

ABOUT THE ALASKA NETWORK ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND SEXUAL ASSAULT

The Alaska Network on Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault promotes and sustains a collective movement to end violence and oppression through social change. We are a nonprofit, membership corporation composed of 17 programs statewide that provide services to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault, offender services, and adult crisis intervention services.

Collectively, we believe that the elimination of interpersonal and societal violence is most effectively advanced through: grass roots efforts of local-based programs; communities that hold abusers accountable; and networking and coalition building at the local, state, and national levels.

Visit our Web site to access facts and statistics, research and other information about domestic violence and sexual assault. Also available on our Web site are Internet and computer safety tips, information about violent crimes compensation, useful links to other organizations that address interpersonal violence, and information about our various programs and projects.

In addition, ANDVSA produces a number of excellent publications that are available free of charge. These publications can be downloaded from our Web site, and some can be ordered from ANDVSA as hard copies.

Our Legal Advocacy Project publications include:

Domestic Violence & Guns: A Guide to the Laws That Can Remove Guns from a Dangerous Abuser. This brochure outlines how the law can help you be safer in six steps.

Domestic Violence Protective Orders: How to Get Out-of-State Enforcement. The Violence Against Women Act makes it possible to get your domestic violence protective order enforced in other states. This brochure helps you learn how.

Women's Legal Rights Handbook, 2007 Edition is designed for any woman navigating the legal system on topics such as employment, bankruptcy, credit, debt collection, inheritance, criminal law, violent crimes, name changes, reproductive rights, divorce, custody, sexual assault and adoption. This publication is also available in hard copy.

The Legal Advocate Training Curriculum provides basic training materials for legal advocates. Please contact us at 586-3650 for a hard copy.

The Volunteer Attorney Manual for Family Law is designed for our pro-bono attorneys working with family law cases involving domestic violence and sexual assault. Please contact us at 586-3650 for a hard copy of this nationally recognized publication.

Our Training Project publications include:

Getting Safe and Sober: Real Tools You Can Use. An advocacy teaching kit for working with women coping with substance abuse and interpersonal violence (2005 version).

Getting Safe and Sober: Real Tools You Can Use. An advocacy teaching kit for working with women coping with substance abuse, interpersonal violence and trauma (2nd Edition, Revised 2008).

Both of these training manuals are also available in Spanish.

Access the ANDVSA Web site at www.andvsa.org.