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Sommario/riassunto

The contributors provide an overview of programs and policies, covering a wide range of possible responses and interventions by police, doctors, social workers and psychiatrists, as well as hotlines, shelters, support groups and legal remedies.
