U.S. Government Websites on Domestic Violence

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Health Topic: Violence/Suicide

http://www.cdc.gov/health/violence.htm

The CDC publishes a number of useful fact sheets related to violence against women, covering such topics as dating violence, intimate partner violence, male batterers, and violence in the workplace.

U.S. Dept. of Defense. Defense Task Force on Domestic Violence

http://www.dtic.mil/domesticviolence/

Established by the National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2000, the Defense Task Force on Domestic Violence reviews and evaluates current policies associated with domestic violence in the military. The task force is charged with formulating a long-term strategic plan, which will provide the Secretary of Defense with recommendations that will enhance existing programs for preventing domestic violence and suggest new approaches to addressing the issue.

<u>U.S.</u> Dept. of Health and Human Services. Office on Women's Health. National Women's Health Information Center's Violence Against Women Website

http://www.4woman.gov/violence/

The Office on Women's Health of the U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services added this special section on Violence Against Women to offer information and resources to women concerning domestic violence, intimate partner violence, sexual assault and abuse, dating violence and elder abuse. The site also links to the Nation's Agenda to End Violence Against Women, state resources, and an extensive list of publications.

<u>U.S. Dept. of Justice. National Criminal Justice Reference Service. Justice Information Center</u>

http://virlib.ncjrs.org/VictimsOfCrime.asp

The Justice Information Center of the National Criminal Justice Reference Service provides an extensive list of important documents related to the victims of domestic and family violence on this site. Topics covered include a model code on domestic and family violence, data collection, civil protection orders, intervention programs, and legislation. Links to other Internet resources are also provided.

<u>U.S. Dept. of Justice. Office of Justice Programs. Violence Against Women Office</u> http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/vawo/

The Violence Against Women Office of the Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Dept. of Justice, provides information about the Violence Against Women Act, the National Domestic Violence Hotline telephone number (800-799-SAFE), national and local resources for victims and others, federal grant programs and documents, statistics, and relevant speeches.