

You are not alone.

We believe in your strength and courage as a survivor. 180 offers hope and support as you overcome domestic violence and sexual assault. Our caring and experienced counselors will listen, discuss your options, and provide resources to guide you.

You can have a fresh start.

You are not to blame for your experience of abuse. You and your family deserve to live your life free of fear and full of promise. Together, we'll create your pathway to safety, healing, and independence.

We can begin together.

We are here for you when you're ready. Our comprehensive support services are free and confidential, including 24/7 hotlines, counseling, legal advocacy, emergency safe house, and art, play, drama & music therapy for children.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE:

Call (888) 843-9262

SEXUAL VIOLENCE:

Call (888) 264-7273

DEAF & HARD OF HEARING:

Text (732) 977-2832

2NDFLOOR® YOUTH HELPLINE:

Call or Text (888) 222-2228

FAMILY JUSTICE CENTER:

Call (732) 264-4360 ext. 5000

MONMOUTH COUNTY FAMILY JUSTICE CENTER at the Monmouth County Superior Courthouse

71 Monument Street Freehold, NJ 07728 Phone: (732) 264-4360 ext. 5000 Email: fjc@180nj.org

MAIN HEADQUARTERS

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Monmouth County Family Justice Center

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The Monmouth County Family Justice Center (FJC)

The FJC provides coordinated services for survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault, child abuse, and human trafficking that are proven to save lives.

What are the signs of domestic or sexual violence?

- Financial: Controlling all income and expenses, preventing a partner from working, forcing a partner to turn over their paychecks to the abuser, restricting access to financial accounts, limiting access to cash or credit cards, or ruining a partner's credit.
- Physical: Hitting, slapping, pushing, biting, punching, kicking, restraining, choking, smothering, or strangulation. Strangulation is one of the most lethal forms of domestic violence: unconsciousness may occur within seconds and death within minutes.
- Psychological: Intimidating a person with threatening looks and behavior, stalking, monitoring by using technology, using spyware and location tracking devices, monitoring technology, posting false information about someone on social media, isolating a person from friends and family, or attacking self-esteem by blaming, manipulating, criticizing, and humiliating.
- Sexual: Manipulating or forcing a person to do something sexual or any coerced, non-consensual, and unwanted sexual behavior.
- **Verbal:** Cursing/swearing, yelling, name-calling, criticizing thoughts or feelings, and put-downs.

What services does the Family Justice Center offer?

The FJC provides survivors and their families with resources, crisis support, legal assistance, and counseling services all in one safe place through referrals to our partner organizations and supporting agencies for employment services, food assistance, and childcare, housing, and spiritual support. All FJC services are provided free of charge.



What organizations partner with the Family Justice Center?

We strive to provide survivors and their families with the most optimal and coordinated services possible through our partnerships with:

- Child Advocacy Center
- Child Care Resources of NJ
- Community Affairs & Resource Center, Inc.
- Division of Child Protection and Permanency
- Freehold Open Door
- Fulfill
- Local Police Departments assist with criminal investigations and filing for restraining orders
- South Jersey Legal Services provide lawyers to offer legal assistance with restraining orders, housing, and other family law matters.
- The Community YMCA
- The Monmouth County:
 - * Government
 - * Prosecutor's Office investigate and prosecute the offender
 - * Sheriff's Office
 - * Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner's Office
 - * Board of Social Services
 - * Victim Witness Unit

The FJC was formed with funding from an Impact 100, Jersey Coast grant, and the Monmouth County Government unanimously approved an agreement providing no-cost space for the new center.



Where is the Family Justice Center Located?

The FJC is in the lower level of the Courthouse in L-49. Parking is available in the Superior Court's main parking lot.

When is the Family Justice Center open?

Monday through Friday: 8:30am to 4:00pm and by appointment as needed.

Do I need an appointment?

Appointments are not necessary but recommended, and children are welcome. All individuals seeking services will be screened by security personnel before entry to ensure safety. Additional visits may be scheduled once your needs are assessed and a plan for your services is developed.

