>Number of Cases Where Children Were Present</i>	32	21	0	1	25	74	9	0	0	162
Percent Total	19%	30%	0%	9%	35%	33%	50%	0%	0%	28%
<i>Number of Cases Where Children Witness the incident</i>	23	17	0	1	19	62	7	0	0	129
Percent Total**	14%	24%	0%	9%	27%	27%	39%	0%	0%	22%
<i>Number of Cases Where Children were Present & the Defendant was Charged With Child Abuse Crime</i>	14	13	0	0	12	47	3	0	0	89
Percent Total***	61%	76%	0%	0%	63%	76%	43%	0%	0%	69%

** These percentages are based on total formal cases for each agency.

*** These percentages are based on number of cases where children "witness" the Domestic Violence incident, see chart above.

Defendant and Victim Histories
January - June 2007

Information about First Time Offenders and Recidivists in Domestic Violence Offenses in Boulder County

For the first half of 2007, of the **576** formal arrests, **375 (65%)** were first time offenders and **201 (35%)** were recidivists or had committed a previous domestic violence crime in Boulder County. Of the those recidivists, **110 (55%)** of the defendants committed their second domestic violence offense and **91 (45%)** of defendants committed their third or more domestic violence offense.

Days Between Reported Domestic Violence Offenses

	Number of Recidivists*	Low Days**	High Days	Average Days
1st & 2nd Offenses	110	0	4454	870
Subsequent Offenses	91	2	3718	419

Recidivists and Number of Days Between Current and Previous Offense

	BC Boulder PD Sheriff's Office		CU PD	Erie PD	Lafayette PD	Longmont PD	Louisville PD	Nederland PD	Other	Total
Number of Recidivist	57	20	1	6	25	82	8	1	1	201
Low Days**	0	2	8	7	0	2	8	79	12	0
High Days	4047	4076	8	2854	4310	4454	1208	79	12	4454
Average Days	636	949	8	1114	848	585	254	79	12	669

* Recidivists are defendants with a prior **domestic violence** offense in Boulder County (criminal histories outside of Boulder County are unavailable). Please see the Summary for more information.

**While some recidivists may have many years between offenses, some reoffend on the same day as their initial arrest. For example, the defendant may contact the victim from the jail - in violation of bond conditions, protection order, or both.

Information about First Time Victims and Victims in Prior Domestic Violence Offenses in Boulder County

For the first half of 2007, of the **576** formal arrests, **406 (70%)** were first time victims and **170 (30%)** were prior victims of a domestic violence crime in Boulder County. Of those prior victims, **106 (62%)** of the victims were victims of a second domestic violence offense, and **64 (38%)** of victims were victims of three or more domestic violence offenses.

Days Between Reported Domestic Violence Victimization

	Number of Victims	Low Days****	High Days	Average Days
1st & 2nd Victimization***	106	0	4524	629
Subsequent Victimizations***	64	2	3932	425

Repeat Victims and Number of Days Between Current and Previous Victimization

	BC Boulder PD Sheriff's Office		CU PD	Erie PD	Lafayette PD	Longmont PD	Louisville PD	Nederland PD	Other	Total
Number of Victims	49	16	1	3	21	72	7	0	1	170
Low Days****	0	2	8	7	8	2	8	N/A	12	0
High Days	3008	2371	8	496	3932	4524	2428	N/A	12	4524
Average Days	491	489	8	188	734	615	390	N/A	12	558

***"Victimization" means victims of a domestic violence incident with a prior domestic violence victimization in Boulder County (criminal histories outside of Boulder County are unavailable). Please see summary for more information.

****While some victims may have many years between incidents, some are revictimized on the same day as their initial victimization. For example, the defendant may contact the victim from the jail - in violation of bond conditions, protection order, or both.

Bond Information
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In the first half of 2007, there were **575** defendants eligible for bond (full custody arrests and warrant arrests). Of those, **455 (79%)** defendants posted bond and **121 (21%)** defendants did not post bond.

Of the **455** defendants who posted bond, **313 (69%)** were first time offenders and **142 (31%)** were recidivists.

Bond Amount Information

	Felonies	Mis-demeanors	Male	Female	First Time Offenders	Recidivists	All Cases
<i>Lowest Amount</i>	\$500	\$250	\$250	\$500	\$500	\$250	\$250
<i>Highest Amount</i>	\$50,000	\$20,000	\$50,000	\$15,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000
<i>Average Amount</i>	\$7,427	\$1,640	\$3,466	\$1,830	\$2,814	\$3,577	\$3,052

Bond Conditions of Defendants

	No Contact	Interim Supervision	No Weapons	Substance Abuse Monitoring	Alcohol Monitoring	No Conditions
<i>First Time Offenders</i>	307	86	63	66	107	0
<i>Recidivists</i>	141	55	28	49	58	1
Total	448	141	91	115	165	1
Percent Total	98%	31%	20%	25%	36%	0%

Type of Bond Ordered

	Cash/Property Secured	Security	Personal Recognizance	Co-Personal Recognizance
<i>First Time Offenders</i>	53	113	140	7
<i>Recidivists</i>	34	79	27	2
Total	87	192	167	9
Percent Total	19%	42%	37%	2%

Type of Bond Ordered and Bond Conditions

	No Contact	Interim Supervision	No Weapons	Substance Abuse Monitoring	Alcohol Monitoring	No Conditions
<i>Cash/Property Secured</i>	87	34	17	28	37	0
<i>Security</i>	189	92	62	76	89	0
<i>Personal Recognizance</i>	163	14	10	10	37	1
<i>Co-Personal Recognizance</i>	9	1	2	1	2	0
Total	448	141	91	115	165	1
Percent Total	98%	31%	20%	25%	36%	0%

Disposition Information
January - June 2007

All Dispositions

Total Convictions = **416 (74%)** Total Dismissals = **147 (26%)**

There were **563** cases with disposition for the first half of 2007: **130 (23%)** female defendants and **433 (77%)** male defendants. Sentencing was as follows:

	<i>Number of Sentences</i>		<i>Percent of Total Sentences</i>		<i>Low (Days)</i>		<i>High (Days)</i>		<i>Average Sentence Length (Days)</i>	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
Deferred Prosecution*	1	2	1%	0%	365	365	365	365	365	365
<i>Deferred Sentence</i>	47	96	36%	22%	150	180	730	1460	457	527
<i>Probation</i>	60	226	46%	52%	120	90	730	2920	509	611
<i>Jail</i>	24	165	18%	38%	3	2	365	1825	88	128
<i>Dismissed</i>	33	92	25%	21%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<i>Dismissed w/plea bargain</i>	5	14	4%	3%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<i>Dismissed Warrant Expired</i>	0	3	0%	1%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Total**	170	598	131%	138%						

Double Arrest Dispositions

Total Convictions = **16 (59%)** Total Dismissals = **11 (41%)**

There were **27** cases with disposition for the first half of 2007: **15 (56%)** female defendants and **12 (44%)** male defendants. Sentencing was as follows:

	<i>Number of Sentences</i>		<i>Percent of Total Sentences</i>		<i>Low (Days)</i>		<i>High (Days)</i>		<i>Average Sentence Length (Days)</i>	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
Deferred Prosecution*	0	0	0%	0%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<i>Deferred Sentence</i>	5	2	33%	17%	365	365	540	540	470	452
<i>Probation</i>	4	6	27%	50%	365	180	540	1095	452	545
<i>Jail</i>	3	2	20%	17%	60	60	80	180	73	88
<i>Dismissed</i>	5	5	33%	42%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<i>Dismissed w/plea bargain</i>	1	0	7%	0%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<i>Dismissed Warrant Expired</i>	0	0	0%	0%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Total**	18	15	120%	125%						

First Time Offender Dispositions

Total Convictions = **281 (75%)** Total Dismissals = **93 (25%)**

There were **374** cases with dispositions for the first half of 2007: **96 (26%)** female defendants and **278 (74%)** male defendants. Sentencing was as follows:

	<i>Number of Sentences</i>		<i>Percent of Total Sentences</i>		<i>Low (Days)</i>		<i>High (Days)</i>		<i>Average Sentence Length (Days)</i>	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
Deferred Prosecution*	1	2	1%	1%	365	365	365	365	365	365
<i>Deferred Sentence</i>	45	78	47%	28%	150	180	730	1460	457	514
<i>Probation</i>	43	162	45%	58%	120	90	730	1095	465	551
<i>Jail</i>	11	86	11%	31%	5	2	365	1460	78	82
<i>Dismissed</i>	25	61	26%	22%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<i>Dismissed w/plea bargain</i>	1	3	1%	1%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<i>Dismissed Warrant Expired</i>	0	3	0%	1%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Total**	126	395	131%	142%						

Recidivist Dispositions

Total Convictions = **135 (71%)** Total Dismissals = **54 (29%)**

There were **189** cases with dispositions for the first half of 2007: **34 (18%)** female defendants and **155 (82%)** male defendants. Sentencing was as follows:

	<i>Number of Sentences</i>		<i>Percent of Total Sentences</i>		<i>Low (Days)</i>		<i>High (Days)</i>		<i>Average Sentence Length (Days)</i>	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
Deferred Prosecution*	0	0	0%	0%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<i>Deferred Sentence</i>	2	18	6%	12%	365	365	540	730	452	584
<i>Probation</i>	17	64	50%	41%	365	270	730	2920	621	764
<i>Jail</i>	12	78	35%	50%	3	4	300	1825	104	179
<i>Dismissed</i>	8	31	24%	20%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<i>Dismissed w/plea bargain</i>	4	11	12%	7%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<i>Dismissed Warrant Expired</i>	0	0	0%	0%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Total**	43	202	126%	130%						

*Colorado State Law prohibits deferred prosecutions in domestic violence cases.

**Total number of sentences handed down by the courts. Some defendants receive multiple sanctions; therefore, number of sentences may not equal number of individuals.

Disposition Information
January - June 2007

Disposition information is based on the date of disposition; thus all reported material reflects cases that were sentenced during January to June 2007 (regardless of the date of arrest). During this period, there were a total of **563** dispositions (**416** convictions and **147** dismissals). From those **416** convictions, **281** were first time offenders and **135** were recidivists.

Court Ordered Treatment

	Domestic Violence Treatment	Percent of Convictions	Anger Management	Percent of Convictions	Alcohol/ Substance Abuse Treatment	Percent of Convictions	Mental Health Treatment	Percent of Convictions
<i>First Time Offenders</i>	207	74%	12	4%	91	32%	31	11%
<i>Recidivists</i>	68	50%	4	3%	28	21%	25	19%
Total	275	66%	16	4%	119	29%	56	13%

Defendant Use of Alcohol/Illegal Substance and Court Ordered Treatment

	Defendant Used Alcohol/ Illegal Substance	Percent of Cases	Defendant Sentenced to Alcohol/Substance Evaluation and Treatment	Percent of Convictions
<i>First Time Offenders</i>	147	39%	178	63%
<i>Recidivists</i>	77	41%	53	39%
Total	224	40%	231	56%

Dispositions Involving Children and Defendant Charged with Child Abuse

	Children Witness the Domestic Violence Incident	Percent of Total Sentenced Cases	Defendant Charged with Child Abuse	Percent of Sentenced Cases Involving Children	Defendant Convicted of Child Abuse	Percent of Cases Where Defendant Charged with Child Abuse
<i>First Time Offenders</i>	93	25%	72	77%	7	10%
<i>Recidivists</i>	38	20%	18	47%	1	6%
Total	131	23%	90	69%	8	9%

Dispositions Involving Children and Court Ordered Treatment

	Domestic Violence Treatment	Percent of Sentenced Cases Involving Children*	Parenting Classes	Percent of Sentenced Cases Involving Children*	Cooperate with Department of Social Services	Percent of Sentenced Cases Involving Children*	Mental Health Treatment	Percent of Sentenced Cases Involving Children*
<i>First Time Offenders</i>	72	77%	8	9%	21	23%	31	33%
<i>Recidivists</i>	30	79%	3	8%	5	13%	25	66%
Total	102	78%	11	8%	26	20%	56	43%

* These percentages are based on Children Present at Domestic Violence Incident; see chart above.

Domestic Violence Comparison by Population In Boulder County*
January - June 2007

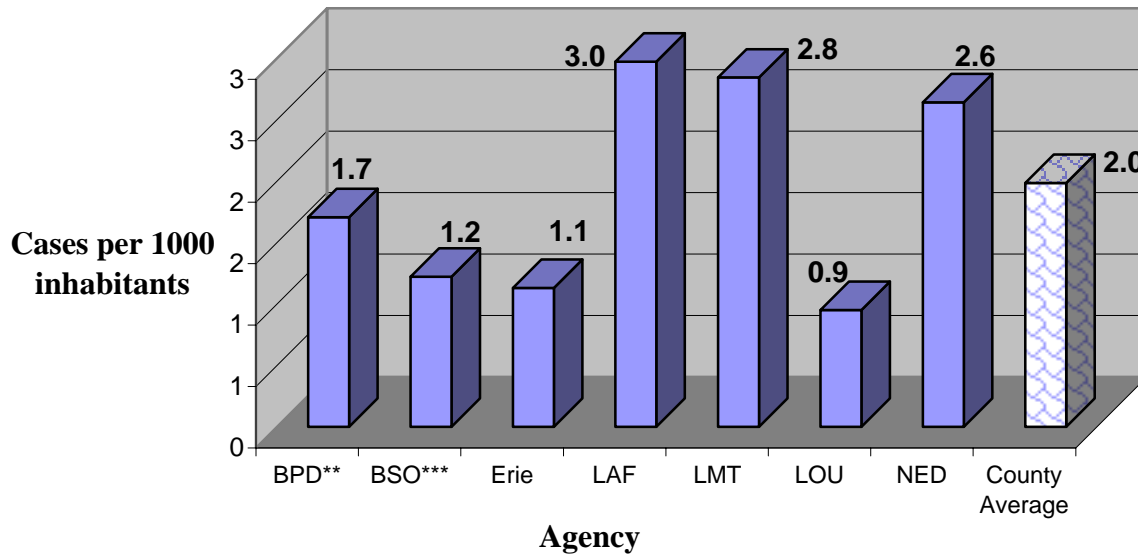


Figure 2

Total Number of Formal Cases 1st Quarter 2006

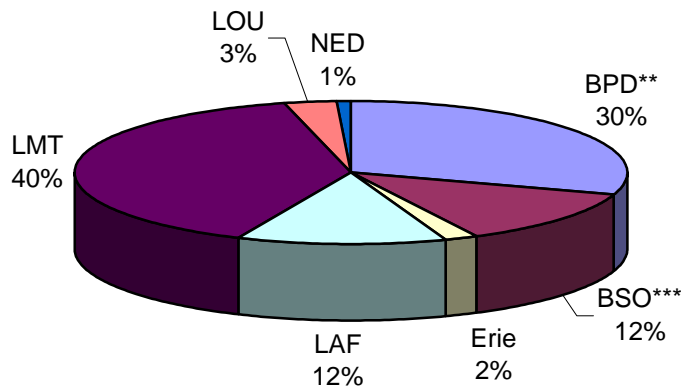


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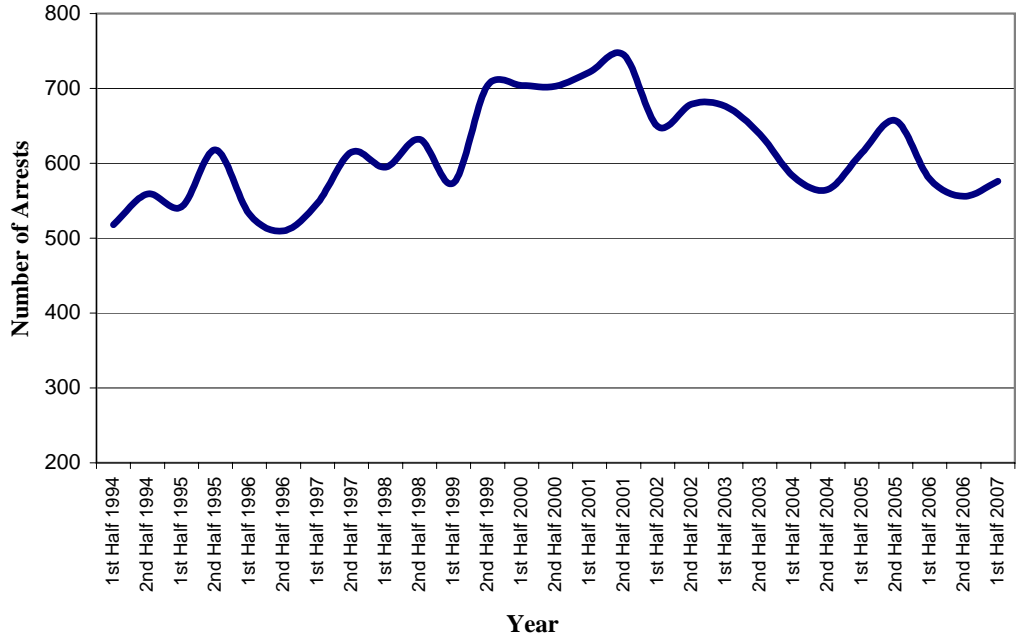
* The Population estimates were taken from the Boulder County Land Use Department.
<http://www.co.boulder.co.us/lu/demographics/index.htm>

** Boulder Police Department and University of Colorado Police Department were counted together based on available demographics.

*** For the propose of our statistics, we included Jamestown, Lyons, Superior and unincorporated Boulder County to generate all numbers of inhabitants served by the Boulder County Sheriff's Office.

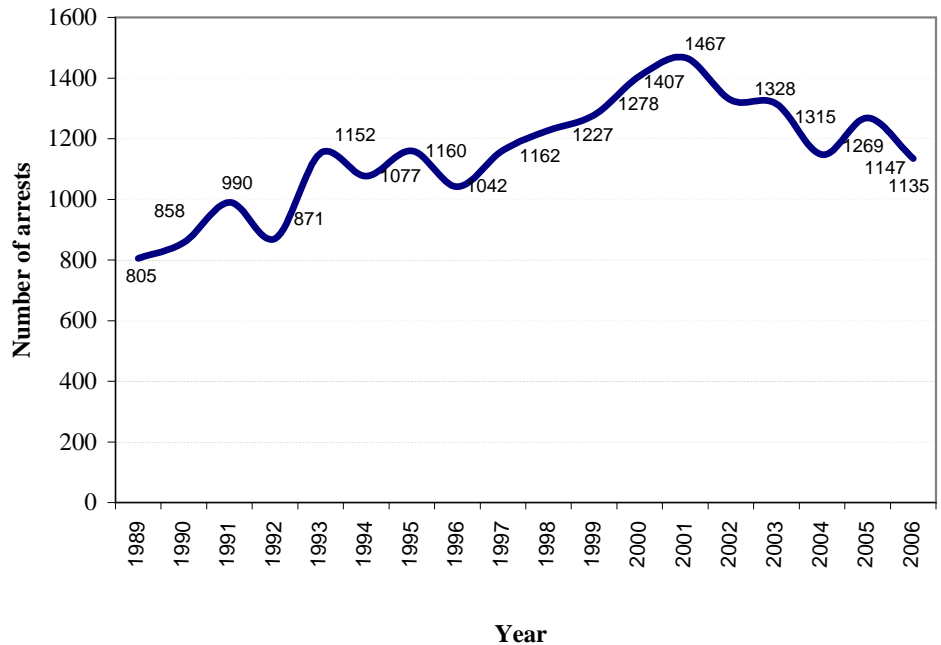
Overview of Boulder County Domestic Violence Arrest Rate

**Boulder County Bi-Annual Domestic Violence Arrest Trend
1994 - 2007**



	# Arrests	Percent Change
1st Half 1994	518	
2nd Half 1994	559	8%
1st Half 1995	542	-3%
2nd Half 1995	618	14%
1st Half 1996	532	-14%
2nd Half 1996	510	-4%
1st Half 1997	547	7%
2nd Half 1997	615	12%
1st Half 1998	595	-3%
2nd Half 1998	632	6%
1st Half 1999	574	-9%
2nd Half 1999	704	23%
1st Half 2000	704	0%
2nd Half 2000	703	0%
1st Half 2001	722	3%
2nd Half 2001	745	3%
1st Half 2002	649	-13%
2nd Half 2002	679	5%
1st Half 2003	676	0%
2nd Half 2003	639	-5%
1st Half 2004	582	-9%
2nd Half 2004	565	-3%
1st Half 2005	614	9%
2nd Half 2005	657	7%
1st Half 2006	579	-12%
2nd Half 2006	556	-4%
1st Half 2007	576	4%

**Boulder County Annual Domestic Violence Arrest Trend
1989 - 2006**



*Broomfield Law Enforcement Domestic Violence Numbers are included for the bi-annual and annual totals for the period it was a part of Boulder County .