



Union County Family Justice Center

The Union County Family Justice Center (FJC) is a joint initiative of the County of Union, the Union County Prosecutor's Office, and the YWCA Union County. The mission of the Family Justice Center is to provide a community-wide approach to delivering services to victims of domestic violence and their families through a coordinated effort among agencies, including county government, law enforcement, domestic violence agencies, social service agencies, and the court, to enhance safety by ensuring that victims receive the maximum protections under the law and that perpetrators are held accountable. The services and partners of the FJC include:

Counseling/Case Management: Professionals specializing in domestic violence provide emergency counseling to clients, as well as assistance connecting clients to needed social services.

Court Advocacy: Court Advocates help clients navigate the court system and provide court preparation and advocacy.

Legal Advice & Representation: An attorney specializing in domestic violence provides advice and representation to clients for restraining orders, family law, immigration, and more.

Law Enforcement: Officers are on site to assist clients with police reports and other matters.

Prosecutor: Direct assistance from onsite UCPO prosecutors, investigation, and victim/witness staff.

Social Services: Referrals for services such as housing, rental assistance, employment, immigration and more will be available onsite and through referrals to outside social service agencies.

Medical/Mental Health/Substance Abuse: Direct referrals to community providers will be available to address health related matters.

Onsite FJC Partners:

Union County Prosecutor's Office
Office of Victim/Witness Advocacy
Law Enforcement

Partners for Women and Justice
Central Jersey Legal Services
PROCEED, Inc.

Offsite Partners:

Trinitas Regional Medical Center
Homefirst

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