



Asian Americans
for
Community
Involvement
Santa Clara County, Incorporated

Faith in Violence-Free Families: Building Partnerships for Change

A Workshop for Faith Leaders and Domestic Violence Prevention Advocates

Date: Friday, March 14, 2008

**Location: Asian Americans for Community Involvement (AACI)
2400 Moorpark Ave., Suite 210, San Jose, CA 95128**

Time: 9:00am to 5:00pm (Registration & morning refreshments at 8:30)

Participants will receive an official Certificate of Completion,
signed by the California Department of Public Health.

7 MFT/LCSW/RN contact hours of Continuing Education are also available.

This workshop will focus on fostering collaborative relationships between faith leaders and domestic violence prevention advocates while discussing strategies for combining efforts and expertise to better serve our communities. AACI will touch upon domestic violence using a cultural lens that is especially relevant to Asian and Pacific Islander faith communities. Discussions will include prevention strategies, steps for community collaboration, and sharing the expertise and experience of participants. This workshop fosters a peer-to-peer learning environment, offering time for safe and honest dialogue, as well as for sharing promising practices with each other. Participants will take home a tool for developing a concrete plan to collaborate with community partners to address domestic violence.

Learning objectives include the following:

- ❖ Identify challenges and benefits of working with each other;
- ❖ Develop mutual understanding of causes, influences, and dynamics of domestic violence
- ❖ Consider efforts to prevent abuse;
- ❖ Explore how faith/spiritual perspectives can perpetuate or challenge viewpoints regarding abusive relationships;
- ❖ Determine how to appropriately assist those in need, including looking at organizational practices and policies;
- ❖ Share and learn strategies for collaborating;
- ❖ Consider efforts to prevent abuse before it takes place; and
- ❖ Develop a concrete action plan for next steps.

Participants are strongly encouraged to invite and attend with a community faith leader. This can be an existing or a new partnership. Contact TC-TAT if you would like assistance identifying a local leader to attend this workshop with you. There will also be opportunities to network with other community members and service providers.

This workshop is offered to community members, volunteers & employees who provide services and support to those affected by domestic violence, such as: faith community members; domestic violence advocates; public and mental health providers; social workers; educators; law enforcement. Upon request, reasonable accommodations will be made.

This workshop will be held at locations throughout California. Contact us for more information

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Registration

Pre-registration is suggested in order to guarantee meals and materials. One registrant per form, please. To register for this workshop, please complete and return the following registration form to TC-TAT via the following methods:

- Fax: (415) 457-6457
- Email: fvff@transformcommunities.org
- Mail: 734 A St. San Rafael, CA 94901

Once your registration is submitted, you will receive a confirmation.

Reasonable Accommodations

Upon request, reasonable accommodations will be made. All requests for reasonable accommodations must be made at least two weeks prior to the workshop date. Please check the appropriate box on the registration form if you would like to arrange for such accommodations.

Inviting Faith Partners

As a participating program, you are strongly encouraged to invite and attend with a local faith leader or faith community member. This can be an existing partnership, or a new/ potential partnership. Contact TC-TAT if you would like assistance identifying and outreaching to a local leader to invite and attend this workshop with you.

Continuing Education Hours (CE)

There is a \$25 fee per participant for registering for CEs for this workshop. Those who would like MFT/LCSW/RN CEs may pay now with registration or pay at the workshop.

MFT/LCSW: This workshop series meets the qualifications for seven (7) contact hours of continuing education (CE) as required by the California Board of Behavioral Sciences, available through TC-TAT, Provider Number 2865.

RN: Provider approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, available through MAWS, Provider Number 12670, for seven (7) contact hours.

Please come prepared to stay the entire day, as this is critical to the day's work.

We encourage you to invite others from your agency and/or faith community to attend with you, so as to make the team work session of this workshop more effective. TC-TAT is happy to send invitations for you; just forward us your contacts. You do not need a partner to attend this workshop; however it will enhance your experience.

For more information contact Maria-Elena Young, TC-TAT Project Coordinator
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Please fax this page to (415) 457-6457, ATTN: FVFF

Participant Information: (Please print clearly)

Name:	Title/Position:	
Organization:		
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Phone: ()	Fax: ()	E-mail:

Please check all that apply:

- Domestic Violence or Sexual Assault Services
- Faith Leader: _____ Other: _____
- I am requesting a vegetarian and/or kosher meal. (Please circle all that apply)
- I am registering for CEs in advance. Charge my credit card the additional \$25 CE fee.
- I have accessibility requests and would like to find out how they can be accommodated.
- I would like to request registration fee assistance.

Participants are strongly encouraged to attend with a local faith leader or faith community member with whom you would like to begin or enhance a working relationship with. TC-TAT can assist you with this process.

- I would like assistance from TC-TAT in identifying/outreaching to a local faith leader to attend this workshop with me.
- I have identified a person to attend with me. Their contact information is below:

Community Partner Information: (Please print clearly)

Name:	Title/Position:	
Organization (or Faith Community):		
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Phone: ()	Fax: ()	E-mail:
This partner is confirmed (they are available and have committed to attend): <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
Notes:		

Please answer the questions on the following page →

