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CALENDAR OF EVENTS



THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 15 2016

EVE's 20th Annual Forget-Me-Not Silent & Live Auction
Eagle Eye Golf Club



THURSDAY -SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 7-10 2017

Fall Volunteer Training with CARE & MSU Safe Place



OCTOBER 2017

Domestic Violence Awareness Month



October 12, 2017

Candle Light Vigil in honor of Domestic Violence Awareness Month
Eli and Edythe Broad Art Museum
Michigan State University



HOPE

SEXUAL ASSAULT SERVICES NOW IN EATON COUNTY

EVE has been busy living up to their mission to provide shelter and support services to survivors of domestic and sexual violence and within that comes one important thing – expansion. EVE is proud to announce that they have recently opened a new location serving the Eaton County community located downtown Charlotte. This office provides counseling, advocacy and community resources to women, men and children affected by sexual violence. The office is fueled by our Sexual Assault Advocate and Counselor who are both excited to be a part of the Eaton County community.



cards at coffee shops where locals gather and youth centers where teens spend time to let community members know they are now here and ready to help. Delgado did receive some hesitation at first from the community. Delgado expanded by saying, "Being in a community that is so small we often hear the myth that sexual violence does not occur here." She went on to say, "Just because you don't see it, or hear about it doesn't mean it's not there." All too often sexual violence goes unreported due to several factors including fear of retaliation, judgment, and not being believed. EVE's Eaton County hopes to combat all those issues within the community.

We asked Delgado what EVE's Eaton County's Sexual Assaults program's main goal is "We really want to raise awareness, not only that we are here, but what we as a community can do to support survivors, bring awareness of sexual violence within our communities and break the culture of sexual assault."

"It definitely took some grassroots efforts and working together with Eaton county community agencies to get our foot in the door."

Delgado wants the community to know that even though they are small, they are mighty. "Even though there are only two of us, we offer a variety of resources, advocacy and counseling to support and encourage healing in the Eaton County office. Plus EVE is a much larger community with a variety of programs and groups that all survivors and co-survivors have access to."

If you get a chance to visit the location, your experience will be one of peace and tranquility. Delgado said, that was their main goal. "We really wanted to create a soothing and safe space that encourages healing and radiates positive and supportive energy for clients. A space that greets clients where they are at in their healing process. Where they can process their feelings, concerns and experiences."



Jessica Delgado, Sexual Assault Counselor for Eaton County explained. "It definitely took some grassroots efforts and working together with Eaton county community agencies to get our foot in the door." Delgado described going throughout the community meeting with different agencies talking with community members and leaving business

114 East Lawrence

MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Dear Friends of EVE,

Every day, victims and survivors reach out to EVE seeking support. They have had their lives irrevocably changed by the choice of another person. What they find when they come to EVE are not the solutions but a map of the paths toward healing.

Let's imagine that trauma is the State of Michigan and each survivor is a new visitor. We all know that Michigan is a great and vastly diverse state with different terrains, communities, and pitfalls. We know that the residents of Michigan are from all walks of life with infinite variabilities in their lived experiences. We also know there are vast differences between survivors, their perception of justice, and their trauma.

EVE, is the visitor's bureau. We have the maps, the descriptions of the various cities, and have some ideas of the pitfalls. Our job is not to tell someone where they are going, what route they want to take, but to demystify the options, share knowledge of the landscape, and be a support on the journey.

In the pages of this annual report you will find the many ways we travel with victims and survivors on their journey toward their self-identified destination. These journeys take people through law enforcement offices, judicial systems, housing programs, other cities, therapy, laughter and sadness.

EVE staff are honored victims and survivors choose us as companions, supports, or guides through these journeys but we never lose sight of who is doing all the work. The victims and survivors face each turn with a level of resolve that only exists in those seeking their own justice; they are the drivers.

EVE donor, funder, and community partner lay the stones, carve the paths, and provide the structure for us to guide victims and survivors through. We are grateful to you all for your support and trust as we travel with victims and survivors on their journeys.

In gratitude and fortitude,

Erin Roberts

Executive Director



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VOLUNTEER HIGHLIGHT: OUR CHILDREN'S PROGRAM

One of our interns at EVE has been vigorously working in our children's program to create a safe yet creative and inviting place for our child residents. "After volunteering for the children's program for a couple of nights I noticed if the children didn't have some sort of routine and structure they just kind of sat around. It was really important to me to bring that element in with me each time I did childcare" Angel explains. Angel who has asked to remain on a first name basis, attends Siena Heights University and is finishing her Bachelor's degree in Community Health and Human Services. She chose to intern with EVE because she was interested in issues around domestic violence and sexual assault. It may be because of Angel's background in early childhood development that she has excelled in creating fun activities for the children to complete. "My initial goal was to have a therapeutic project prepared for the children that invoked activity because activity provides focus, confidence and feelings of self-worth while also fostering unity among children and staff," Angel said.



A few of the projects they did create was a community garden using their hands and finger paint. Also, to correspond with that project Angel brought in some cups, dirt and seeds for the children to plant and watch grow so they could create a real garden. Additionally, Angel had them create wind catchers out of plastic water bottles to celebrate Independence Day. Angel described the projects by saying, "The Our Garden represents friendship and growth of our EVE family coming together as one and the plastic cup plants are meant to be therapeutic and allow the children to feel responsible for nurturing something."



Angel still has a few weeks left of her internship with EVE and has one final project planned. "I want to help them create sensory bottles," she said. "I want to be able to direct the child's attention to a calming and relaxing state to allow them a break from the sometimes chaotic environment." Sensory bottles are often used as a no-mess play technique where children (or adults) focus on the contents within the bottle as they move it through their hands. This type of play can distract the brain from the surrounding environment and create a feeling of peace and relaxation. When asked where Angel received her inspirations for these projects she explained, "In some way, shape, or form, these children have experienced a variety of emotions in relation to domestic violence. This could be witnessing the behavior and/or noticing a change in family dynamics. I wanted to provide opportunities of curative healing to meet the children's needs."



Thank You

The work that we do would not be possible without the continued support from members of our community. Your dedication and generosity has helped protect, clothe, shelter, feed, heal & advocate for hundreds of survivors & their families. We offer our sincerest gratitude & appreciation for all



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Dylan Church		

With 91 volunteers donating over 7,200 hours their time, EVE is able to staff the crisis line, organize fundraisers, and give students the opportunity to learn from our staff through internships. We couldn't do what we do without our volunteers!

Although they are not listed due to lack of space, we want to acknowledge the 240 Individuals who supported us with a donation of \$50-\$249, the 94 Individuals who supported us with a donation under \$50 and the hundreds of individuals who provided in-kind contributions. Thank you for all you do!

THANK YOU TO OUR 2017 STUDENT VOLUNTEERS

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IN MEMORY, HONOR & CELEBRATION



IN MEMORY OF
SY PAULIK
Grace Scott

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Congratulations on 67 years of
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IN MEMORY OF



How Does EVE HELP SURVIVORS?

UNDUPLICATED STATISTICS FISCAL YEAR 2015-2016



24 HOUR CRISIS LINE

Total Calls for Assistance 2,587



SHELTER

Adults 69

Children 47



Total Shelter Nights 9,911

ADVOCACY SERVICES



Residential contacts 2,428

Non-Residential contacts 1,892

COUNSELING

Individual Counseling Hours 922

Group Counseling Hours 1,402

Telephone Counseling Hours 152



PERSONAL PROTECTION ORDER OFFICE

Domestic violence, sexual assault & stalking victims 2,046

General public 1,839



CHILD & FAMILY PROGRAM

Children Served 79

Adults Served 0



COMMUNITY EDUCATION

Total Individuals Receiving Presentations 2,018

Dating Violence Prevention Attendees 527

Domestic Violence/Elder Abuse Attendees 545

Awareness, Outreach & Resource Fair Attendees 946



VOLUNTEERS 91



CLIENT FEEDBACK

These comments are taken from client surveys that are completed throughout each year. The names of the individuals writing the comments have not been provided in order to honor their confidentiality.

What I found most helpful was all the support provided by Eve staff and resources available.

I was treated with love and respect. The staff are the best!

The strength I got from working with my advocate, counselor and going to groups gave me the confidence to go forward on my own knowing I can do it and deserve better from a partner.

The staff listens and provides emotional support. They build you up with positive energy.

The resources Eve provides while in shelter and after you leave is amazing. I always feel like they will be there if I am in need at any point.

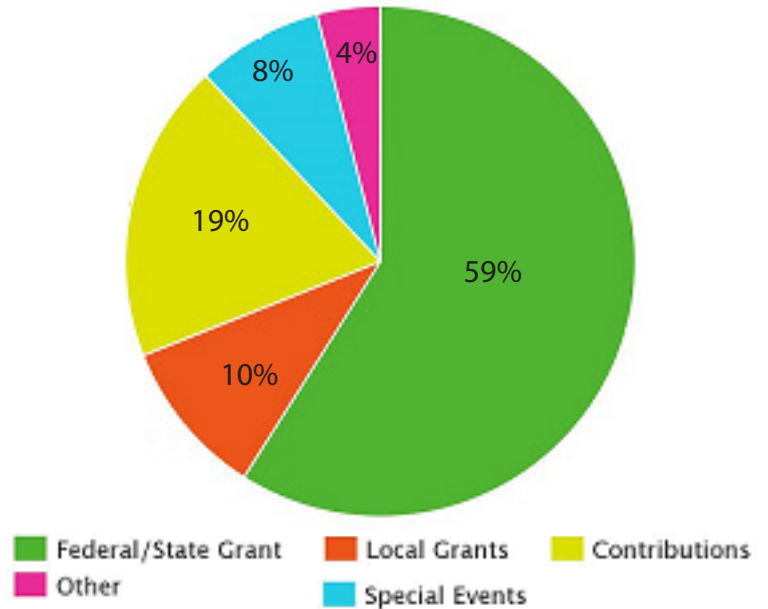
Eve staff never let me feel alone. They were with me through every process of PPO, Divorce and moving on alone. Very understanding and compassionate staff

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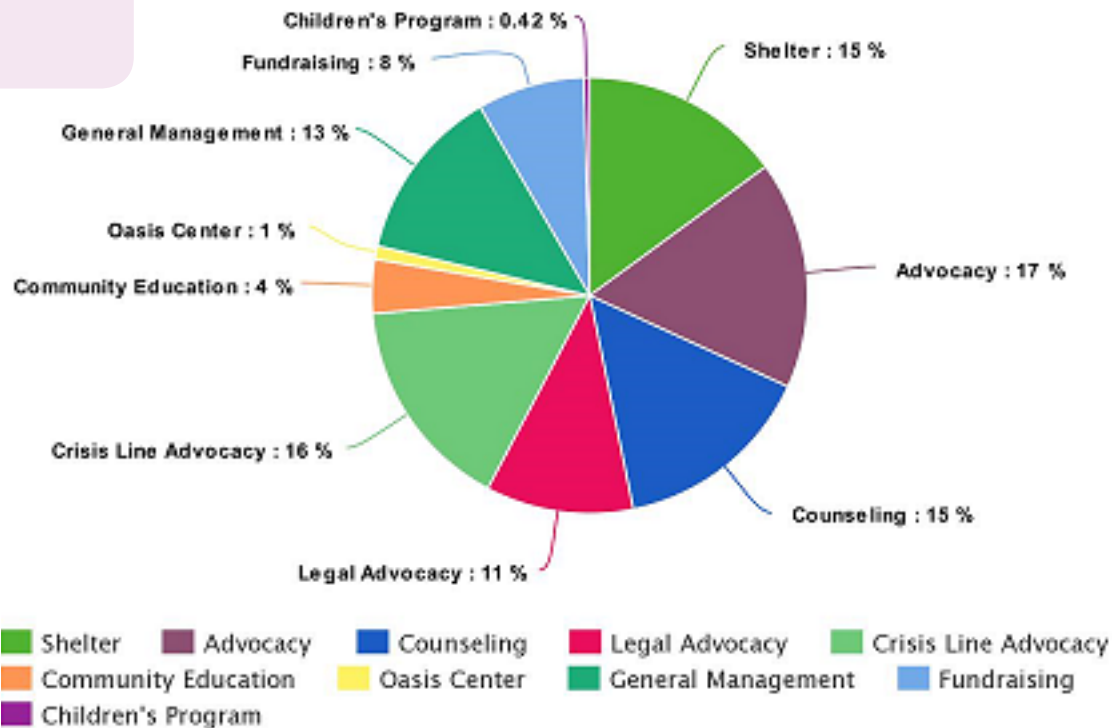
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 Child & Adult Care Food Program
 City of East Lansing
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SUPPORT & REVENUE



TOTAL REVENUE=\$915,955

PROGRAM EXPENSES



TOTAL EXPENDITURES=\$950,044

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