# Join Us!

- Discover volunteer and internship opportunities
- Become a Kids' HOPE Mentor
- Donate
- Join a workgroup
- Help fundraise
- Join our survivor activist group: VOICES
- Invite us to speak at your event
- Host a food drive to stock our pantry
- Follow us on social media
- Schedule a private tour to learn more

# The Benefit

Violence is a community issue that affects our public safety, schools, economy, health care and criminal justice system. Please join us as we come together for a better Oklahoma City!

Collective impact increases efficiency for people accessing services, saves time and tax payer money and enhances victim safety, according to the Department of Justice. Published outcomes of the FJC model include:

- Decreased number of domestic-related crimes
- Increased prosecution of offenders
- Reduced trauma, fear and anxiety for victims and their children
- Reduced homicides



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#### MAIN LINE

405.552.1010

#### **OFFICE HOURS**

8 am – 5 pm Monday – Friday NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY





#### **OKLAHOMA CITY'S FAMILY JUSTICE CENTER**



#### A PUBLIC/PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP WITH THE CITY OF OKLAHOMA CITY

## The Need

- Oklahoma is ranked 4th in the nation among states with the highest rates of females murdered by males (Violence Policy Center, 2016).
- In 2016, there were 35,063 calls to Oklahoma City 911 that were domestic related.

Violence is a serious problem in Oklahoma City, and many victims are inadvertently discouraged from getting help because of the difficulty in obtaining services. Victims must go from location to location and tell their stories, over and over again, to different agencies (police, courts, social services, victim services, shelter, etc.) to access services. Depending on the victim's unique needs, there are potentially over 30 agencies a victim may need to access within Oklahoma City. This disjointed response easily overwhelms people, and they give up.

Before Palomar, it would take a victim over 3 hours to drive to each location across Oklahoma City that they would need to visit to get help from all service providers.

Thanks to Palomar bringing a collective group of partners under one roof, a client can find protection, hope and healing in ONE location!



In order to maintain confidentiality The Dragonfly Home location could not be placed on the map.

## **On Site Partners**











### Palomar is changing how this story ends....

**PALOMAR:** Oklahoma City's Family Justice Center (FJC) is based on a nationally recognized evidencebased model that provides a community of strength and healing for survivors and their children. Palomar is a public/private partnership with the City of Oklahoma City that brings together a multi-disciplinary team of professionals who work together, in one convenient location, to alleviate the obstacles in obtaining medical, legal, therapeutic and social services for victims and their children.

**OUR MISSION** is to provide protection, hope, and healing.

**OUR VISION** is an Oklahoma City that is free from violence, where safety and security is felt by all.



Palomar provides FREE and CONFIDENTIAL assistance to survivors (and their children) of domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking, trafficking and elder abuse. We welcome people of all ages, men and women, regardless of sexual orientation, language spoken, immigration status or income. All are welcome at Palomar.

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