

**Office on Violence Against Women
Discretionary Grants
Grants to State Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence Coalitions Program
Report Period: July 1- December 31, 2007**

The purpose of the State Coalitions Program is to support State Coalitions to serve as a collective voice to end violence against women through collaboration with federal, state, and local organizations, provide direct support to member programs through funding, training and technical assistance, public awareness activities and public policy advocacy, and ultimately to fundamentally change the way that criminal justice agencies, victim advocacy organizations, and service providers within local communities address victim safety and offender accountability.

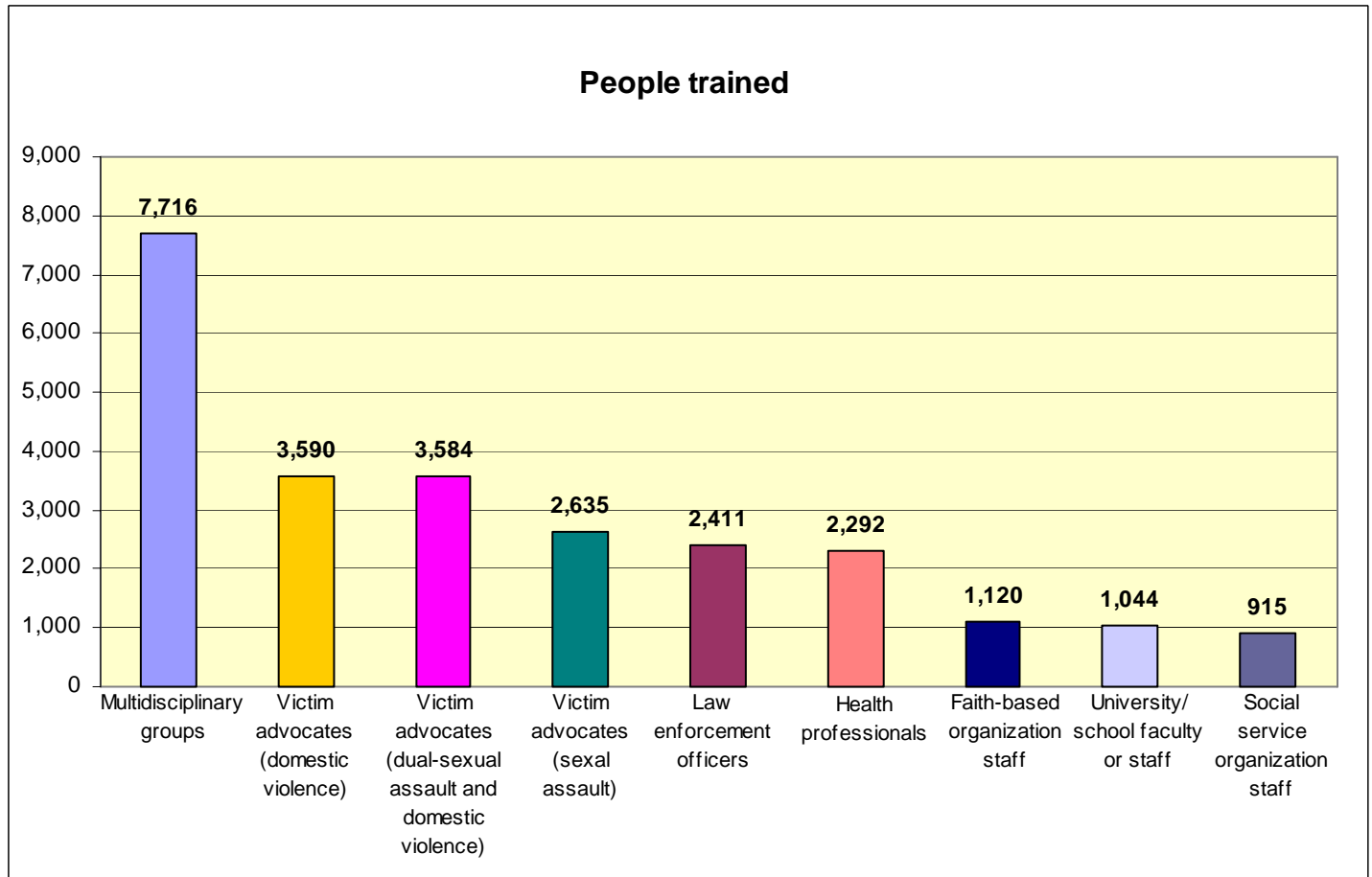
Total number of grantees reporting	83
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Training: State Coalitions Program grantees train professionals to improve the response to victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, and/or stalking and to increase offender accountability.

Total number of grantees using funds for training: **73** (88% of all grantees)

Total number of people trained: **34,170**

Number of training events: **1,229**



Topics on which professionals were most frequently trained			
Training topic	Number of grantees training on this topic	Training topic	Number of grantees training on this topic
Advocate response	65	Safety planning for victims/survivors	53
Law enforcement response	54	Confidentiality	52
Collaboration	53	Outreach to diverse/underserved population	52
Issues specific to victims/survivors who live in rural areas	53	Domestic violence overview, dynamics, and services	50

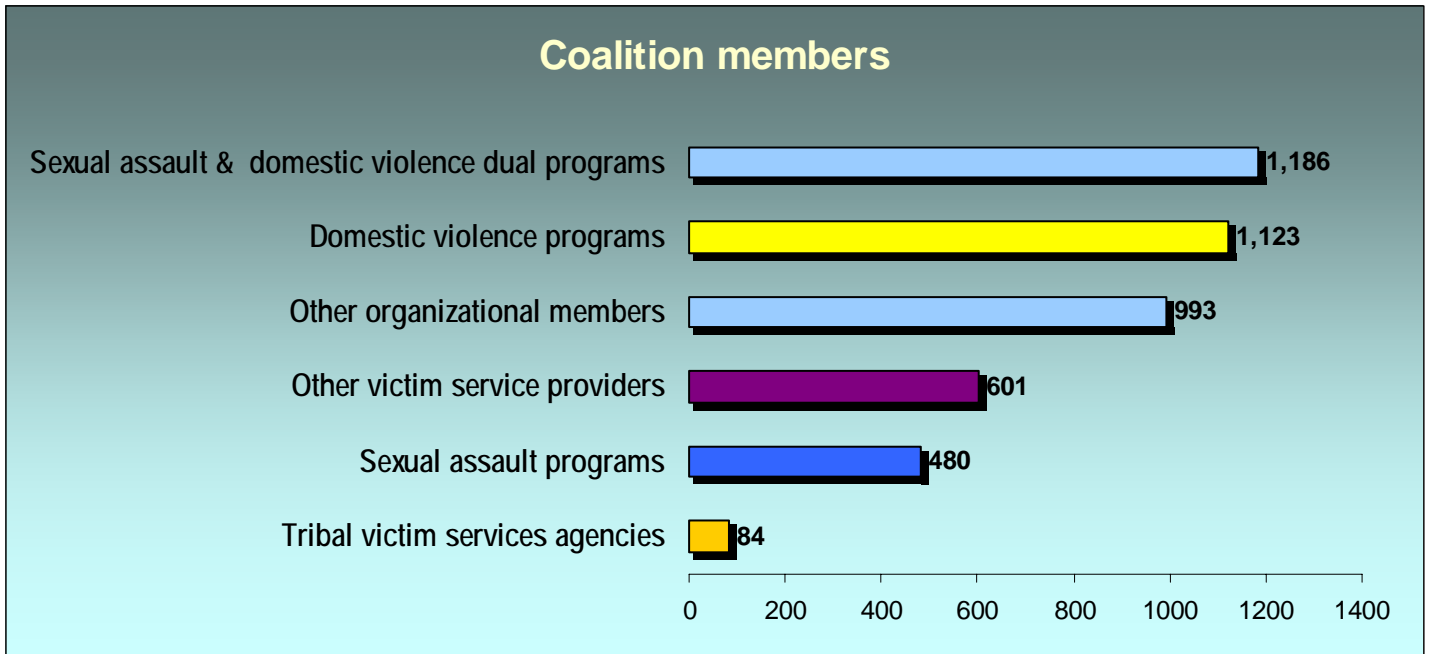
Staff: State Coalitions Program staff provides training, technical assistance, public awareness activities, and public policy advocacy to address victim safety and offender accountability within communities.

Total number of grantees using funds for staff: **83** (100% of all grantees)

Total number of full time equivalent staff funded	117
Program coordinators (38% of all staff funded)	45
Administrators (26%)	31
Support staff (9%)	11
Technical assistance providers (8%)	9
Trainers (6%)	7
Systems advocates (5%)	6
Information technology specialists (3%)	4
Civil attorneys (2%)	2

Coalition Members: Coalitions members are comprised of organizational members, including sexual assault programs, domestic violence programs, and other victim services agencies. Coalition members can also be individuals.

Total number of organizational members: **4,467**



Technical Assistance: State Coalitions Program grantees provide technical assistance to programs through site visits and/or other types of consultations. Consultations may include in-person, telephonic, electronic, or other types of contact with programs.

Total number of grantees using funds for technical assistance: **79** (95% of all grantees)

Total number of technical assistance provided: 38,384	Topics of technical assistance:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Site visits: 1,137 ◆ Other technical assistance consultations: 37,247 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Curricular and training issues: 78 (grantees provided technical assistance on this topic in the area of sexual assault and/or domestic violence) ◆ Coordinated community response: 77 ◆ Program development: 71 ◆ Victim service administration and operations: 71 ◆ Local policies and practices: 69 ◆ Developing or enhancing culturally appropriate services for underserved populations: 68