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Domestic Violence Nonprofits Prove Crucial in Equitable COVID-19 Recovery

Allstate Foundation grant empowers financial future for Nevada survivors

Reno, NV., Sept. 21, 2021 – As the U.S. moves toward COVID-19 recovery, domestic violence nonprofits are helping one of the most vulnerable populations rebound. Continuing its commitment to advancing financial security and education for survivors through its Moving Ahead Curriculum, The Allstate Foundation provided a $75,000 Moving Ahead Grant to the Nevada Coalition to End Domestic and Sexual Violence (NCEDSV). This is the second consecutive year the NCEDSV has received the coveted support.

“The past year has challenged our coalition and those we empower,” said Sue Meuschke, Executive Director of NCEDSV. “This essential funding from the Allstate Foundation grant will provide credit-building services and financial education to victim-survivors and advocates across Nevada. In this second year of funding, The Allstate Foundation is demonstrating their commitment to excellence by supporting the continuation and expansion of last year’s efforts.”

The Moving Ahead grants are part of the Foundation’s commitment to ending domestic violence through financial empowerment with its Moving Ahead Curriculum, at MovingAheadOnline.org. Twenty-seven state coalitions will receive a total of $1.3 million this year, part of the more than $85 million the Foundation has invested over the past 16 years.

“Domestic violence and financial abuse impact all demographics and socioeconomic populations in the U.S., but the pandemic has disproportionately affected people of color and women,” said Ellen Lisak, the Foundation’s senior program officer. “For over a decade, we’ve equitably supported survivors with financial well-being resources, and now these life-changing tools will play a key role in our nation’s recovery.”

If you or someone you know needs help, call the National Domestic Violence Hotline at 1-800-799-SAFE (7233) or TTY 1-800-787-3224. To learn more about the warning signs of domestic violence, see the resources offered by The Allstate Foundation.

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About NCEDSV
The Nevada Coalition to End Domestic and Sexual Violence (previously The Nevada Network Against Domestic Violence), is the statewide coalition of domestic and sexual violence programs. NCEDSV provides statewide advocacy, education and support to the front-line organizations that help those impacted by domestic and sexual violence. To learn more about services provided by NCEDSV, visit ncedsv.org

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