

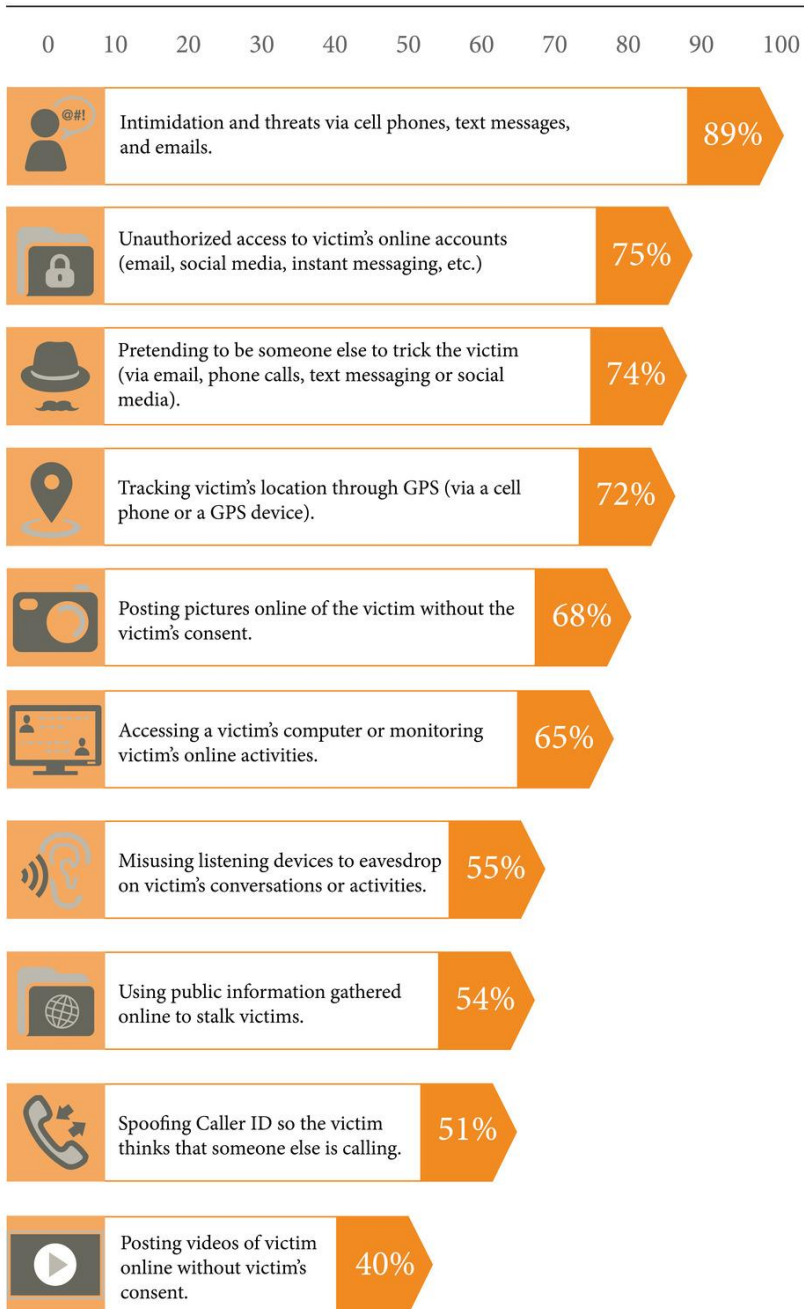


# Technology Abuse in Intimate Partner Violence

Abusers and stalkers use a variety of methods to control, harass, and harm victims, including the misuse of technology.

In a survey of victim service agencies across the United States and U.S. Territories, agencies reported the different ways that offenders misuse technology to abuse and stalk.

This graph shows the percentage of programs working with victims who are experiencing these types of abuse.



## Understanding the Data

The data in this infographic represents the percentage of programs that responded to the survey indicating that the survivors they work with report this type of abuse by the perpetrators. This data does not reflect the percentage of occurrences of abuse, harassment, or stalking experienced or reported by survivors or the percentage of abusers or stalkers who use these tactics. Those who misuse technology often misuse more than one type of technology and often perpetrate other forms of abuse, such as physical, emotional, sexual, and financial abuse.

For more information about technology-related abuse, harassment, or stalking, contact the Safety Net Project at the National Network to End Domestic Violence. If you are a survivor and need assistance or want more information about domestic violence, contact the National Domestic Violence Hotline, 1-800-799-7233.

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