



2019 ANNUAL REPORT

187 humans and 319 animals
assisted by direct services program

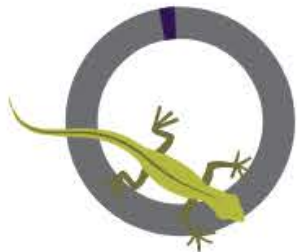
3,849 calls
to our 24-hr crisis line



216
 dogs



98
 cats



7
 "other" animals

nights of safe shelter provided

18,608

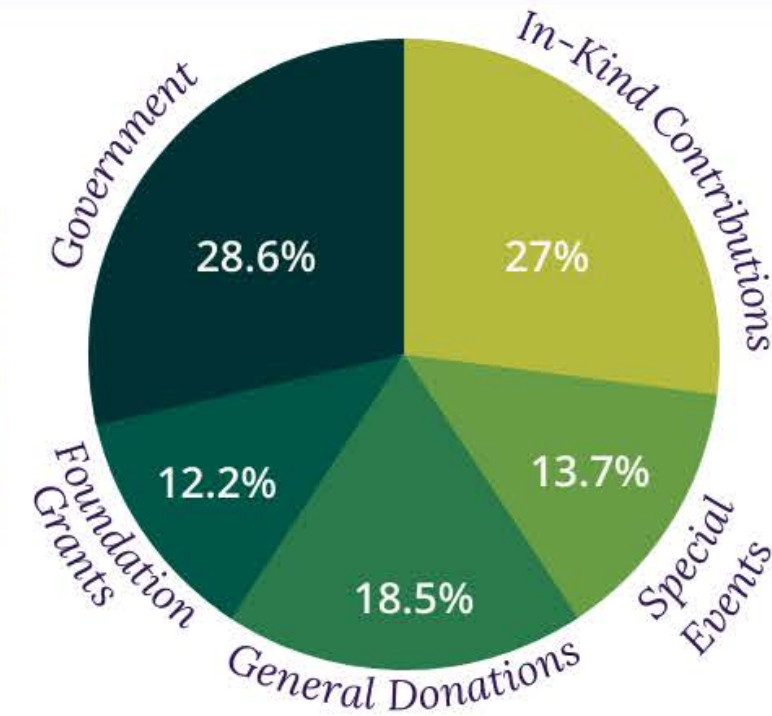
In families affected by domestic violence, pets are also at risk. Abusers threaten, injure, and kill family pets to terrorize others in the home --yet most domestic violence shelters are unable to allow pets to accompany their owners to safety. Nearly 50% of individuals delay escaping the abuse because of concern about their pets.

Ahimsa House, meaning "nonviolence," is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization dedicated to addressing the links between domestic violence and animal abuse. Anywhere in Georgia and at no charge, Ahimsa House provides emergency pet safehousing, veterinary care, pet-related safety planning, legal advocacy, a 24-hour crisis line, outreach programs, and other services to help the human and animal victims of domestic violence reach safety together.

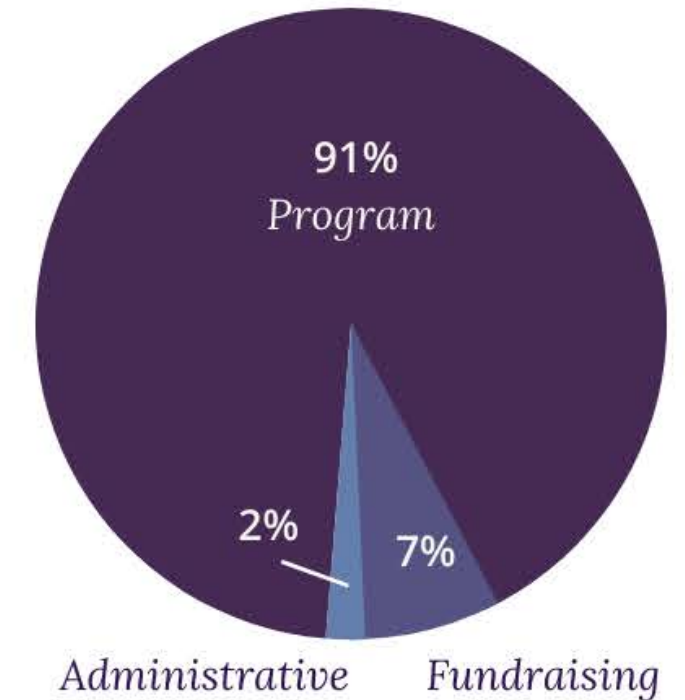
Services Provided

- 105** vet visits & **309** medical services
- 75** spays & neuters
- 930** transports

INCOME



REVENUE



HIGHLIGHTS

- Commemorated 15 years of helping people and pets reach safety together at our 2019 Joining Hands & Paws Celebration
- Reached an exciting milestone by providing our 100,000th night of safety for pets escaping domestic violence
- Delivered a presentation on identifying and assisting clients who may be impacted by DV at the American Veterinary Medical Association's annual conference in Washington, D.C.
- Awarded grants from two first-time funders, PetSmart Charities (\$5,000 Preserving Families Grant) and Georgia Pet Foundation (\$10,000 for spays and neuters)
- Served on advisory committee to help guide Banfield Foundation's new Safer Together Initiative

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