

# WHAT IS STALKING?

- ▶ The legal definition of stalking is defined primarily by state statutes.
- ▶ Stalking is more commonly used to describe specific kinds of behavior directed at a particular person, such as harassing or threatening another person.
  - ▶ Virtually any unwanted contact between a stalker and their victim which directly or indirectly communicates a threat or places the victim in fear can generally be referred to as stalking.