

# SFY17 Q4 Program Report Card: Intimate Partner Violence - Family Assessment Intervention Response (IPV-FAIR)

**Quality of Life Result:** All Connecticut children to do well and thrive in their homes free of Intimate Partner Violence. Every person and system involved with a child's care will work in partnership to ensure positive outcomes for the children and their families.

**Contribution to the Result:** IPV-FAIR provides a community & home-based supportive service array of assessment, interventions & linkages to additional services to add all family members impacted by Intimate Partner violence.

SFY 17 Program Expenditures	State Funding	Federal Funding	Other Funding	Total Funding
IPV-FAIR Providers	\$2,240,000	\$0	\$ 3 <sup>rd</sup> party reimbursement varies	\$2,240,000
Fathers for Change-Carla Stover	\$ 29,000	\$0	\$0	\$ 29,000
Consultation & Evaluation	\$ 240,000	\$0	\$0	\$ 240,000

**Partners:** Children/Youth, Family, Family's Natural Supports, Schools, Community Providers, DCF, Judicial Branch Court Support Services Division, Injury Prevention Center.

### How Much Did We Do?

Quarter	MOM	DAD	CHILDREN
JUL-SEP 2016	92	67	101
OCT-DEC 2016	52	30	93
JAN-MAR 2017	38	38	113
APR-JUN 2017	39	48	133

**Story behind the Baseline:** There were 60 families admitted to IPV-FAIR during this quarter. The families consisted of 48 adult women (18 Latino, 17 White, 5 African American or Black, 4 Asian and one client of other ethnic heritage, 3 women did not disclose) and 39 adult men (17 Latino, 12 White, 4 African American or Black, and 4 Asian. Two men did not disclose their ethnic background). The average length of service is 5.5 months for mothers and 6 months for fathers. Enrollments continue to increase after the initial surge a year ago when a 6<sup>th</sup> team was added. The service continues to undergo a significant amount of staff turnover, we hope that all 6 providers will have a full complement of staff (1 Program Manager, 2 Clinicians & 2 Navigators) by the end of the calendar year. All providers remain at capacity/team. Regional gatekeepers maintain a waitlist.

**Trend:** ▲ Yes

### How Well Did We Do It?

Quarter	Black	Hispanic	White
JUL-SEP 16	1	3	11
OCT-DEC 16	6	15	15
JAN-MAR 17	6	13	15
APR-JUN	8	16	16

**Story Behind the Baseline:** In this quarter 50 clients were discharged (21 dads, 29 moms). Of those 40 met at least 70% of treatment goals for a successful discharge (80% of clients). Two clients were discharged because they were identified through assessments as needing a higher level of care, 10 clients were discharged because they failed to engage or the family discontinued services, 2 clients did not complete assessments. Two clients completed the program, but did not meet 70% of their treatment goals.

**Trend:** ▲ Yes

### How Well Did We Do It?

Report Type	Pre	Post
Mom-self report	10	2
Mom-partner report	29	6
Dad-self report	12	5.5
Dad-partner report	17	2

**Story Behind the Baseline:** Abusive Behavior Inventory measures abusive behaviors perpetrated by the client against their partner and perpetrated against the client by their partner. Dads reported their partners' abusive behaviors went down an average of 14 points, and their own abusive behaviors went down an average of 12 points. Moms reported that their abusive behaviors went down an average of 9 points, and their partner's abusive behaviors went down an average of 23 points, demonstrating service is reaching the goal of a reduction in abusive behaviors between partners.

**Trend:** ▲ Yes

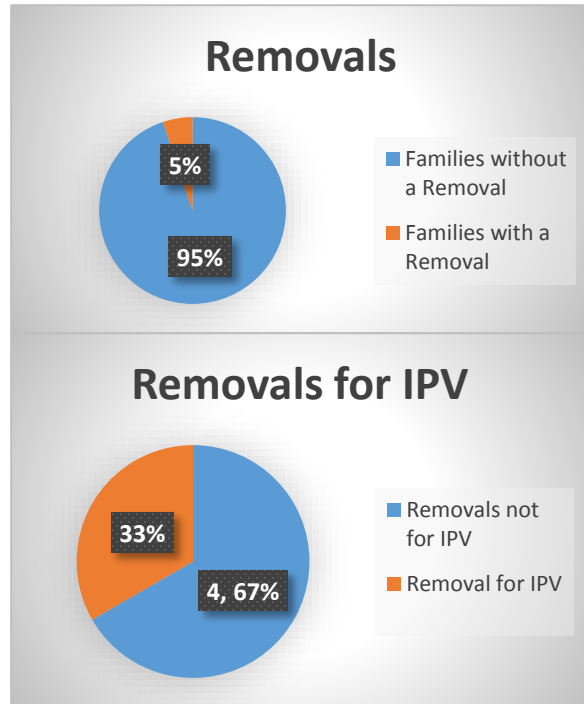
**Trend Going in Right Direction? ▲ Yes; ▼ No; ◀▶ Flat/ No Trend**  
Completed 4-30-17

# SFY17 Q3 Program Report Card: Intimate Partner Violence - Family Assessment Intervention Response (IPV-FAIR)

**Quality of Life Result:** All Connecticut children to do well and thrive in their homes free of Intimate Partner Violence. Every person and system involved with a child's care will work in partnership to ensure positive outcomes for the children and their families.

## Is Anyone Better Off? Removals during treatment

This measure is shifting for this RBA to reflect removals during the treatment period rather than 3, 6 and 12 months post intervention. As such, there is no trend to report.



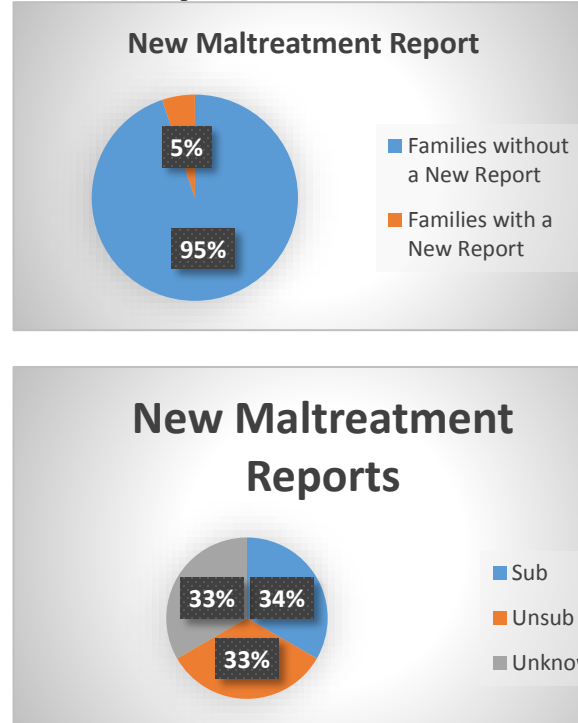
### Story Behind the Baseline:

Thirty-nine families were discharged during this quarter. There were 12 children removed from 6 (15%) of those families during the treatment period. One child was removed only for 2 days and was then returned to her mother's custody. Another child was removed as a newborn and never resided with the family. This is an average of a removal from one family per agency across the state. IPV was the reason for removal for 2 of the 6 (33% of families that experienced a removal, and 5% of all families discharged)

**Trend:** ▲ Yes

## Is Anyone Better Off? New Reports of Maltreatment During Treatment Period

This measure is shifting for this RBA to reflect new reports of maltreatment during the treatment period rather than 3, 6 and 12 months post intervention. As such, there is no trend to report.



**Story Behind the Baseline:** Six (15%) of the 39 families discharged during the quarter had new reports of maltreatment during the treatment period. Two of the six were substantiated, 2 were not, and the disposition of two are unknown to the providers. The average is one new maltreatment report at each of the six agencies, however, there were two agencies where no new maltreatment reports came in.

**Trend:** ▲ Yes

## Proposed Actions to Turn the Curve:

- Continued model development includes:
  - Update the FAIR manual with providers to ensure model fidelity
  - Identify and train on evidenced based interventions that will incorporate elements of co-parenting into the intervention
  - Implement and train on the Mothers and More intervention developed by Dr. Stover
  - Identify and provide training on appropriate IPV offender intervention
- The satisfaction surveys continue to reflect the positive experience of families who complete the program. The majority of clients report having most or all of their needs met.
- Targets are being developed to track each providers' engagement and outcomes

## Data Development Agenda:

- Gatekeepers to maintain referral logs up to date.
- Data system and current reporting are being reviewed to inform recommendations in service planning, program monitoring and system-level planning.
- Implementing a quarterly stoplight report to ensure accurate and timely data entry.
- Identify a strategy for longitudinal data collection to measure repeat maltreatment and removals among families who have completed the intervention.
- Request support of ORE to create a comparison report of factors and demographic profiles of children associated with and without indicators of IPV on a yearly basis.