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Union County, Illinois

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May 31, 2019

[sent via email]

Nicholas Carter
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Dear Mr. Carter:

Please consider this our response to your attached Freedom of Information Act request, received via email on May 23, 2019 and summarized below:

Report made on 5/18/19 on an assault to my client, Larry Lindsey, Sr., by Union County Ambulance that was picking up Larry Lindsey's wife from their home at XXXXXXXXXXXX.

Please find attached records responsive to your request with the following information redacted:

- Home addresses, personal telephone numbers and driver's license numbers are defined as private information in Section 2(c-5) of FOIA (5 ILCS 140/2(c-5)) and per Section 7(1)(b) of FOIA (5 ILCS 140/7(1)(b)) are therefore exempted.
- Dates of birth are exempt under Section 7(1)(c) of FOIA (5 ILCS 140/7(1)(c)) as approved by the Office of the Attorney General in pre-authorization letter 2011 PAC 13577.
- The names of victims are exempted under Section 7(1)(c) of FOIA (5 ILCS 140/7(1)(c)) as approved by the Office of the Attorney General in pre-authorization letter 2011 PAC 12171.

We consider your request completed. If we can be of further assistance, please let us know.

Sincerely,

Public Information Officer
Union County State's Attorney
rhawk@unioncountyil.gov

Enclosure

Cc: Tyler R. Edmonds, State's Attorney
Scott Harvel, Sheriff





County of Union, Illinois
Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Request Form

Date Requested: 05/23/2019

Request Submitted By: Nicholas Carter, Attorney at Law

Street Address: 1750 S. Brentwood Blvd, Ste 301

City/State/ZIP: St. Louis, MO 63144

Telephone (optional): 314-241-4041 E-mail (optional): _____

Fax (optional): 314-802-8123

Records Requested (please be as specific as possible; attach additional pages if needed):

Report made on 5/18/19 on an assault to my client, Larry Lindsey, Sr., by Union County Ambulance that was picking up Larry Lindsey's wife from their home at [REDACTED]

Is this request for a Commercial Purpose? YES NO

(It is a violation of the Freedom of Information Act for a person to knowingly obtain a public record for a commercial purpose without disclosing that it is for a commercial purpose, if requested to do so by the public body under 5 ILCS 140.3.1(c))

Are you requesting a fee waiver? YES NO

(If you are requesting that the public body waive any fees for copying the documents, you must attach a statement of the purpose of the request, and whether the principal purpose of the request is to access or disseminate information regarding the health, safety and welfare or legal rights of the general public under 5 ILCS 140/6(c)).

Please retain a copy of this form for your records.

Submit the original to one of our FOIA officers:

<p>Rollie Hawk Union County Chief Information Officer 309 West Market Room 115 Jonesboro, IL 62952</p> <p>cio@unioncountyiil.gov</p> <p>(618) 833-8248</p>	<p>Tyler Edmonds Union County State's Attorney 309 West Market Room 239 Jonesboro, IL 62952</p> <p>ucsainfo@unioncountyiil.gov</p> <p>(618) 833-7216</p>
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Incident Report
Union County Sheriff's Office
309 W Market St
Jonesboro, IL 62952
Phone (618) 833-5500

email sheriffadmin@unioncountyil.gov Fax (618) 833-3900

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Incident 2019-002201 Domestic Battery
Reported Saturday, May 18, 2019 @ 16:36:44 by a 911 Cell call
At [REDACTED]

Entered By UC29 Ralls, Stefanie #6279
UC# UC190516020

Officer/Unit Assigned 5U11 AMBULANCE

<u>Unit</u>	5U11	AMBULANCE	
	Enroute	5/18/2019	16:40:25 [REDACTED]
	Arrived	5/18/2019	16:59:29
	Enroute	5/18/2019	17:20:12 UCER
	Arrived	5/18/2019	17:39:54 UCER
	In Service	5/18/2019	18:02:06
<u>Unit</u>	JP10	Clover, Larry	
	Enroute	5/18/2019	17:02:53 [REDACTED]
	Arrived	5/18/2019	17:12:52 [REDACTED]
	In Service	5/18/2019	18:36:16
<u>Unit</u>	UC12	Vicente, Jesse	
	Enroute	5/18/2019	16:59:34 [REDACTED]
	Arrived	5/18/2019	17:15:49
	Status Check	5/18/2019	17:21:05 Watchman Status Re-Cycled for 5 Minutes
	Status Check	5/18/2019	17:35:08 Watchman Status Re-Cycled for 5 Minutes
	Status Check	5/18/2019	17:40:43 Watchman Status Re-Cycled for 5 Minutes
	Status Check	5/18/2019	17:40:59 Watchman Status Re-Cycled for 20 Minutes
	Status Check	5/18/2019	17:59:28 Watchman Status Re-Cycled for 20 Minutes
	In Service	5/18/2019	18:00:35

Departmental Narrative

At&t Mobility, [REDACTED]

Adult
Larry Joe Lindsey
Last Known Address
[REDACTED]
Cell [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] IL DL



DOB	Current Age	Incident Age	Sex	Race	HGT	WGT	Hair	Eyes	Build	Skin
[REDACTED]	64	64	M	W	506	135	BRO	BRO		

Suspect Domestic Violence Pending Investigation

Adult
[REDACTED]
Last Known Address
[REDACTED]
Phone [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] IL DL

DOB	Current Age	Incident Age	Sex	Race	HGT	WGT	Hair	Eyes	Build	Skin
[REDACTED]	27	27	F	W	509	180	BRO	BRO		

Victim Domestic Violence Pending Investigation

Report for Incident 2019-002201, Domestic Battery, document created on 5/18/2019 @ 18:31:24

On May 18th, 2019 I Deputy Vicente with the Union County Sheriff's was dispatched to [REDACTED] in Union County to assist Union County Ambulance with an aggressive subject by the name of Larry J. Lindsey. Union County ambulance was called to [REDACTED] for a medical emergency. Upon arrival I activated my department issued body camera and spoke to Jay Lopez with the Union County ambulance service and he stated that while he was in the residence Larry kicked a dog and Lopez told Larry he didn't have to kick the dog like that. Lopez states Larry got really close to him and began to yell at Lopez. Lopez states he felt threatened and gently pushed Larry to get him away. Immediately after Lopez gently pushed Larry he states that Larry began to "chest bump" and push Lopez back. Lopez states Larry's daughter [REDACTED] interfered and was able to sit on Larry and hold him down to keep Larry from assaulting Lopez. While [REDACTED] was sitting on Larry, Lopez states he heard a "hit/slap" Lopez states [REDACTED] had a red mark on the left cheek bone. Lopez states he did not see Larry actually strike [REDACTED] only heard it.

I spoke to [REDACTED] and she stated the same thing as Lopez stated. [REDACTED] stated that Larry did not mean to strike her. [REDACTED] described the strike as a "Bitch slap". [REDACTED] stated she did not want to sign a complaint.

I did complete a domestic packet with the victim and collected a video statement with my body camera and took photographs of the red mark on [REDACTED]'s left cheekbone. Lopez with the Union County Ambulance service also completed a written statement which will be attached to the report along with body camera video.

I have nothing further at this time.



Office of

SCOTT HARVEL



Union County Sheriff

309 West Market Street, Room 4
(618) 833-5500

Jonesboro, Illinois 62952
Fax (618) 833-3900

Law Enforcement Officer
Domestic Violence Checklist

Please check each box indicating that each document has been disseminated.

- Domestic Violence Checklist Completed
- Written Statement and Explanation of Rights/Illinois Domestic Violence Act Victim Information Sheet (2 sheets included)
 - Victim signed the Law Enforcement Copy with Officer's name/badge number/case number and date on it
 - Victim received "Victim's Copy" with Law Enforcement Officer's name/badge number/case number and date on it
- County Strangulation Investigative Checklist
 - Completed
 - No strangulation occurred
- Domestic Violence Addendum Completed
- Medical Authorization signed by victim or parent/guardian if minor
- Photographs taken of visible injuries and/or damage
- Collected cell phone and/or electronic communication devices
 - Yes
 - No (if no, explain: _____)
- Danger Assessment Completed (Spanish version on back side)
- Brochure: Be safe sensible prepared given to victim
- Illinois AVN brochure given to victim
- Referral to Two Rivers Child Advocacy Center needed for minor victim/witness
 - Yes
 - No (if no, explain: _____)
- DCFS hotline if applicable
- Miranda Warning given if applicable

*****The Domestic Violence Statutory Reference Sheet is included in the packet – refer to this sheet to determine if ALL 23 mandated responsibilities to the incident must be fulfilled*****

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ADDENDUM

(Use separate sheet for each victim)

Number: Case:

UC19 0516 020

INCIDENT DATE: 5/18/19 TIME: 17:4 LOCATION: [REDACTED]

VICTIM'S NAME

Sex: M F

AGGRESSOR'S NAME

Last Name: Lindsey First: Larry Middle: [REDACTED] Sex: M F

Address: [REDACTED] ne: () none

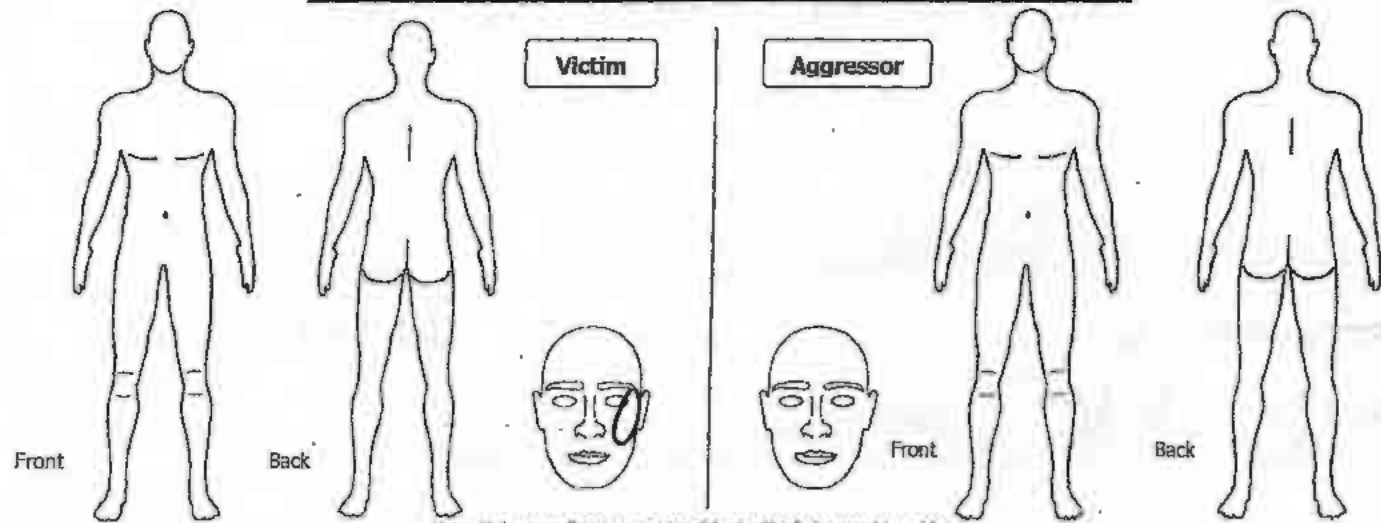
OFFICER OBSERVATIONS	Victim	Aggressor
Alcohol/Drugs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Angry	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Apologetic	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Calm	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Crying	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Excited Utterances*	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fearful	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hysterical	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Shaking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Nervous	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Threatening	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Abuse of Pets	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Forcible Entry?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO

RELATIONSHIP	Current	Former
Married	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cohabitants	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dating/Engaged	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Parent/Step Parent and Child	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Personal Assistant of Disabled	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Recently Separated	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Other*		
Length of Relationship	Years	Months
Names of minor children reportedly in common:		

INJURIES	Victim		Aggressor	
	Reported	Observed	Reported	Observed
1. Report of Pain	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Bruises	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Abrasions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Minor Cuts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Lacerations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Sexual Assault	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Strangulation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Other*	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Victim Pregnant	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	How Far Along?	

MEDICAL TREATMENT	Victim	Aggressor
None	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Seek Own	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Refused	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
First Aid	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Paramedic/EMS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hospital	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hospital/Physician:		
Release for Medical Records signed	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
Form #		

Show all injuries on diagrams below. Use corresponding numbers 1 through 8



Note: Make sure diagrams are consistent with photos used in evidence.

*Describe in notes/comments or report narrative.

WITNESSES – (COMPLETE IDENTIFIERS AND CONTACT INFORMATION) TYPE OF STATEMENTS

Witness Name:	Statement Taken: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Written <input type="checkbox"/> Audio <input type="checkbox"/> Video
Witness Name:	Statement Taken: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Written <input type="checkbox"/> Audio <input type="checkbox"/> Video
Witness Name:	Statement Taken: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Written <input type="checkbox"/> Audio <input type="checkbox"/> Video

EVIDENCE *Make sure photos are consistent with diagrams on reverse side.*

Photos Taken of Victim YES NO

Photos Taken of Suspect YES NO

Photos Taken of Scene/Children YES NO

Photos Taken By (Name):

Victim Statement YES NO

Type of Statement Written Audio Video

Aggressor Statement YES NO

Type of Statement Written Audio Video

Evidence Collected YES NO

9-1-1 Tape Requested YES NO

Sexual Assault Kit YES NO

In-Car Video # [] YES NO

WEAPONS

Type of Weapon Used?

Aggressor – Access to Weapons? YES NO

What Kind?

Aggressor – History of Weapons Use YES NO

Aggressor – FOID Card YES NO

NOTIFICATION

Investigations YES NO

Crime Scene Services YES NO

DCFS/Human Services YES NO

Juvenile Officer YES NO

Domestic Violence Victim Packet YES NO

Domestic Violence/Sexual Assault Advocate YES NO

Local Law Enforcement Agency YES NO

Other* YES NO

ORDER OF PROTECTION *Check All that Have or Do Apply*

Served: YES NO Date/Time:

Type: Emergency Interim Plenary

Status: Current Expired

Previous Orders Issued? YES NO

History of Violating Orders, OP or Other YES NO
(Stalking, Parole, Sexual, No Contact Order)

Issuing Court(s):

PRIOR HISTORY (Actual and Alleged)

	Victim		Aggressor	
	YES*	NO	YES*	NO
Prior Domestic Violence Incidents (Number, Frequency, Severity)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prior Incidents Reported to Police (Agencies Involved)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Criminal History Information Attached?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reports Stalking, Surveillance, Isolation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

MENTAL HEALTH

	Victim		Aggressor	
	YES*	NO	YES*	NO
History of Mental Health Issues <i>What Kind? Depression</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Medications?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Expressed suicidal/homicidal thoughts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
History of Alcohol/Drugs <i>What Kind?</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

List all children involved in current or previous incidents: (check all that apply)

1. Name:	Age:	DOB:
Address:	City/State/Zip:	Phone:
Current Incident: <input type="checkbox"/> Witness <input type="checkbox"/> Victim <input type="checkbox"/> Injured <input type="checkbox"/> Not Present		Previous Incident(s): <input type="checkbox"/> Witness <input type="checkbox"/> Victim <input type="checkbox"/> Injured <input type="checkbox"/> Not Present
Legally related to: <input type="checkbox"/> Victim <input type="checkbox"/> Aggressor <input type="checkbox"/> Neither		
2. Name:	Age:	DOB:
Address:	City/State/Zip:	Phone:
Current Incident: <input type="checkbox"/> Witness <input type="checkbox"/> Victim <input type="checkbox"/> Injured <input type="checkbox"/> Not Present		Previous Incident(s): <input type="checkbox"/> Witness <input type="checkbox"/> Victim <input type="checkbox"/> Injured <input type="checkbox"/> Not Present
Legally related to: <input type="checkbox"/> Victim <input type="checkbox"/> Aggressor <input type="checkbox"/> Neither		

PLEASE USE ADDITIONAL PAGES IF NECESSARY

Follow Up – How does victim want to be contacted?

Name of Contact Person: *- victim* Address: Phone:

Reporting Officer: *Vicente* Date/Time: *5/18/19 17:47* ID Number: *10261* Reviewing Officer's Initials: ID Number:

PLEASE NOTE: This information will be provided to the Judge in setting bond

*Describe in notes/comments or report narrative.

DANGER ASSESSMENT

Jacquelyn C. Campbell, Ph.D., R.N.
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Several risk factors have been associated with increased risk of homicides (murders) of women and men in violent relationships. We cannot predict what will happen in your case, but we would like you to be aware of the danger of homicide in situations of abuse and for you to see how many of the risk factors apply to your situation.

Using the calendar, please mark the approximate dates during the past year when you were abused by your partner or ex partner. Write on that date how bad the incident was according to the following scale:

1. Slapping, pushing; no injuries and/or lasting pain
2. Punching, kicking; bruises, cuts, and/or continuing pain
3. "Beating up"; severe contusions, burns, broken bones
4. Threat to use weapon; head injury, internal injury, permanent injury
5. Use of weapon; wounds from weapon

(If **any** of the descriptions for the higher number apply, use the higher number.)

Mark **Yes** or **No** for each of the following. ("He" refers to your husband, partner, ex-husband, ex-partner, or whoever is currently physically hurting you.)

- N 1. Has the physical violence increased in severity or frequency over the past year?
- N 2. Does he own a gun?
- N 3. Have you left him after living together during the past year?
3a. (If have *never* lived with him, check here ___)
- X 4. Is he unemployed?
- X 5. Has he ever used a weapon against you or threatened you with a lethal weapon?
(If yes, was the weapon a gun? ___)
- 2 6. Does he threaten to kill you?
- 2 7. Has he avoided being arrested for domestic violence?
- 2 8. Do you have a child that is not his?
- 2 9. Has he ever forced you to have sex when you did not wish to do so?
- 2 10. Does he ever try to choke you?
- 2 11. Does he use illegal drugs? By drugs, I mean "uppers" or amphetamines, "meth", speed, angel dust, cocaine, "crack", street drugs or mixtures.
- X 12. Is he an alcoholic or problem drinker?
- X 13. Does he control most or all of your daily activities? For instance: does he tell you who you can be friends with, when you can see your family, how much money you can use, or when you can take the car? (If he tries, but you do not let him, check here: ___)
- X 14. Is he violently and constantly jealous of you? (For instance, does he say "If I can't have you, no one can.")
- X 15. Have you ever been beaten by him while you were pregnant? (If you have never been pregnant by him, check here: ___)
- X 16. Has he ever threatened or tried to commit suicide?
- X 17. Does he threaten to harm your children?
- X 18. Do you believe he is capable of killing you?
- X 19. Does he follow or spy on you, leave threatening notes or messages, destroy your property, or call you when you don't want him to?
- X 20. Have you ever threatened or tried to commit suicide?

Total "Yes" Answers

Thank you. Please talk to your nurse, advocate or counselor about what the Danger Assessment means in terms of your situation.

DANGER ASSESSMENT-- Evaluación de Peligro¹

Jacquelyn C. Campbell, PhD, RN, FAAN

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Se ha asociado la presencia de varios factores de riesgo con un aumento en el riesgo de homicidio (o asesinato) de mujeres y hombres con relaciones violentas. No puede predecirse qué pasará en su caso, pero nos gustaría que se mantuviera atenta al riesgo de homicidio en situaciones de maltrato, y que compruebe cuantos y cuales son los factores de riesgo que se dan en su caso.

Usando un calendario, por favor señale las fechas aproximadas durante el último año en las que usted sufrió abusos/agresiones por su pareja o ex-pareja. Escriba en esa fecha cómo fue de grave el incidente, de acuerdo a la siguiente escala:

1. Bofetadas, empujones; sin lesiones ni dolor prolongado
2. Puñetazos, patadas; arañazos/erosiones, cortes con lesiones y/o dolor prolongado
3. Palizas; contusiones severas, quemaduras, huesos rotos o fracturas.
4. Amenaza con usar un arma; lesiones en cabeza, lesiones internas o lesiones permanentes.
5. Uso de armas; heridas por arma.

(En caso de coincidir más de una de las situaciones anteriores, escoja el número más alto)

Conteste **SÍ** o **No** a cada una de las siguientes preguntas.

("Él" se refiere a su marido, pareja, ex-marido, ex-pareja o quien actualmente esté agrediéndola físicamente)

- _____ 1. ¿ Ha aumentado la violencia física en severidad o frecuencia, en el último año?
- _____ 2. ¿ Tiene él algún arma?
- _____ 3. ¿ Le ha dejado usted, después de vivir juntos, en el último año?
3a. [Si nunca ha vivido con él, señálelo aquí _____]
- _____ 4. ¿ Está él en paro (desempleado, sin trabajo) actualmente?
- _____ 5. ¿ Ha usado algún arma contra usted o le ha amenazado con algún arma?
5a. [en caso afirmativo, ¿fue con una pistola? _____]
- _____ 6. ¿ Le ha amenazado con matarla?
- _____ 7. ¿ Ha evitado él ser arrestado por violencia doméstica?
- _____ 8. ¿ Tiene usted algún niño/hijo que no es de él?
- _____ 9. ¿ Le ha forzado a mantener relaciones sexuales cuando usted no lo deseaba?
- _____ 10. ¿ Ha intentado alguna vez estrangularla?
- _____ 11. ¿ Toma él drogas?; como por ejemplo anfetaminas, cocaína, heroína, crack u otras drogas.
- _____ 12. ¿ Es alcohólico o tiene problemas con el alcohol?
- _____ 13. ¿ Le controla él la mayoría de sus actividades diarias? Por ejemplo, le dice con quién puede hacer amistades, cuándo puede ver a su familia, cuánto dinero puede usar/ gastar, o cuándo puede coger el coche?
[Si lo intenta pero usted no le deja, señálelo aquí _____]
- _____ 14. ¿ Es celoso con usted constante y violentamente?
(Por ejemplo, dice "si no puedo tenerle, nadie podrá")
- _____ 15. ¿ Le ha golpeado alguna vez estando embarazada?
[Si no ha estado nunca embarazada de él, señálelo aquí _____]
- _____ 16. ¿ Alguna vez él ha amenazado con suicidarse o lo ha intentado?
- _____ 17. ¿ Amenaza él con hacer daño a sus hijos?
- _____ 18. ¿ Cree usted que es capaz de matarla?
- _____ 19. ¿ La persigue o espía, le deja notas amenazantes o mensajes en el contestador, destruye sus cosas o propiedades, o le llama cuando usted no quiere?
- _____ 20. ¿ Alguna vez ha amenazado usted con suicidarse o lo ha intentado?

Total de respuestas SÍ

Gracias. Por favor, consulte con su enfermera o consejero las implicaciones que el Evaluación de Riesgo tiene para usted.

USING THE LAW TO HELP YOU

Protection or Restraining Orders

Ask your local domestic violence program to help you get a civil protection order and to help you with criminal prosecution
Ask for help in finding a lawyer

Best places, the judge can:

Order the abuser to stay away from you or your children

Order the abuser to leave your home
Give you temporary custody of your children & order the abuser to pay you temporary child support

Order the police to come to your home while the abuser picks up personal belongings

Give you possession of the car, furniture and other belongings

Order the abuser to go to a batterers' intervention program

Order the abuser not to call you at work

Order the abuser to give guns to the police

If you are worried about any of the following, make sure you:

Show the judge any pictures of your injuries

Tell the judge that you do not feel safe if the abuser comes to your home to pick up the children to visit with them

Ask the judge to order the abuser to pick up and return the children at the police station or some other safe place

Ask that any visits the abuser is permitted are at very specific times so the police will know by reading the court order if the abuser is there at the wrong time

Tell the judge if the abuser has harmed or threatened the children; ask that visits be supervised; think about who could do that for you

Get a certified copy of the court order

Keep the court order with you at all times

Show the prosecutor your court orders

Show the prosecutor medical records about your

injuries or pictures if you have them.

- Tell the prosecutor the name of anyone who is helping you (a victim advocate or a lawyer)
- Tell the prosecutor about any witnesses to injuries or abuse
- Ask the prosecutor to notify you ahead of time if the abuser is getting out of jail

BE SAFE AT THE COURTHOUSE

- Sit as far away from the abuser as you can; you don't have to look at or talk to the abuser; you don't have to talk to the abuser's family or friends if they are there
- Bring a friend or relative to wait with you until your case is heard
- Tell a bailiff or sheriff that you are afraid of the abuser and ask him/her to look out for you
- Make sure you have your court order before you leave
- Ask the judge or the sheriff to keep the abuser there for a while when court is over; leave quickly
- If you think the abuser is following you when you leave, call the police immediately
- If you have to travel to another State for work or to get away from the abuser, take your protection order with you; it is valid everywhere

For additional information in your area, please contact:

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CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS

IF YOU ARE IN DANGER,
call 911
or your local police emergency



number

To find out about help in your area, call:
National Domestic Violence Hotline:
1-800-799-SAFE (7233)
1-800-787-3224 (TTY)

Domestic Violence

IT'S EVERYONE'S BUSINESS

American Bar Association
Commission on Domestic Violence
&
Tort Trial & Insurance Practice Section

Whether or not you feel able to leave an abuser, there are things you can do to make yourself and your family safer.

IN AN EMERGENCY

If you are at home & you are being threatened or asked:

Stay away from the kitchen (the abuser can find weapons, such as knives, there)

Stay away from bathrooms, closets or small spaces where the abuser can trap you

Get to a room with a door or window to escape

Get to a room with a phone to call for help; lock the abuser outside if you can

Call 911 (or your local emergency number) right away for help; get the dispatcher's name

Think about a neighbor or friend you can run to for help

If a police officer comes, tell him/her what happened; get his/her name & badge number

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Get medical help if you are hurt

Take pictures of bruises or injuries

Call a domestic violence program or shelter (some are listed here); ask them to help you make a safety plan

To find out where to get help
in your area,
**CALL the
National Domestic Violence
Hotline
1-800-799-SAFE
1-800-787-3224 (TTY)**

Learn where to get help; memorize emergency

HOW TO PROTECT YOURSELF AT HOME

- phone numbers
- Keep a phone in a room you can lock from the inside; if you can, get a cellular phone that you keep with you at all times
- If the abuser has moved out, change the locks on your door; get locks on the windows
- Plan an escape route out of your home; teach it to your children
- Think about where you would go if you need to escape
- Ask your neighbors to call the police if they see the abuser at your house; make a signal for them to call the police, for example, if the phone rings twice, a shade is pulled down or a light is on
- Pack a bag with important things you'd need if you had to leave quickly; put it in a safe place, or give it to a friend or relative you trust
- Include cash, car keys & important information such as: court papers, passport or birth certificates, medical records & medicines, immigration papers
- Get an unlisted phone number
- Block caller ID
- Use an answering machine; screen the calls
- Take a good self-defense course

HOW TO MAKE YOUR CHILDREN SAFER

- Teach them not to get in the middle of a fight, even if they want to help
- Teach them how to get to safety, to call 911, to give your address & phone number to the police
- Teach them who to call for help
- Tell them to stay out of the kitchen
- Give the principal at school or the daycare center a copy of your court order; tell them not to release your children to anyone without talking

to you first; use a password so they can be sure it is you on the phone; give them a photo of the abuser

- Make sure the children know who to tell at school if they see the abuser
- Make sure that the school knows not to give your address or phone number to ANYONE

- Change your regular travel habits
- Try to get rides with different people

HOW TO PROTECT YOURSELF OUTSIDE THE HOME

- Shop and bank in a different place
- Cancel any bank accounts or credit cards you shared; open new accounts at a different bank
- Keep your court order and emergency numbers with you at all times
- Keep a cell phone & program it to 911 (or other emergency number)

HOW TO MAKE YOURSELF SAFER AT WORK

- Keep a copy of your court order at work
- Give a picture of the abuser to security and friends at work
- Tell your supervisors - see if they can make it harder for the abuser to find you
- Don't go to lunch alone
- Ask a security guard to walk you to your car or to the bus
- If the abuser calls you at work, save voice mail and save e-mail
- Your employer may be able to help you find community resources

UNION COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

VOLUNTARY STATEMENT

CASE NO UC190516020

(Not Under Arrest)

Date 05-18-19 Time 18:33

Name Julian P. Lopez DOB [REDACTED]
P.O. Box # [REDACTED]
Street Address [REDACTED]
City & State [REDACTED]
Tele. # at Home [REDACTED]
at Work [REDACTED]

Suspect's Name Larry Lindsey
DOB or Age [REDACTED] Sex M Race W
Tele # & Address [REDACTED]
Hgt 5'4" Wght 130 Eyes [REDACTED] Hair Grey
Tattoos/Scars [REDACTED]
Works at [REDACTED]

Statement: Ambulance unit 5111 responded to a residence, located [REDACTED] of a Female hemorrhaging from a hole in her abdomen. Husband on scene and daughter arrived shortly after arrival of EMS. EMS was getting information from patient and Paramedic Lopez noticed a dog also in residence. The dog ran behind Paramedic Lopez and husband went behind Paramedic Lopez + kicked the dog. Paramedic Lopez turn and told husband, Larry Lindsey, there was no need for that + Mr. Lindsey started yelling at Paramedic Lopez + was getting in Lopez's face. Lopez put his hands up, open palmed + gently pushed Mr. Lindsey back + Mr. Lindsey became aggressive + started pushing Lopez. Daughter stepped in and was able to sit on her father + try to calm him down. Father struck daughter in the face. Daughter had red mark to left cheek bone. Lopez heard the hit/slap, but did not see it. When Mr Lindsey was in Paramedic's face, Paramedic Lopez did feel threatened + he vite Biddle went out to ambulance, called dispatch + requested law enforcement. Mr. Lindsey ended up fleeing the scene prior to arrival of law enforcement. End of statement. JPL

I know that I am not under arrest. I voluntarily and freely furnish this statement which is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature [Handwritten Signature]

Date 5-18-19

Time 19:05

Witness [Handwritten Signature] 60261