

# *Mitigating Factors*

- 1) Age of the Child*
- 2) Gender*
- 3) Relationship to the Batterer*
- 4) Special Needs of the Child*
- 5) Psychological Hardiness/MH*
- 6) Support Systems*
- 7) Personal Pursuits*
- 8) Drug and Alcohol Abuse*
- 9) Witness and/or Victim*