ASIAN TASK FORCE
Against Domestic Violence

Our Unique Role: ATASK Stands Alone

- ATASK is the **only** domestic violence agency serving Asian victims of violence in Massachusetts or New England
- Founded over 30 years ago to fill an unmet need and, decades later, we remain the only answer for Asian survivors
- Our staff speak over 23 languages
- Our team understands, respects and shares our clients' cultures
- We provide options and support whether a client is leaving an abusive situation, remaining at home, seeking mental health services or needing alternative supports

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ATASK Clients - Countries of Origin

Our Clients

- 98% Asian
- 30 countries represented
- 35+ languages and dialects spoken
- 95% Limited English Proficient
- First generation immigrants and refugees
- 20% undocumented
- Single parents with no support in the U.S.
- 90% at or below poverty levels, even while working
- Majority at risk for homelessness

1,200 Survivors and their children served annually

Our Programs

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- Asian Shelter and Advocacy Program (ASAP)
  - Community Based Services (CBS)
    - CBS Boston
    - CBS Lowell
    - LAP Program
  - Emergency Shelter
    - 24-Hour Multilingual Hotline
- Legal Advocacy & Representation Program
- English for Speakers of Other Languages
- Next Steps Program
- Outreach and Community Engagement

Our Services

- 24/7/365 Hotline
- Safety planning
- Case management
- Client Advocacy
- Accompaniment
- Interpretation and Translation
- Emotional/Wellness support (?)
- Confidential shelter and housing support
- Legal support: immigration, family, custody, R/O's
- English classes
- Community outreach and awareness building
- Trainings, Tabling's, Policy Advocacy, Coalition building

All services are confidential and free

ATASK bi/multilingual and bicultural staff are a bridge

Do you know someone who needs help?

- Listen without judging
- Respect their privacy
- Provide resources
- Let them know you're there to support them

Confidential hotline: 617-338-2355
Confidential email: info@atask.org
Website: atask.org

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Thank you!