

PAIR Studies

Preventing and Assessing Intimate
Partner Homicide Risk

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Statistics

20%



Of U.S. homicides are intimate partner homicides^{1, 2}

55.3%



Of all female homicides are related to intimate partner violence³

55.4%



Of Native American female homicides are related to intimate partner violence³

40 – 50% of murdered women are killed by an IP or ex IP

2/3 to 3/4 of women are abused before being a victim of IPH

When men are killed by women there has been prior IPV against the female in 75% of cases

Between 1980 and 2008 IP homicides for women increased 5%

- Homicides of men decreased 53% in the same period

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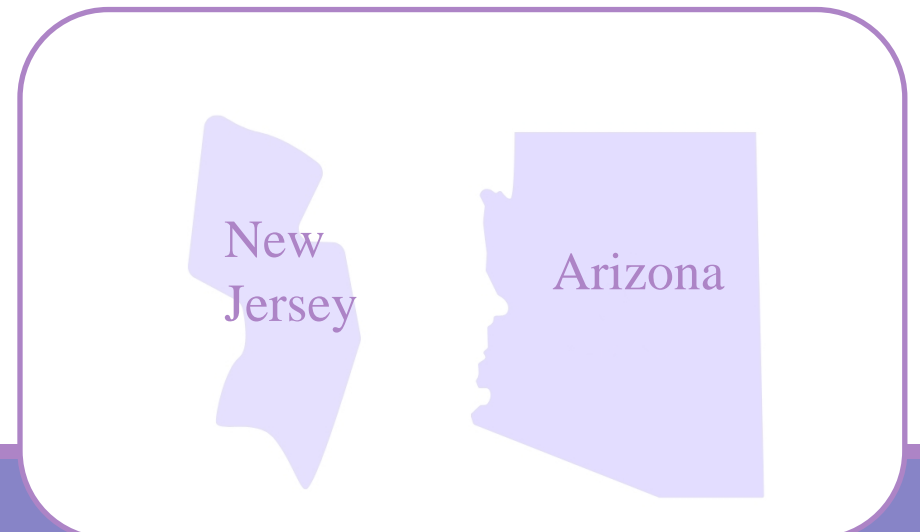
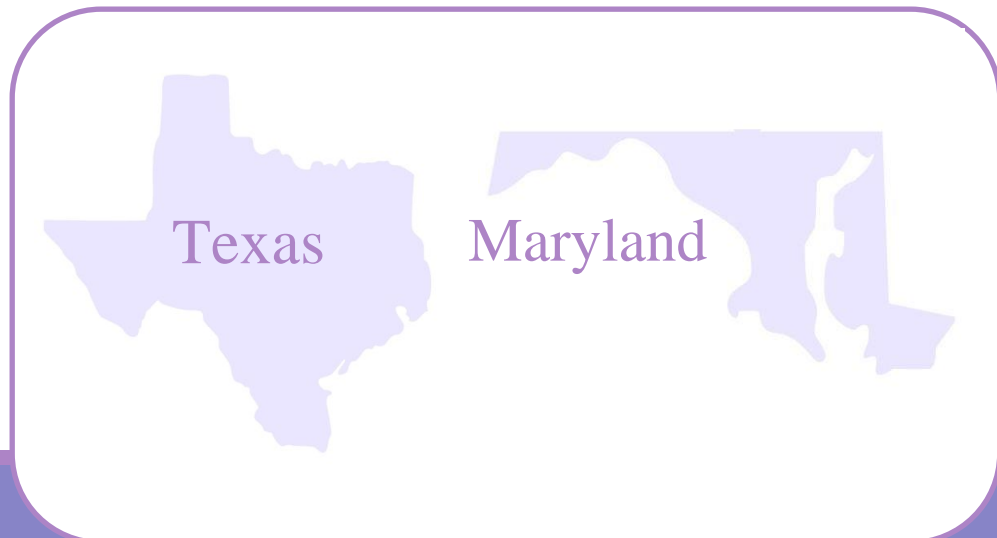
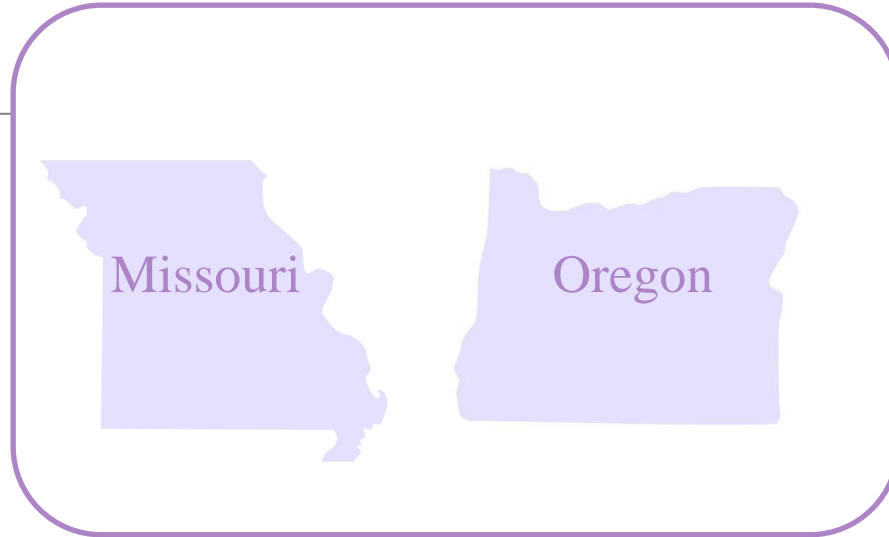


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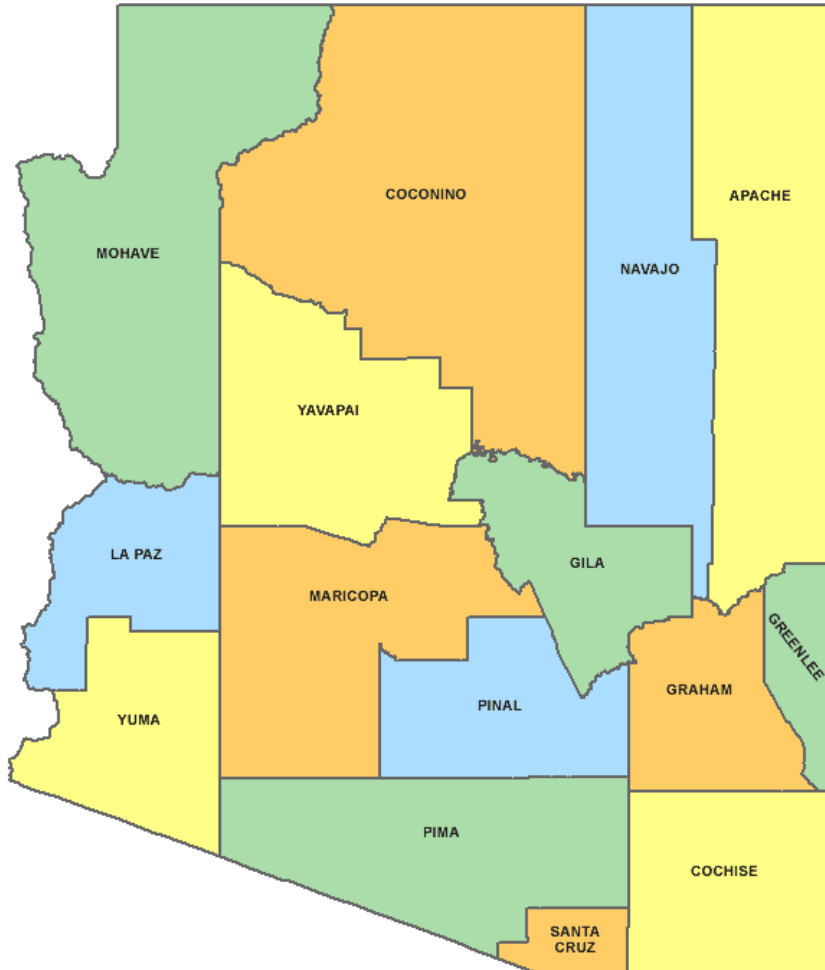
Accurate Count

Sustainable
Data Sharing
and Collection

Novel Risk
Factors

Marginalized
Populations

Development of
Risk Assessment
Tool



MEO Preliminary Findings

IPH

- Coconino – 12
- Maricopa – 93
- Mohave – 5
- Pima – 37
- Yavapai – 2

- Total – 149 cases

IP-Related

- Coconino – 6
- Maricopa – 55
- Mohave – 3
- Pima – 34
- Yavapai – 1

- Total – 99 cases

NEWSPAPERS

First assignment

Many 'dead ends'

Experience

MEDICAL EXAMINER'S OFFICE

Carson's Experience

Shorter narratives

Factual

Jenny's Experience

Medical terms

Unknown

PHOENIX POLICE DEPARTMENT

Carson's Experience

- Complexity
- Extraction
- Asking questions
- Full context of cases

Jenny's Experience

- Responsibility
- Minutiae
- Complex
- Hypervigilance

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