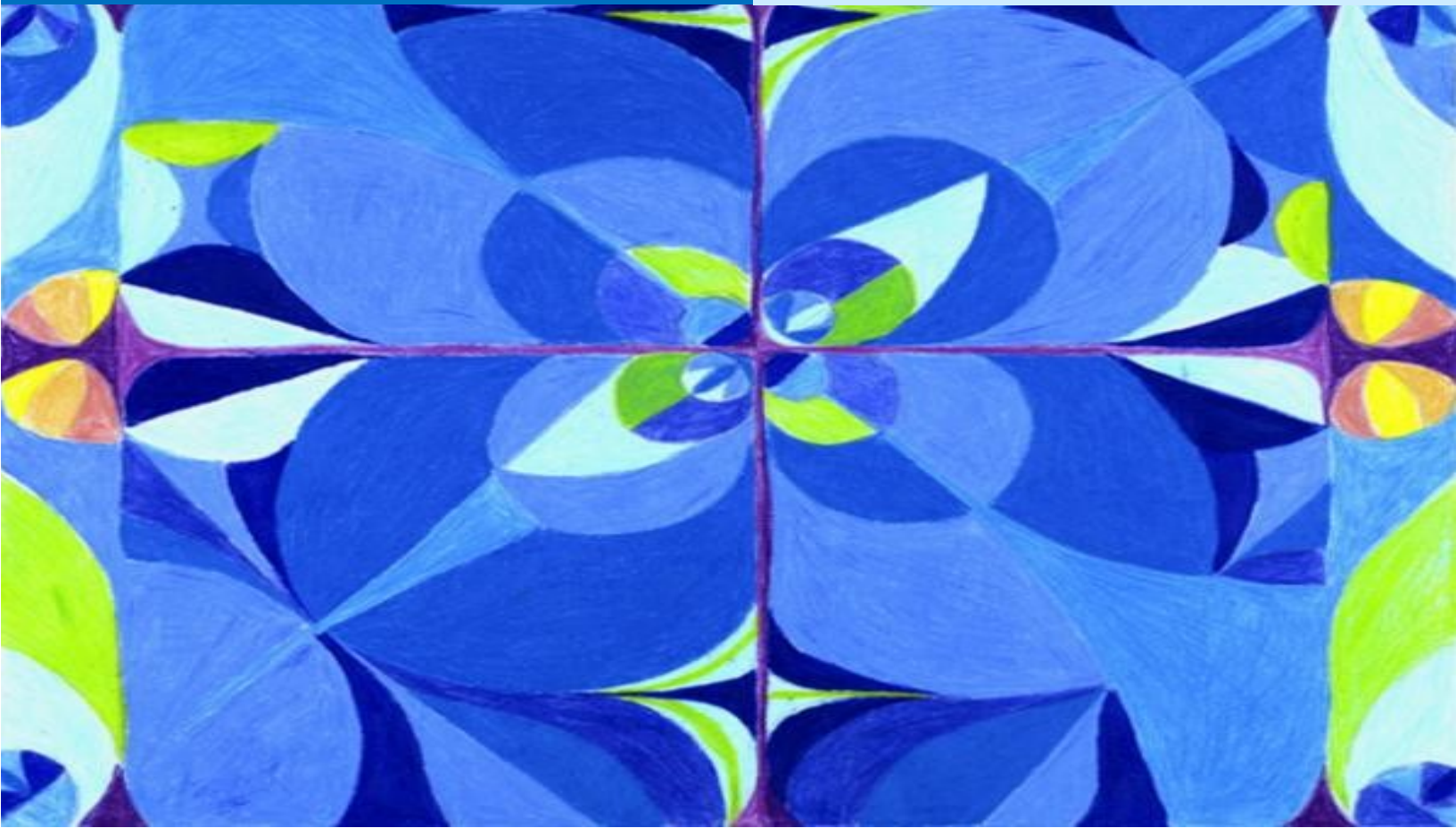


Nevada Network Against Domestic Violence



Annual Report 2015



Message from the Executive Director

For more than three decades the Nevada Network Against Domestic Violence (NNADV) has been the leading statewide voice on domestic violence. We have advocated for change in laws, policies and practices; we have educated communities about the complicated issues of domestic violence; we have supported local community-based service providers with resources, training and technical assistance.

Last year, we embarked on a year-long strategic planning process. Board, staff and allies all provided the time, energy and thought to produce an ambitious five year plan for NNADV. This year's annual report will highlight some of the ambitious goals from the plan as we reflect on the accomplishments of the past year.

Perhaps the most significant change will be our transformation into a dual domestic and sexual violence coalition. In the next year, we will change our name, open a second office in Las Vegas and begin to integrate programming for organizations providing services to survivors of sexual violence as well as domestic violence. One small sentence about a journey that will fundamentally change our work. For too long, our movement has been fractured – a state that undermines our collective power. Meaningful partnerships among all those working to end violence and oppression is crucial to our success. Building strong relationships is necessary to help us face the immediate challenges and to create a future where violence is neither tolerated or excused.

We are proud to present you with our FY 2015 Annual Report providing a snapshot of our current accomplishments. We also invite you to join us in this journey of transformation. Please take a moment to think about how you might be able to support us as we understand and address the interconnections between domestic and sexual violence. Help us strategically focus our attention, generate new knowledge, and continue to make progress in ending all forms of violence in our community.

With love & respect,

Sue Meuschke

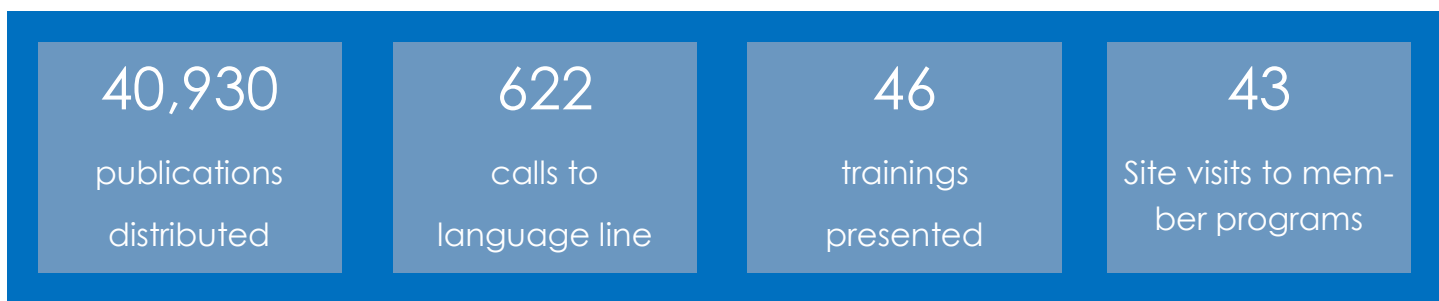
Mission

To be a statewide voice advocating for the prevention and elimination of domestic violence through partnering with communities.



Pictured above (left to right): Gladys Robinette, Kathryn Authier, Elizabeth Stoffel, Judy Henderson, Erica Stichter, Kristy Oriol

NNADV provides information, education and advocacy to member programs and general public. During fiscal year 2015, NNADV reported...



According to the domestic violence data submitted by member programs, during fiscal year 2015, there were...

- **63,624 victim contacts**
- **56,454 bed nights provided**
- **12,455 temporary protection order prepared**
- **12,718 law enforcement contacts**
- **128,573 referrals provided**

GOAL:

NNADV will engage member programs in exploring more proactive ways to end domestic violence

Nevada Domestic Violence Census

On September 16, 2015, 15 out of 15 (100%) identified local domestic violence programs in Nevada participated in the 2015 National Census of Domestic Violence Services conducted by the National Network to End Domestic Violence

- 334 victims served in one day
 - 182 domestic violence victims found refuge in emergency shelters or transitional housing
 - 152 adults and children received non-residential assistance and services including counseling, legal advocacy, and children's support groups
- 105 hotline calls answered
- 108 unmet requests for services in one day

To view the complete report, visit the National Network to End Domestic Violence website at www.nnedv.org

Trainings

NNADV provides trainings and workshops held in various geographical areas of the state based on the needs of domestic violence programs, bringing together advocates and allied professionals for a learning opportunity and networking.

- Hanging Out or Hooking Up
- Intimate Partner Violence: A Public Health Priority
- Fundamentals: Technology Safety in a Digital World
- Self-Care for Advocates
- Crisis Intervention for Advocates
- In Her Shoes & Stalking
- NNADV & Program Services
- Teen Relationship Abuse: What Is It? How Can I Help?
- Human Trafficking for Advocates
- Supporting Children Exposed to Intimate Partner Violence & In Her Shoes
- Intimate Partner Violence and Traumatic Brain Injury
- Intimate Partner Violence: A Public Health Priority
- Intimate Partner Violence: A Public Health Priority for EMS Providers
- Green Dot Overview of Bystander Intervention Strategies
- Realizing the Promise of Home Visitation: Addressing the Impact of Intimate Partner Violence
- Integrating Risk & Lethality Assessment into the Safety Planning Process
- Elder Abuse in LGBTQ Communities

Advocate Certificate Program

During fiscal year 2015, NNADV began experimenting with the development and dissemination of a new 20-hour e-learning training curriculum that is available on our website www.nnadv.org for program members at no charge. As part of this project, we developed the following content for new advocates, with more content planned in the future:

- Historical Perspectives on the Movement to End Domestic Violence
- Introduction to Domestic Violence
- Confidentiality and Privilege
- Impact of Domestic Violence on Children
- Diversity and Cultural Competency
- Survivor-Centered, Trauma Informed Advocacy (3 parts)
- Ethics and Boundaries

- Orders for Protection Against Domestic Violence (2 parts)
- Law Enforcement Response to Domestic Violence
- Nevada Victims of Crime Program

Each of the modules consists of a PowerPoint presentation, suggested resources, a learning assessment, and an evaluation form that participants access on our website and complete at their own speed under the supervision of a staff member at their local program. Participants send assessments and evaluations to NNADV. If a participant receives 90% or higher on the assessment, NNADV sends the participant and the supervisor an individual subject certificate of achievement and a student feedback report indicating areas of further study if questions were missed. When the participant completes 20 hours of training, she and her supervisor receive a 20-hour certificate of achievement.

Although the program is relatively new, results are promising. At the end of FY 2015, 8 participants had received a total of 33 individual course certificates. Of the 8 participants, 1 had completed the entire 20-hour certificate of achievement course.

Public Policy Resources

[Nevada Domestic Violence Law Compendium 2015](#) was created to provide domestic violence advocates and allies with a quick reference guide to domestic violence laws in Nevada. The 2015 compendium contains updates from the 2015 legislative session.

[2015 Legislative Summary](#) was created to summarize the priority pieces of legislation that NNADV followed in 2015.

[Legislative Advocacy Handbook](#) was designed to help navigate the complex legislative system and build relationships with legislators.

For more information regarding public policy initiatives, visit

<http://www.nnadv.org/about-us/initiatives/public-policy/>

GOAL:

*Community norms
and attitudes about
domestic violence
will be positively
changed in Nevada*

Jan Evans Direct Assistance Fund

Jan Evans Direct Assistance Fund offers emergency financial assistance grants of up to \$500 to survivors of domestic violence and their children who are fleeing abusive relationships or attempting to reestablish themselves after leaving such situations. In 2015, local domestic violence programs received \$5,330.75 in financial grants through the Jan Evans Direct Assistance Fund to benefit individual survivors.

13 victims of domestic violence and their **24** children were assisted

Community Populations

33% of grants went to Clark County

13% of grants went to Rural Nevada

54% of grants went to Washoe County

GOAL:

NNADV will be an organization that is more representative of its community

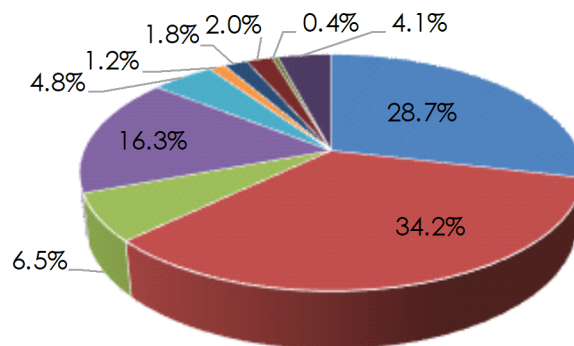
Member Programs

- Alternatives to Living in Violent Environments (A.L.I.V.E), Yerington, NV
- Committee Against Domestic Violence/Harbor House, Elko, NV
- Committee to Aid Abused Women, Reno, NV
- Consolidated Agencies of Human Services, Hawthorne, NV
- Domestic Violence Intervention Inc., Fallon, NV
- Domestic Violence Intervention Inc., Lovelock, NV
- Safe Embrace, Reno, NV
- Stop Abuse in the Family Environment (S.A.F.E House), Henderson, NV
- Tahoe Safe Alliance, Incline Village, NV
- Temporary Assistance for Domestic Crisis/Safe Nest, Las Vegas, NV
- Winnemucca Domestic Violence Services, Winnemucca, NV

Financial Report

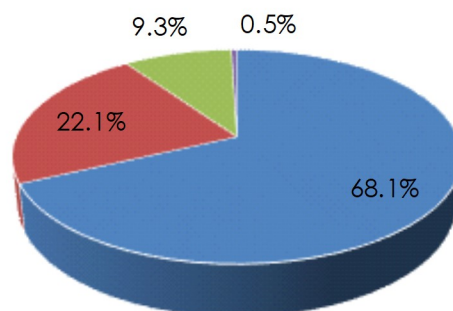
Grants & Donations

- Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) \$676,303
- Family Violence Prevention & Services (FVPSA) \$806,971
- Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) \$152,528
- Rural DV, Dating Violence, & Stalking Assistance Program \$384,632
- Transitional Housing Assistance Grants Program \$113,275
- Preventative Health & Health Services \$29,040
- Rape Prevention Education \$42,874
- Contributions, Gift & Donations \$47,203
- Contributed Materials & Services \$9,727
- Other income \$97,260



Expenses

- Assistance to Member Organizations \$1,621,529
- Education, outreach & Training \$526,142
- General & Administrative \$221,545
- Fundraising & Grant Procurement \$11,450



GOAL:

NNADV and its network members will demonstrate increased capabilities that lead to sustainability

Federal Grants

U.S. Department of Health & Human Services Administration for Children & Families, Family Violence Prevention and Services (FVPS), Grants to State Domestic Violence Coalitions

U.S. Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women, Rural Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking Assistance Program

U.S. Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women, Grants to State Sexual Assault & Domestic Violence Coalition Program

U.S. Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women, Transitional Housing Assistance Grants for Victims of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Stalking, or Sexual Assault Program

State Grants

State of Nevada Department of Human Resources, Division of Child & Family Services, Family Violence Prevention & Services (FVPS) Grant

State of Nevada Department of Human Resources, Division of Child & Family Services, Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) Grant

State of Nevada Office of the Attorney General, STOP Violence Against Women Grant Program

Nevada State Health Division Bureau of Child, Family, and Community Wellness, Rape Prevention & Education Program

Nevada State Health Division Bureau of Child, Family, and Community Wellness, Sexual Violence Prevention & Education Program

Corporate Support

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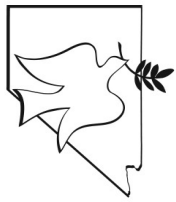
GOAL:

NNADV will develop diverse effective partnerships to achieve the mission, vision and goals of the organization

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