# 2017 DCF Program Report Card: Love146's Rapid Response Services

Quality of Life Result: [Insert Result]

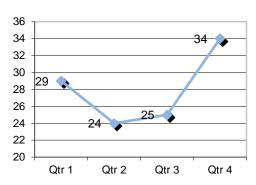
Contribution to the Result: Love146's Rapid Response Services provides one-time interventions to youth who are at high-risk for or confirmed survivors of human trafficking. These services are comprised of information, safety planning, and referral services. Rapid Responses are also available to caregivers (e.g., biological/foster/adoptive parents and kin caregivers) so that they are better able to support and meet the needs of these youth.

See 2017 DCF Program Report Card: Love146's Long-Term Services for funding information.

Partners: DCF HART Liaisons/teams, other government and private providers, caregivers.

#### How Much Did We Do?

Number of youth served SFY 17

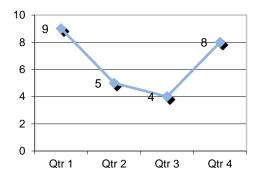


**Story behind the baseline:** In the previous Q, utilization for Rapid Responses significantly increased. This was a result of an increased number of referrals from regions identifying youth who were at high-risk for or confirmed survivors of human trafficking.

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### **How Much Did We Do?**

Number of caregivers served SFY 17

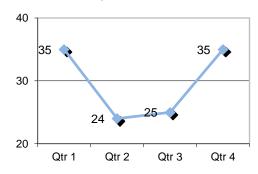


Story behind the baseline: In the previous Q, there was an increase in service utilization by caregivers. This could be attributed to Love146's new approach of engaging caregivers in Rapid Responses at the same time (before or after) as a youth's Rapid Response as opposed to at a different time.

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### **How Much Did We Do?**

Number of backpacks distributed SFY 17



**Story behind the baseline:** In the previous Q, there an increase in the number of backpacks distributed, which correlates with the increased number of Rapid Responses provided.

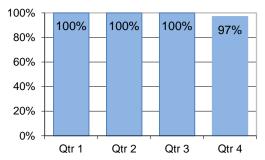
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#### How Well Did We Do It?

Percent of youth who engaged in a Rapid Response

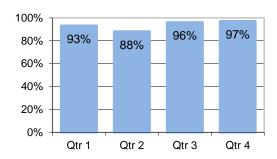


Story behind the baseline: In the previous Q. one youth refused to engage in a Rapid Response at the time of service. However, 97% of youth did engage, illustrating that Love146 continues to have strong success engaging youth in Rapid Response services. Love146 attributes this to our ability to present Rapid Response services in an open and nonjudgmental manner. Many of the youth who participated in Rapid Responses initially were reluctant or had even told caregivers and other providers that they would not participate. However, it is clear from their engagement that youth need and are willing to hear information and engage in safety planning related to human trafficking.

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## Is Anyone Better Off?

Rapid Responses – Percent of youth who reported learning something new.

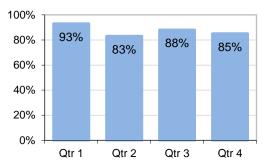


Story behind the baseline: In the previous Q, youth continue to report learning new information through Rapid Response services. Some of the new information youth reported learning included. but were not limited, to information on the existence and services offered by hotline numbers (in particular, the rape and sexual assault, runaway, and suicide prevention hotlines), the prevalence of human trafficking, the recruitment and grooming tactics of trafficking, their right to say "no" to unwanted sexual advancements, how to access and enable online safety features. Youth also reported learning that there were other youth who had experienced similar situations and that victimization was not their fault.

Trend: ◀▶

## Is Anyone Better Off?

Rapid Responses – Percent of youth who reported intent to change behavior



Story behind the baseline: In the previous Q, youth continue to report intent to change behaviors as a result of their participation in a Rapid Response. Examples of this included, but were not limited to, youth stating that they would be more likely to call a hotline or reach out to a trusted adult if they felt unsafe, delete "friends" they did not know on Facebook, enable safety features on social media apps, refrain from meeting people online, refrain from running away, and increase their engagement with service providers (e.g., counselors).

Trend: ◀▶

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Proposed Actions to Turn the Curve:

**Data Development Agenda:**