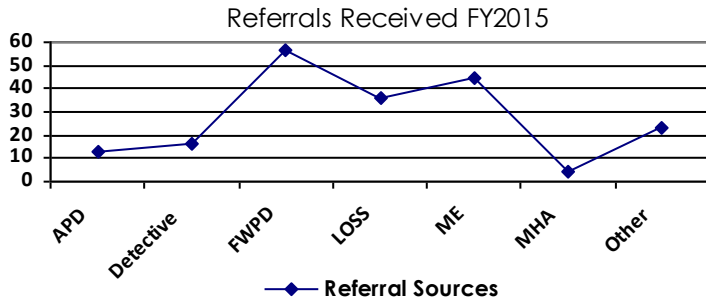


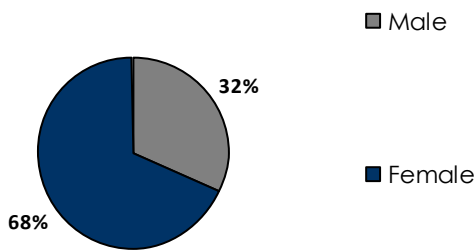
LOSS Team



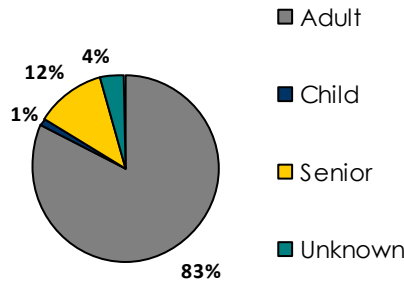
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Community Outreach	2841

Demographics

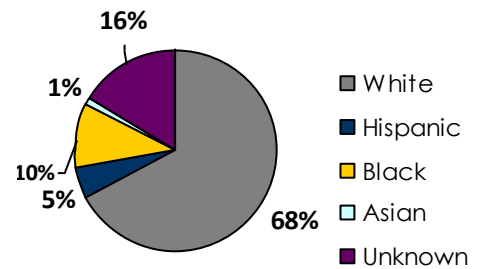
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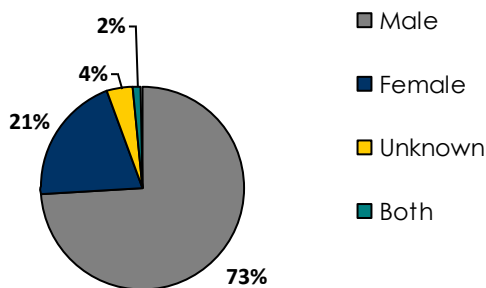
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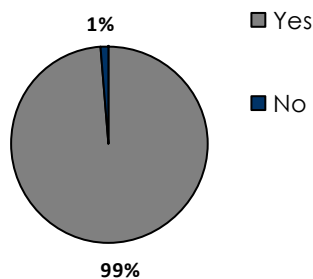
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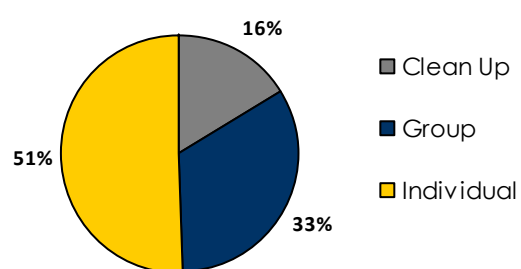
Zip Code Represented	85
States Represented	9

Services Accessed

Packet Sent



Services Accessed



State Zip Codes Served

State	Times Served
Texas	73
North Carolina	3
Colorado	2
Wyoming	2

State	Times Served
Louisiana	1
Michigan	1
New York	1
Tennessee	1
Wisconsin	1

Texas Zip Codes Served

County	Times Served
Tarrant	50
Dallas	6
Parker	5
Hood	3
Collin	2

County	Times Served
Denton	2
Johnson	2
El Paso	1
Galveston	1
Rockwall	1

Tarrant County Zip Codes Served

Zip Codes	Times Served
76116	8
76109	6
76012, 76013, 76063, 76110	5
76112, 76132, 76179, 76244	4
76001, 76010, 76016, 76020, 76052, 76104, 76108, 76115, 76117, 76119, 76123, 76126,	3

Zip Codes	Times Served
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LOSS Team

Overview: The *LOSS Team* is a collaborative project among Mental Health America of Tarrant County (MHA), Fort Worth Police Department (FWPD) in Fort Worth, TX, Arlington Police Department Victim Services Unit (APD-VAU) in Arlington, TX., and the Medical Examiner of Tarrant County (ME). *LOSS Team* is designed to decrease the time between the loss of a loved one to suicide and the access of grief support services to process that loss. This is a major step toward suicide prevention since research indicates that those bereaved by suicide are at an increased risk for dying by suicide themselves.

Results at a Glance:

LOSS Team has had direct contact with 194 survivors—23% ME (45), 2% MHA (4), 7% APD (13) 12% Other (23), 8% directly from Detectives (16), 19% LOSS (36), and 29% FWPD (57).

For these survivors,

- 148 of these survivors received information on resources (e.g. self-help books, resource list for grief support and other services in the community);

- 73 of these survivors were able to be followed up with and reported that they accessed some form of grief support services, e.g., support group or individual counseling;

- Elapsed time has been on average within 27 days of *LOSS Team* initial contact with survivor (Range 1 day to 208 with 74% of those accessing services within 30 days or less).

- Specifically, we have been able to a) provide services to survivors when the FWPD and APD VAU has not been able to due to protocols in the investigation process; and b) have been able to provide long-term follow-up for survivors as well that are beyond the scope of FWPD and APD VAU's crisis intervention role.

In May of 2015, we began collaborating with the Medical Examiner of Tarrant County to expand *LOSS Team* to cover Tarrant County.