

# In a violent family, everyone could be a victim.

Research finds a clear and compelling link between animal abuse and domestic violence. In fact, a study of women seeking shelter showed that 71 percent of those with animals affirmed that their partner had threatened, hurt or killed their pet. The Wisconsin Humane Society and Sojourner Family Peace Center recognize this link, which is why we have partnered to offer the Safe Haven program. Safe Haven offers temporary shelter for pets of domestic violence victims. This lifesaving program makes it possible for victims to leave a dangerous situation knowing their animal is safe.

*If you know of a family or animal in danger, contact **Sojourner Family Peace Center** at **414-933-2722**.*

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