

Honoring Texas Victims

2022 Family Violence Fatalities

216 TEXANS KILLED BY
INTIMATE PARTNERS

6 LGBTQ+ victims

17 Victims killed during
pregnancy or within
one year post-partum

19 Teen and young adult
victims

Annually, the Texas Council on Family Violence identifies men and women killed by their intimate partners or stalking perpetrators to both honor their memories and raise awareness. We hope this review elevates community conversations, collaborations, and commitment to domestic violence prevention and intervention strategies.

In 2022, TCFV documented the second highest number of intimate partner homicides in the last decade; 216 Texans were victims of family violence fatalities. This number includes 179 women and 37 men, including six LGBTQ+ victims.

Fatalities by County

*Homicide
occurred
in counties
designated
in white

Homicide perpetrators also killed 28 family members, friends, or bystanders and injured an additional 14 victims, including five law enforcement officers and nine family members, neighbors, and friends. The victims included 10 children who were killed and two children who were injured. Two hundred seventeen adults and minor children lost a parent to domestic violence.

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TEXAS COUNTIES
EXPERIENCED A
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE
HOMICIDE IN 2022

Women killed Men killed

5	DENTON	2
6	TRAVIS	2
7	TARRANT	5
10	BEXAR	2
15	DALLAS	4
46	HARRIS	5

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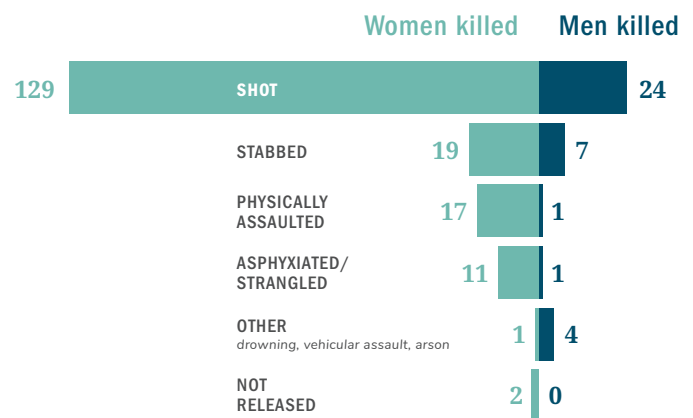
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Method of Homicide and Firearm Impact

THE NUMBER OF WOMEN
KILLED BY A MALE PARTNER
WITH A FIREARM HAS
nearly doubled
IN THE LAST DECADE.



96%

of family members, friends,
and bystanders killed were
killed with a firearm

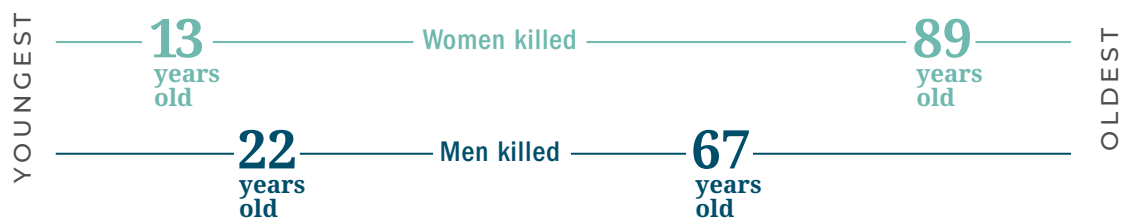
100%

of family members,
friends, and bystanders
injured were shot

18

perpetrators had
identified firearm
prohibitions

Victim Age



Relationship

Relationship	WOMEN KILLED BY MEN	MEN KILLED BY WOMEN	LGBTQ+ VICTIMS
GIRLFRIEND/BOYFRIEND	68	22	5
WIFE/HUSBAND	64	8	1
EX-GIRLFRIEND/EX-BOYFRIEND	35	3	
EX-WIFE/EX-HUSBAND	7	1	
STALKING PERPETRATOR	2		

82 had separated or
ended relationship

63 sought help

51% had taken steps
to end abuse

71% were killed at home