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Training Institute July-December 2010

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Welcome to the Training Institute!

The ODVN Training Institute invites you to attend the following trainings scheduled from July through December 2010. Training descriptions and registration details are enclosed. If you are interested in registering, please go to www.odvn.org for online registration (and opportunities to pay by credit card) by clicking on the “register for trainings” link on the upper right-hand side of the website or use the registration form on page 13 (please make copies as needed). You may also access this bi-annual brochure on our web page at www.odvn.org.

About ODVN

The Ohio Domestic Violence Network (ODVN) is a statewide coalition of domestic violence programs, supportive agencies, and concerned individuals organizing to ensure the elimination of domestic violence.

ODVN provides technical assistance, resources, information, and training to all who address or are affected by domestic violence. ODVN promotes social and systems change through public policy, public awareness, and education initiatives.

Questions or Comments

Please contact Rachel Ramirez-Hammond, ODVN Training Coordinator, at 614-781-9651, or 1-800-934-9840, Ext. 222 or rachelr@odvn.org.

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Important TI Information

- Payment or guarantee of payment is due by the registration deadline.
- A full refund will be given until the registration deadline.
- Participant substitutions are always permitted.
- If you cancel your registration after the deadline or fail to attend the training, you or your agency will still be responsible for the full registration fee.
- These trainings are made possible with gracious offers from the host agencies who assist ODVN with local logistics, including space and equipment; therefore, they will have first priority in registration.
- Each training is limited to 25 participants. Trainings with fewer than 15 registered participants will be cancelled.
- ODVN will fax or email confirmations with directions and hotel information to all participants.
- Please notify the Training Coordinator of any disabilities or special needs prior to attending a training.
- All listed training times include a half hour registration and continental breakfast before the training is scheduled to begin.
- Layered, casual, and comfortable clothing is recommended. Often, we cannot control the temperature of the training room.
- Continental breakfast and light afternoon snacks will be available, but lunch is not included in the registration fee. Participants will be given information on restaurants, or participants may bring their own lunch.

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CEU Information

- Participants must attend the entire training to receive CEUs
- ODVN is a registered training program for the Ohio Advocate Network
- ODVN is an approved provider of continuing education credits for social workers and counselors

Technology Safety For Advocates: Teens, Technology, and Safety Planning

Technology can be used to increase the safety of domestic violence survivors and assist their access to resources, but can also be used to harass, stalk, and monitor a survivor. This training introduces participants to issues around teenagers and technology use. With the passage of House Bill 19 (mandated education on teen dating violence prevention) and House Bill 10 (allowing teenagers to file for protection orders) domestic violence agencies must be prepared to address the needs of teenagers who might be accessing services. Technologies, such as social networking, cell phones, texting, and instant messaging play a large role in the lives of many teenagers, and participants will receive information about these forms of communication. Another important aspect of technology safety is data protection. It is imperative to learn about the ways in which electronic data (names, phone numbers, emails, addresses, pictures, etc.) is stored and used, and what the potential future consequences of sharing data might be. Therefore, technology safety is a critical component of safety planning with survivors, and participants on this teleconference will leave feeling more confident addressing issues of technology while safety planning.

Training Outline

1:30-3:00

The agenda includes:

- Updates on House Bill 10 and House Bill 19
- Different types of technology teens use
- Technology: How it can help and how it can hurt
- Safety planning and technology
- Increasing awareness about electronic data: Who has access, how it is stored, and how it can be used in the future

Training Facilitators

This training will be facilitated by ODVN staff.

Specific Training Details

Dates: July 21, 2010

Location: At your computer

Cost: FREE

Registration Deadline: July 10, 2010

What to expect:

- Updates on new Ohio legislation
- Information about existing and emerging technologies
- Insight about the pros and cons of technology use
- A better understanding of electronic data

Interested participants may request a free copy of

Survivors and Technology: An Interactive Safety Planning Tool (in English and Spanish)

Published by the National Network to
End Domestic Violence

An Ounce of Prevention is Worth a Pound of Cure: Crisis Intervention with Domestic Violence Survivors

Working with individuals in crisis is a part of every advocate's job. This training will provide participants with opportunities to think through how to respond to survivors in crisis. In addition, there will be a strong focus on putting structures in place within organizations that support survivors in ways that help prevent crisis situations from happening. We will focus on how organizations set the environment and tone for those accessing services, and some practical ways in which to make services more nurturing of survivors. The training will also address such essential crisis intervention strategies such as safety planning, understanding and avoiding triggers, conflict management, and helping survivors identify strategies to effectively address their situations.

Training Outline

(Breakfast and registration begins a half hour prior to training start time)

9:30-4:00

An ounce of prevention:

- Setting the organizational tone
- Being mindful about the needs of survivors
- Creating a nurturing environment
- Controlling what we can control
- Helping survivors avoid crisis

A pound of cure:

- Safety planning
- Suicide/depression
- Conflict resolution and management
- Allying with survivors in crisis

Training Facilitators

This training will be facilitated by ODVN staff.

CEU Information

This training provides 5.5 CEU's for social workers and counselors.

Specific Training Details

Dates: August 13, 2010

Location: Washington Courthouse, Ohio

Host Agency: My Sister's House

Cost: \$25 for member agencies, \$60 non-member

Registration Deadline: August 6, 2010

Special Note: Participants must attend the full training to receive CEUs and an attendance certificate.

What to Expect:

- Opportunities for discussion on how to create nurturing environments for survivors within our organizations
- An engaging training that pushes you to think outside the box
- Practical ways to feel more confident when working with survivors in crisis

Who Should Attend?

- Individuals who provide direct services to domestic violence survivors
- Supervisors who want to create a positive environment for survivors in their organization
- Volunteers or students who want more information about effective work with domestic violence survivors.

Trauma and Mental Health in a Domestic Violence Program Setting

This two day training focuses on skill building for advocates, students, and other professionals and volunteers who are or will be working in a domestic violence program setting. Day one focuses on using trauma as a lens when working with domestic violence survivors, understanding trauma and how survivors react to many situations. Day two introduces advocates to basic information about mental health. Participants will also receive copies of the new Trauma-Informed Care Protocols and Best Practices, developed by ODVN. All individuals will be encouraged and challenged to shed some of their preconceived notions about mental health and enhance their advocacy skills in a fun and supportive environment.

Training Outline

(Breakfast and registration begins a half hour prior to training start time)

Day One: 9:30-4:30

- An overview of trauma
- Trauma responses
- Emotional reactions to trauma
- Physical and behavioral reactions to trauma
- Interventions with trauma
- Vicarious trauma and self-care
- Trauma-Informed Care Protocol and Best Practices

Day Two: 9:00-4:15

- Overlap between trauma and mental health symptoms
- Labeling, diagnosis, and the DSM: Origins and Consequences
- Developing and maintaining a nurturing and supportive environment for survivors
- Avoiding revictimization
- Safety planning around mental health issues

Training Facilitators

This training will be facilitated by Tuesday Ryan Hart, former ODVN staff member with extensive experience in counseling with domestic violence survivors, and ODVN staff.

CEU Information

This training provides 11.25 CEUs for social workers and counselors.

Specific Training Details

Dates: October 7-8, 2010

Location: Lancaster

Cost: \$45 for member agencies, \$80 non-member

Host Agency: The Lighthouse

Registration Deadline: September 30, 2010

Special Note: If you feel you are unable to attend the entire training, please check our calendar for future dates. Leaving early is disruptive so we ask that you stay for the entire training. Participants must attend the full training to receive CEUs and an attendance certificate.

What to Expect:

- Important information about the role trauma plays in the lives of domestic violence survivors
- Opportunities to think critically about ways in which domestic violence impacts a survivor's mental and emotional well-being
- Learning hands-on ways in which you can assist survivors who have experienced trauma

Who should attend:

- Domestic violence program staff who work directly with domestic violence survivors
- Social workers or counselors that work in domestic violence program settings
- Administrators and program managers of domestic violence programs who want to create a safe environment for DV survivors

Domestic Violence Advocacy Fundamentals Training

This three day training provides new advocates with the building blocks and fundamental information to successfully understand and work in the domestic violence movement. The training is designed to increase core knowledge and skills for advocates and students. Utilizing lectures, small group activities, role plays, audiovisuals, and exciting discussions, facilitators provide participants with the opportunity to grow as advocates and learn from each other. In addition to covering core information, facilitators will explore the components of domestic violence activism.

Training Objectives

(Breakfast and registration begins 30 minutes prior to training start time)

Day One: 9:30-4:45

- Social and legal definition of domestic violence and relevant statistical information
- Herstory of the battered women's movement
- The connection between sexism, violence against women, and other forms of oppression
- Institutional and cultural supports of domestic violence
- Using the power & control wheel with battered women
- Perpetrator characteristics and batterers intervention

Day Two: 9:00-5:00

- Definition of individual and systems advocacy
- Confidentiality, mandatory reporting, and duty to warn
- Victim trauma responses and barriers model
- Working with substance abusing women
- Risk assessment, information gathering, and the process of safety planning

Day Three: 9:00-4:45

- Healthy helping relationships, active listening, hotline work, and crisis intervention
- Cultural competency
- Survivor's legal options
- Self-care for advocates, including coping with vicarious trauma

Training Facilitators

The training will be facilitated by ODVN staff.

CEU Information

This training provides 17 CEUs for social workers and counselors.

Specific Training Details

Dates: November 3-5, 2010

Location: Columbus, Ohio

Cost: \$55 for member agencies, \$90 non-member

Registration Deadline: October 28, 2010

Special Note: If you feel you are unable to attend the entire training, please check our calendar for future dates. Leaving early is disruptive so we ask that you stay for the entire training. Participants must also attend the full training to receive CEUs and an attendance certificate.

What to Expect:

- A highly interactive training, including informative and thought provoking discussions
- An opportunity to meet and share ideas with advocates from programs across the state
- A comprehensive workshop that includes anecdotal learning experiences from facilitators with diverse backgrounds

Who Should Attend?

- Domestic violence advocates with less than two years experience in the field
- Domestic violence professionals with more experience who want to hone their skills
- Any professionals or students who work with or will work with victims and want to learn more about effective advocacy

“Stop Hurting Me!” Working with Survivors of Domestic Violence Who Have Disabilities

While each survivor that we work with has a unique story and unique needs, sometimes domestic violence programs must think outside the box to provide effective and appropriate services to survivors with disabilities. A legal and ethical obligation, domestic violence programs must provide equal services to survivors who have disabilities. In this training, participants will have the opportunity to learn about different types of disabilities, how batterers may manipulate a survivor’s disability, things to take into consideration when working with survivors with disabilities, and ways to safety plan with survivors.

Training Outline

(Breakfast and registration begins a half hour prior to training start time)

9:30-4:00

- Understanding different types of disabilities, including physical and cognitive disabilities
- Learning about power and control wheels that apply to specific populations with disabilities
- Doing outreach and creating access to your agency with survivors who have disabilities
- Information on agencies and services that individuals with disabilities access and what you need to know about them

Training Facilitators

This training will be facilitated by ODVN staff.

CEU Information

This training provides 5 CEUs for social workers and counselors.

Specific Training Details

Date: December 8, 2010

Location: Waverly

Host Agency: Pike County Partnership Against Domestic Violence

Cost: \$25 for members, \$60 for non-members

Registration Deadline: December 1, 2010

Special Note: If you feel you are unable to attend the entire training please check our calendar for future dates. Participants must attend the full training to receive CEUs and an attendance certificate.

What to Expect:

- An opportunity to learn from others about their approaches to working with survivors with disabilities
- A laid-back atmosphere with many opportunities for questions and discussion
- New ways and strategies to better serve survivors with disabilities

Who Should Attend?

- Domestic violence advocates who work directly with survivors
- Domestic violence program staff who develop and implement best practices
- Anyone interested in learning more about unique issues related to working with survivors with disabilities

Upcoming ODVN events near you!



Revised Batterers Intervention Standards Training

August 6, 2010
1-4 p.m.
Dayton, Ohio

The standards are written to provide minimum standards and procedures for Batterers Intervention Programs in Ohio (BIP's), and can also be used to develop new BIP's, evaluate and improve existing BIP's, and help with local BIP collaboration. In this July 2010 revision, the committee strived to create a document that addresses the growing diversity of Ohio with a feminist analysis in mind. The standards include a section on working with special communities, including women who use force, immigrant/refugee communities, and LGBTQ communities.

For more information, contact Reiko at reikoo@odvn.org or 614-781-9651.

Teens and Technology: Information for the Prevention Specialist

In this FREE training, you will get an overview of the types of technology teens are using, how they are using it, and safety tips. Participants will then learn how to use prevention techniques to stop online violence before it begins. This training will emphasize sexual violence and its prevention.

Three trainings will be held around the state on the following dates:

July 20-Mt.Vernon
July 22-Chillicothe
August 6-Newark

For more information, contact Jasmine Finnie at jasminef@odvn.org or 614.781.9651 ext. 229.

Opportunities to Participate in ODVN Task Forces and Caucuses!

Are you interested in domestic violence and specific populations? If so, participate in ODVN task forces and caucuses, which are set up to discuss the unique needs and approaches to working with particular groups. You will have the opportunity to meet and network with others who are interested in these areas, and activities may include face to face meetings and trainings, teleconferences, opportunities for continuing education, and updates on current information through listservs! Contact the person below for more information on becoming a part of the listerv, how to get involved, and upcoming events!

Child Advocacy Caucus-Contact Rachel at rachelr@odvn.org
Women of Color Caucus-Contact Krystal at krystalp@odvn.org
Domestic Violence and Disabilities Task Force-Contact Krystal at krystalp@odvn.org
Domestic Violence and Immigration Task Force-Contact Krystal at krystalp@odvn.org

SAVE THE DATES!

Free Economic Justice Teleconference Series

Trainers:

Housing: *Nick DiNardo,*
Attorney, Legal Aid of
Southwest Ohio

TANF/FVO: *Beth
Kowalczyk, Denise Olson,*
Ohio Department of
Job & Family Services

Home Based Business–
JJ Reichert, Women's
Program Coordinator,
Entrepreneurship & Small
Business Division, Ohio
Dept. of Development

**Credit Repair & Consumer
Protection:** *Lucinda
Weller,* Legal Aid of
Western Ohio

Questions?

Contact Nancy G.
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Housing and DV

June 29, 2010, 1-2 pm

Learn about eviction and fair housing law, VAWA protections in various subsidized housing programs. To register: https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/Housing_Issues_and_Domestic_Violence

TANF Family Violence Option Waiver

July 14, 2010, 1-2 pm

Learn about how TANF requirements can sometimes be waived in domestic violence cases, and advocacy tools to help survivors seek the waiver when needed. Register at:

https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/TANF_and_the_Family_Violence_Option_Waiver

Home Based Businesses

August 31, 2010, 1-2 pm

Learn about Ohio resources to support people who want to start a home-based business. To register, go to:

https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/Supporting_Survivors_to_Create_Home-Based_Business

Credit Repair and Consumer Protections

September 15, 2010, 1-2 pm:

Learn about credit repair and consumer protection.

To register, go to: • https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/Credit_Repair_and_Consumer_Protection_for_Survivors

This series is for advocates whose primary work is with domestic violence survivors. Space is limited.



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SAVE THE

The Duluth Model Training: *The Latest Approach in Working with Men Who Batter*

September 22~24, 2010

Registration

Check our website
in early July at
www.odvn.org

Three-Day Training Cost:

\$ 235

\$ 200 (ODVN members)

You can be a member and pay discounted rate for all ODVN events. For membership info, visit www.odvn.org or contact Becky at rebeccam@odvn.org or 800-934-9840 ext. 221.

CEUs for Ohio Counselors and Social Workers will be provided.

This training is most appropriate for those who work directly with male perpetrators of domestic violence in batterers intervention programs (BIPs). BIP supervisors, victim advocates collaborating with BIPs, BIP monitors, and others interested are welcome to participate.

No partial participation will be permitted.

Questions?

Contact Reiko

Phone: 614-781-9651 ext.

228 or email:

reikoo@odvn.org



Location: **Mid-Ohio Foodbank**
3960 Brookham Dr., Grove City, OH 43123
(Just southwest of Columbus)

Trainers: **Domestic Abuse Intervention Programs, Duluth, Minnesota**

This training is the comprehensive training for working with men who batter using the Duluth Model. Many people worldwide claim to be using or teaching the Duluth Model approach. However, one must recognize that the Duluth Model is an ever-evolving philosophy and practice based on the expertise of our actual work to end battering in Duluth. In this training, participants will be able to learn the latest and most effective components of the model based on our 30 years of experience. This training is a pre-requisite for use of the official Duluth Model curriculum for working with men who batter. We also encourage all who already use our curriculum, or some adaptation of it, to come and experience the current approach.

To learn more about the Duluth Model, go to: <http://www.theduluthmodel.org/index.php>

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Additional Trainings Available Through ODVN

Are you interested in having ODVN come out to your agency or community to provide trainings on a variety of topics? Below are some examples of trainings that can be brought to your agency and/or community.

Costs associated with trainings will vary, so please contact Rachel at 614-781-9651 extension 222 or rachelr@odvn.org for more information.

The Basics of Domestic Violence

Designed for agencies with little or no training on domestic violence, this training provides an overview of the dynamics of domestic violence and how domestic violence could impact the people served by the requesting agency. Depending on length, this customized training includes information and discussion on the dynamics of domestic violence, legal and social definitions of domestic violence, domestic violence statistics and myths, different types of abuse, the Power and Control Wheel, societal responses to domestic violence, discussion on “why does she stay?” and what you and your agency can do to support and empower domestic violence survivors.

In Little Shoes:

Children Exposed to Batterers

This training will address issues related to children and their response to living in an environment where they are exposed to an abusive person. Depending on length, potential topics include the dynamics of domestic violence and how those dynamics can impact children, myths and facts around child exposure to domestic violence, risk and protective factors, characteristics of batterers as parents and how coercive control impacts parenting, how domestic violence impacts development, safety planning with children, and supporting the resilience of children. For this training, participants must have received previous training on the basics of domestic violence.

Healthcare Providers’ Guide to Domestic Violence

This 3-4 hour training assists healthcare providers in understanding their role in eliminating domestic violence. This training features a discussion of the dynamics of domestic violence, information on how domestic violence affects a patient’s health, the impact of domestic violence on the health care system, effective screening and assessment of patients, documentation of disclosed violence, safety planning, local resources, and your role in supporting survivors.



Need training related to a topic you don't see here? As this is only a sample of the trainings provided by ODVN, please contact Rachel at rachelr@odvn.org or 614-781-9651 ext. 222, and we will see what we can do to help your agency and/or community!

Safety Planning: Basic and Advanced

These trainings present the latest ideas related to safety planning. The basic training discusses the concept of safety, the different types of safety plans, important components of safety plans, identifying batterer and life-generated risks, and doing safety planning in the context of woman-defined advocacy. The advanced training, for advocates already comfortable with safety planning, looks at how to approach safety planning holistically, safety planning with women who are planning on staying in current relationships, safety planning with children, and integrating empowerment into the safety planning process.

Developing/Enhancing a Coordinated Community Response to Domestic Violence

This training addresses the development and implementation of a coordinated community response (CCR), explaining the philosophical, practical, and prevention aspects. Topics include organizing individual communities for CCR work, who and how to invite potential CCR members, and keeping members engaged and participating. Participants will learn how to develop CCRs to include a primary prevention focus as well as the traditional community response to domestic violence.

Holding Batterers Accountable: Batterers Intervention or Anger Management?

This training explores ways to hold batterers accountable within the most appropriate program framework. Facilitators will examine the causes of domestic violence and the role of emotions in domestic violence before analyzing and comparing anger management and batterers intervention program frameworks. Participants will increase their understanding of treatment for batterers and will have the opportunity to discuss steps to increase batterer accountability.



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Peaceful Relationships for Teens

This training is designed to introduce the components of prevention programs to advocates and allied professionals with a focus on creating social change. Participants explore the theory and practice of prevention as it applies specifically to teen dating violence. Facilitators will share models and promising practices for developing comprehensive strategies to address teen dating violence and promote healthy relationships. Originally designed as a two-day workshop, this training can be adapted to fit your community's needs.

Ethics In Advocacy

What does it mean to do ethical work when working with domestic violence survivors? This 2-3 hour training gives those working with domestic violence survivors the opportunity to think through their ethical responsibilities and obligations through a lens of empowerment and effective advocacy. Participants will have the chance to define ethics, brainstorm around ethical practices in their agency, discuss boundaries and ethical issues, and will leave with a deeper understanding of their role in the workplace.

Domestic Violence in Later Life

The underlying objective of this workshop is to help participants understand the dynamics of domestic and family violence in the context of victims age 50 and older who are in a trust relationship with the perpetrator. The workshop will compare how DV in later life compares with younger domestic violence or other types of elder abuse. It will review emerging research that challenges assumptions about victims, perpetrators and causes. Participants will consider implications for appropriate service delivery and prevention programming. This workshop is adaptable for 90 minutes to two hours in length.

What Does It Mean to be a Board Member of a Domestic Violence Program?

This highly interactive workshop for board members accentuates the unique role of leading a domestic violence/family violence agency. It includes a powerful reflection of milestones in the movement and helps individual members to reaffirm their personal investment in advancing change and forwarding social justice. It is highly customizable to each organization. The workshop includes frank conversations on current realities including the funding landscape, situational assessments and implications for programming. It motivates board members to draw on their diversity, talents and expertise to serve multiple and varied constituents. The workshop can support or catalyze sustainability, strategic planning or stewardship efforts. Past workshops have ranged from 90 minutes to four hours in length.

Domestic Violence in the Workplace

This training, designed for employers, provides an understanding of domestic violence issues affecting the workplace. Topics include liabilities and costs for employers, safety issues for employees, and policies and procedures for addressing domestic violence in the workplace. Participants will gain awareness and skills in responding to and supporting employees who are victims of domestic violence.

Revictimization: What is it, how does it happen, and what can we do about it?

This two hour training addresses ways in which survivors of domestic violence can be revictimized when seeking help to deal with their abusive relationships. Participants will be challenged to define revictimization, identify ways in which survivors experience revictimization, explore how unsupportive responses to seeking help can impact a survivor's attitude and feelings towards seeking services, and how to be aware of ways in which we revictimize survivors and create a safe environment for survivors in our agency.

REGISTER AND PAY ONLINE at [www.odvn.org!](http://www.odvn.org)



Go to www.odvn.org. On the homepage, click on the “register for training” button. Click on the name of the training that you want to attend. Please make sure to click “finish” at the bottom of the online registration to ensure that your registration is received! If you have any questions, please contact Rachel at rachelr@odvn.org or 614-781-9651 extension 222.

Training registration fees:

One-day Training Institute trainings: \$25 members, \$60 non-members

Two-day Training Institute trainings: \$45 members, \$80 non-members

Three-day Training Institute trainings: \$55 members, \$90 non-members

Duluth Model Conference September 22-24, 2010: \$200 members, \$235 non-members

For membership information, go to www.odvn.org and click on the “ODVN membership” tab.

To register by mail or fax, please fill out the following:

Name of Training _____

Name of Registrant _____

Agency _____ Position _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

Email _____

Experience in DV field: ____ years ____ months

I need the CEU's for: ____ Social Work ____ Counselor

Fax with guarantee of payment to : 614-781-9652

Send this form (one per registrant, please) and a check or money order to:
Ohio Domestic Violence Network, 4807 Evanswood Drive, Suite 201, Columbus, Ohio 43229.