The Indiana Coalition Against Domestic Violence and the Indiana Domestic Violence Fatality Review Team want to provide some brief insight into deaths related to intimate partner violence for the given time period. The authors acknowledge that this information represents only those deaths which are identified and known and that there are more losses that are not known to us. We also encourage the reader to use this information with compassion. As a part of the data collection for our Re-Centering Report (http://icadvinc.org/movement/) survivors of intimate partner violence told us that they find messaging of domestic violence death statistics triggering and harmful to their healing process. Statistically, fatal incidents are outliers, a tragic but small piece of the puzzle. When we discuss domestic violence only in the context of deadly incidents, we are minimizing the coercive control, non-lethal and non-physical forms of violence that survivors experience every day.

**GENDER OF DECEDENT**

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* Please note, the gender reported is based on publicly available sources and typically corresponds to the gender assigned at birth, not necessarily the gender identity each person may have been expressing at the time of their death.

**MANNER OF FATAL INJURY**

- Firearm X 66
- Stabbing X 5
- Blunt Force X 3
- Strangulation X 1
- Overdose X 1
- Lack of Maternal Support X 1
- Undetermined X 1

**RELATIONSHIP TO PERPETRATOR**

- Current or former intimate partner: 40
  - 27
  - 3
  - 3
  - 4
- Self/perpetrator: 1
- Bystander: 3
- Child: 1
- Family member/friend of intimate partner: 1
- Unknown/undetermined: 1

*Unknown / Undetermined relationship to perpetrator indicates that, while the death occurred during the course of a confirmed incident of domestic violence, the authors could not find sufficient information to make an accurate determination of the decedent's relationship to any party and choose to err on the side of caution.

**FATALITIES BY COUNTY**

The map shows the distribution of domestic violence fatalities by county in Indiana, with fatalities ranging from 0 to 11-15.

**TYPE OF FATAL INCIDENT**

- Single Fatality: 45
- Homicide/Suicide: 15
- Multiple Homicide/Suicide: 1

- Single Fatality: (Incident where a single individual was killed.)
- Homicide/Suicide: (Incident where abusive partner killed victim and /or others before dying by suicide.)
- Multiple Homicide/Suicide: (Incident where more than 1 person is killed by the abusive partner before they die by suicide.)

*Please note, 0 fatalities indicated means that there were none reported. This does not mean that 0 occurred.