

A STALKING.ORG REFERENCE GUIDE

Reporting Stalking to New York Officials

New York State & New York City Edition

Every hotline, police unit, district attorney, and Family Justice Center
you need — organized by agency and by borough.

All 5 NYC boroughs covered
Statewide NYS agencies included
Verified phone numbers & addresses

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GETTING STARTED

How to Use This Guide

This guide is organized in three layers: **statewide** New York resources, **citywide** NYC resources, and **borough-by-borough** contacts for the District Attorney, Family Justice Center, and courthouse nearest you.

Start here: if you're unsure who to call, the NYS Domestic & Sexual Violence Hotline (1-800-942-6906) and NYC's 311 line can both point you to the right office for your exact situation.

Before you call: have your documentation ready — dates, what happened, any messages or photos saved, and whether a report has already been filed elsewhere.

If you're in danger: call 911 first. Every other number in this guide is for follow-up support, not emergency response.

What's inside

- Emergency & immediate-danger contacts
- NYS statewide agencies (OPDV, OVS, courts)
- NYC citywide agencies & hotlines
- NYPD reporting & Special Victims Division
- All 5 NYC Family Justice Centers
- Each borough's DA, courthouse & FJC
- Step-by-step: filing a report & getting an Order of Protection
- A one-page master contact sheet

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ACT NOW

Emergency & Immediate Danger

If a stalker is near you right now, threatening you, or has violated a protective order, these are your first calls — before anything else in this guide.

Emergency — Police, Fire, Medical

911

Call if you are in immediate danger, right now.

NYC non-emergency city services

311

Connects you to NYC agencies, including the nearest Family Justice Center.

NYPD Crime Stoppers (anonymous tips)

1-800-577-TIPS (8477)

Spanish: 1-888-57-PISTA (74782). For tips, not emergencies.

Can't speak safely? In most of the U.S., you can text 911 in areas where Text-to-911 is supported, or silently use an emergency dispatch chat if your situation prevents a phone call.

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● New York State — Statewide Agencies

These agencies serve every county in New York State, including all five NYC boroughs.

NYS Domestic & Sexual Violence Hotline

1-800-942-6906

24/7 · Spanish 1-800-942-6908 · Text 844-997-2121 · TTY 711 · Chat at opdv.ny.gov
opdv.ny.gov

NYS Office for the Prevention of Domestic Violence (OPDV)

518-457-5800

Fax 518-457-5810 · Policy, training, and statewide coordination on domestic violence and stalking.
opdv.ny.gov

NYS Office of Victim Services (OVS)

1-800-247-8035

Helps crime victims statewide with compensation for counseling, lost wages, relocation, and more.
ovs.ny.gov

NYS Police

911 for emergencies

For non-emergency matters outside NYC, contact your local State Police barracks via nysp.ny.gov.
nysp.ny.gov

NYS Office for New Americans

1-800-566-7636

Mon–Fri, 9am–8pm · Free help for immigrants, regardless of status, in multiple languages.
ny.gov/new-americans

NYS Unified Court System — Help Center

833-503-0447

General guidance on filing for an Order of Protection and navigating Family or Criminal Court.
nycourts.gov/courthelp

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NYC • CITYWIDE

● New York City — Citywide Agencies

City-run and city-funded resources available to residents of all five boroughs.

NYC Domestic Violence Hotline (Safe Horizon)

1-800-621-HOPE (4673)

24/7 · Also reachable by dialing 311 · TDD 866-604-5350

Safe Horizon — Crime Victims Hotline

1-866-689-HELP (4357)

24/7 · For victims of any crime, including stalking · TDD 866-604-5350
safehorizon.org

Safe Horizon — Rape & Sexual Assault Hotline

212-227-3000

24/7, multilingual

Mayor's Office to End Domestic and Gender-Based Violence (ENDGBV)

212-788-3156

Runs NYC's Family Justice Centers and citywide DV/stalking policy.
nyc.gov/endgbv

NYC Anti-Violence Project (LGBTQ+ survivors)

212-714-1141

24/7, Spanish available · For LGBTQ+ and HIV-affected survivors of violence.

NYC Administration for Children's Services (child abuse/neglect)

1-800-342-3720

Or dial 311 · If a stalker is contacting or endangering a child.

NYC Adult Protective Services (elder/vulnerable adults)

212-630-1853

Mon–Fri, 9am–5pm

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NYPD

●NYPD — Filing a Report

Stalking can be reported at any NYPD precinct, regardless of where you live, work, or where the stalking occurred.

NYPD Special Victims Division / Sex Crimes Report Line**212-267-RAPE (7273)**

24/7 · Also reachable as 646-610-7272

Your local NYPD precinct**Find yours via 311**

Every precinct has a Crime Victim Assistance Program (CVAP) advocate from Safe Horizon, and most have a Domestic Violence Prevention Officer (DVPO). A police report is not required to speak with an advocate.

[nyc.gov/nypd — precinct finder](https://nyc.gov/nypd-precinct-finder)**NYPD Crime Stoppers****1-800-577-TIPS (8477)**

Spanish: 1-888-57-PISTA (74782)

Good to know: you do not need a lawyer or an existing case number to speak with a Crime Victim Assistance Program (CVAP) advocate — they are available at every precinct and can help you understand your options, with or without filing a report first.

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NYC · ALL 5 BOROUGHES

●NYC Family Justice Centers (One Per Borough)

Free, walk-in centers where you can meet a prosecutor, a counselor, and a social-services worker in one visit — no appointment needed, open Monday–Friday, 9am–5pm. Services are free regardless of immigration status, and childcare is available on-site.

Manhattan
212-602-2800

80 Centre Street, 5th Floor, New York, NY 10013

Bronx
718-508-1222

198 East 161st Street, Bronx, NY 10451

Brooklyn
718-250-5111

350 Jay Street, Downtown Brooklyn, NY 11201

Staten Island
718-697-4300

126 Stuyvesant Place, Staten Island, NY 10301

Queens
718-575-4500

126-02 82nd Avenue, Kew Gardens, NY 11415

Can't get there in person? Call 311 and ask to be connected to the Family Justice Center nearest you, or call the center directly to ask about phone intake.

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● Manhattan (New York County)

Manhattan District Attorney — Domestic Violence Unit 212-335-4308

General DA office: 212-335-9000 · Elder Abuse Unit: 212-335-9007
manhattanda.org

NYC Family Justice Center — Manhattan 212-602-2800

80 Centre Street, 5th Floor

Family Court — Manhattan

60 Lafayette Street, New York, NY 10013
nycourts.gov/courts/nyc/family

Manhattan Special Victims Squad shares intake with NYPD's citywide Special Victims Division.

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● Brooklyn (Kings County)

Brooklyn District Attorney — Domestic Violence Bureau

718-250-3300

Elder Abuse Unit: 718-250-5299

brooklynda.org

NYC Family Justice Center — Brooklyn

718-250-5111

350 Jay Street

Family Court — Brooklyn

330 Jay Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201

nycourts.gov/courts/nyc/family

Brooklyn's Family Justice Center and DA's office are both near Downtown Brooklyn's civic center.

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● Queens

Queens District Attorney — Domestic Violence Bureau

718-286-6550

Elder Abuse Project: 718-286-6562 · Elder Fraud Unit: 718-286-6578 · ElderAbuse@queensda.org
 queensda.org

NYC Family Justice Center — Queens

718-575-4500

126-02 82nd Avenue, Kew Gardens

Family Court — Queens

151-20 Jamaica Avenue, Jamaica, NY 11432
 nycourts.gov/courts/nyc/family

Queens DA's office shares a campus area with Queens Family and Criminal Courts in Kew Gardens/Jamaica.

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●The Bronx

Bronx District Attorney — Crime Victims Assistance Unit

718-590-2115

General DA office: 718-590-2000

bronxda.nyc.gov

NYC Family Justice Center — The Bronx

718-508-1222

198 East 161st Street

Family Court — The Bronx

900 Sheridan Avenue, Bronx, NY 10451

nycourts.gov/courts/nyc/family

The Bronx Family Justice Center sits close to Bronx Family and Criminal Court on the Grand Concourse.

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● Staten Island (Richmond County)

Richmond County DA — Domestic Violence Case Coordinator

718-556-7167

Elder Abuse Unit: 718-697-8314 · info@rcda.nyc.gov
statenislandda.org

NYC Family Justice Center — Staten Island

718-697-4300

126 Stuyvesant Place

Family Court — Staten Island

100 Richmond Terrace, Staten Island, NY 10301
nycourts.gov/courts/nyc/family

Staten Island's Domestic Violence Response Team (DVRT) coordinates high-risk cases across all 4 precincts.

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Understanding Orders of Protection in New York

Family Court handles orders between people in a relationship recognized by law — spouses, ex-spouses, people with a child together, or close relatives. No criminal charge is required, and it's free to file.

Criminal Court issues an order of protection as part of a criminal case against the stalker, usually after an arrest or criminal charge is filed.

Not sure which applies to you? You can often file in both, and a Family Justice Center or court Help Center can tell you which fits your situation at no cost.

NYS Courts Help Center

833-503-0447

Free guidance on filing, required forms, and what to expect in court.

nycourts.gov/courthelp

Where to file

Your borough's Family Court (see its Borough Guide page) or the criminal court handling the stalker's case.

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HOW-TO

Step-by-Step: What to Expect

●Filing a Police Report

- 1 Go to any NYPD precinct — you do not have to go to the one nearest the stalker.
- 2 Ask to speak with an officer and say clearly that you want to report stalking or harassment.
- 3 Bring your documentation: dates, messages, photos, and names of any witnesses.
- 4 Ask for the report's complaint number before you leave, and request a copy if possible.
- 5 Ask to speak with the precinct's Crime Victim Assistance Program (CVAP) advocate for follow-up support.

●Getting an Order of Protection

- 1 Call the NYS Courts Help Center (833-503-0447) or go to your borough's Family Court.
- 2 Ask for a Family Offense Petition if you and the stalker have a qualifying relationship, or inform Criminal Court staff if charges are already pending.
- 3 A judge can issue a temporary order the same day, often without the other party present.
- 4 The stalker is formally served with the order — court staff can explain the service process.
- 5 Keep a copy of the order with you, at home, at work, and give one to building or school security if relevant.

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SPECIALIZED SUPPORT

Specialized Support by Situation

LGBTQ+ survivors — NYC Anti-Violence Project
212-714-1141

24/7, Spanish available.

Immigrants, any status — NYS Office for New Americans
1-800-566-7636

Mon–Fri, 9am–8pm, multilingual. Immigration status never affects access to safety services.

A child is involved — NYC Administration for Children's Services
1-800-342-3720

Or dial 311, if a stalker is contacting, threatening, or endangering a child.

An older adult is the victim — NYC Adult Protective Services
212-630-1853

Mon–Fri, 9am–5pm. See also each borough's DA Elder Abuse Unit on its Borough Guide page.

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QUICK REFERENCE

Quick-Reference Contact Sheet

Print or save this page — every number in this guide, in one place.

Agency	Phone	Scope
Emergency — Police, Fire, Medical	911	Emergency
NYC non-emergency city services	311	Emergency
NYPD Crime Stoppers (anonymous tips)	1-800-577-TIPS (8477)	Emergency
NYS Domestic & Sexual Violence Hotline	1-800-942-6906	NYS
NYS Office for the Prevention of Domestic Violence (OPDV)	518-457-5800	NYS
NYS Office of Victim Services (OVS)	1-800-247-8035	NYS
NYS Police	911 for emergencies	NYS
NYS Office for New Americans	1-800-566-7636	NYS
NYS Unified Court System — Help Center	833-503-0447	NYS
NYC Domestic Violence Hotline (Safe Horizon)	1-800-621-HOPE (4673)	NYC
Safe Horizon — Crime Victims Hotline	1-866-689-HELP (4357)	NYC
Safe Horizon — Rape & Sexual Assault Hotline	212-227-3000	NYC
Mayor's Office to End Domestic and Gender-Based Violence (ENDGBV)	212-788-3156	NYC
NYC Anti-Violence Project (LGBTQ+ survivors)	212-714-1141	NYC
NYC Administration for Children's Services (child abuse/neglect)	1-800-342-3720	NYC
NYC Adult Protective Services (elder/vulnerable adults)	212-630-1853	NYC
NYPD Special Victims Division / Sex Crimes Report Line	212-267-RAPE (7273)	NYPD
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About Stalking.org



A 501(c)(3) nonprofit providing free, accessible safety tools to people facing stalking and cyberstalking — no account, no cost.

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Support the work

Donations keep every free tool and guide on stalking.org available for the next person who needs them.

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