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**24 HOUR
CRISIS
SUPPORT
HOTLINE:**

413-536-1628

- **Emergency Shelter**
- **Individual Counseling**
- **Support groups — English/Spanish/Russian**
- **Legal, medical, financial & housing advocacy**
- **In-court legal advocates @ Holyoke & Chicopee District Courts, Hampden County Family & Probate Court**
- **Comprehensive teen services**
- **Child advocacy & programming**
- **Community education**
- **Informational & referrals**
- **Economic literacy**
- **Bilingual/bicultural services available**

ALL Womanshelter services are confidential & free of charge



Everyone has the right to live without fear of abuse—physical, verbal, mental, sexual or emotional

Womanshelter Compañeras

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Our mission is to assist, support & empower those whose lives are affected by battering & abuse. We strive to reduce & prevent domestic violence through public awareness efforts.

BIG MOVE

In the spring, with the help of a generous grant from Lowe's, Womanshelter/Compañeras was able to move their offices to the old Steam Building on 208 Race Street in Holyoke.



Ed Caisse from the Holyoke Safe Neighborhood Initiative & Hampden County Sheriff's Office, along with Amber Lopez, visit with Director Karen B. Cavanaugh & Carmen Nieves



A beautiful donation from Michelle at Hands Across the Valley Quilters Guild!



Volunteers from Rachel's Table delivering milk to our shelter families



Chicopee Mayor Kos visits W/C's new space

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