

CANADIAN DOMESTIC VIOLENCE STATISTICS

Statistics Canada reports that during the **COVID-19 pandemic**,

1 IN 10 women are "**very or extremely concerned** about the possibility of violence in the home."³

70%

of spousal violence is **not reported** to the police, which means the rates of domestic violence are **much higher** than we know.¹

In **2019** Peel Police responded to **50 INCIDENTS** of family and intimate partner disputes, **every day**, which is **2 EVERY HOUR.**²

APPROXIMATELY EVERY 6 days a woman in Canada **is killed** by her **intimate partner.**¹

CANADIANS COLLECTIVELY SPEND \$ 7.4 BILLION to deal with the **impacts of spousal violence** as reported by the Department of Justice.¹



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Interpersonal Violence Reduction Program

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References

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