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January 2018

GCASAFV News:



Happy New Year to All!

The Guam Coalition Against Sexual Assault & Family Violence looks forward to continue working with each and every one of you and raising awareness to kNOw MORE about Sexual Assault and Family Violence in 2018!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

To include announcements and events in our newsletters, email us at info@guamcoalition.org

ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM GCASAFV, MEMBERS AND PARTNERS

Human Trafficking & Stalking Awareness & Prevention Month Proclamation and Resolution

GCASAFV, the US Attorney's Office and the Governor's Community Outreach – Federal Programs Office
January 10, 2018
3:45 pm – 4:00 pm
Guam Museum Multi-purpose Room

Human Trafficking & Stalking Awareness & Prevention Month Wave

GCASAFV, the US Attorney's Office and the Governor's Community Outreach – Federal Programs Office
January 10, 2018
4:30 pm – 5:30 pm
Across Chamorro Village (behind the Guam Museum)

Human Trafficking & Stalking Awareness & Prevention Outreach

GCASAFV, the US Attorney's Office and the Governor's Community Outreach – Federal Programs Office
January 13, 2018
10:00 am – 2:00 pm
Agana Shopping Center

GCASAFV News and Announcements!

GCASAFV General Membership Meeting

GCASAFV held its last General Membership Meeting of 2017 at the Guam Museum Multi-purpose room on December 12, 2017. Board Chair Therese Arriola started the meeting, and GCASAFV's Francesca Gatz gave highlights on GCASAFV's 2017 activities. Grace Donaldson from Pacific Human Resources Services summarized and did a brief presentation on "7 Habits of Highly Effective People," an approach to effectively attain goals. Thank you to all who attended!



Welcome Aboard, New Employees!



GCASAFV welcomes our newest project assistants Marcel Higgs II and Brianna Sanchez to the team!

Say NO MORE to Human Trafficking and Stalking

According to the International Labor Organization, human traffickers generate hundreds of billions of dollars in profits by trapping millions of people in horrific situations around the world, including the United States. January is National Slavery & Human Trafficking Prevention Month.

January is also National Stalking Awareness Month. According to the National Center for Victims of Crime and the Stalking Resource Center, 6.6 million people in the United States have been stalked in a year, and a majority of those victims are stalked by someone they know; 3 in 4 victims killed by an intimate partner were previously stalked by that intimate partner.



In recognition of National Slavery & Human Trafficking Prevention Month and National Stalking Awareness Month, GCASAFV, in partnership with the US Attorney's Office and the Governor's Community Outreach – Federal Programs Office, will hold the following events:

Human Trafficking and Stalking Awareness and Prevention Month: Proclaim, Resolve, Wave

The 2018 Human Trafficking and Stalking Awareness and Prevention Month Proclamation Signing and Legislative Resolution on Tuesday, January 10, 2018 at the Guam Museum Multi-Purpose auditorium at 3:30 pm.

The Wave will follow the Proclamation Signing & Legislative Resolution. We will be waving along Marine Corps Drive, across Chamorro village at 4:30 pm. Bring your banner and join us!

Human Trafficking and Stalking Awareness Month Outreach

Join us at the 2018 Human Trafficking and Stalking Awareness Month Outreach at the Agana Shopping Center on Saturday, January 13, 2018 from 10:00 am – 2:00 pm.



Clothesline Project

Guma Mami'

January 13, 2018

10:00 am – 2:00 pm

Agana Shopping Center

2018 kNOw MORE Community Series Training Addressing Sexual Assault & Prevention GCASAFV

January 22, 2018

6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

Check in: 6:00 pm – 6:30 pm

IHOM Social Hall, Toto

2018 kNOw MORE Training on Abuse Across the Lifespan Series 3:

Addressing Sexual Assault & Prevention

GCASAFV

January 23, 2018

Time: 8:00 am – 3:30 pm

Check-in: 7:30 am – 8:00 am

Hilton Resort Guam, Tumon

WEBINARS

What We Learned in 2017: Updates from the Training Institute on Strangulation Prevention

<https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/4201856637727831810>

Training Institute on

Strangulation Prevention

January 10, 2018

4:00 am – 6:00 am ChST

Allstate Foundation Purple Purse Moving Ahead through Financial Empowerment Curriculum ~ Module 5: Long-Term Planning (5 of 5 modules)

<https://nnedv.adobeconnect.com/ej/>

National Network to End Domestic Violence

January 17, 2018

5:00 am – 6:30 am ChST

January Trainings: Faith-Based Organizations Say NO MORE to Sexual Assault WEBINARS

2018 kNOw MORE Community Series Training Addressing Sexual Assault & Prevention

GCASAFV's first training of the year, "2018 kNOw MORE Community Series Training Addressing Sexual Assault & Prevention," will take place on **Monday, January 22, 2018 from 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm** at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church Social Hall in Toto. The training will cover sexual harassment and prevention awareness approaches.

2018 kNOw MORE Training on Abuse Across the Lifespan Series 3: Addressing Sexual Assault & Prevention Training

The "2018 kNOw MORE Training on Abuse Across the Lifespan Series 3: Addressing Sexual Assault & Prevention Training" on **Tuesday, January 23, 2018** at the Hilton Resort Guam. The training is from 8:00 am – 3:30 pm, and check-in starts at 7:30 am. The goals of this training include engaging the community in addressing sexual assault, reporting incidents and inappropriate behavior at school and the workplace, as well as discuss child body safety.

Featured Speaker: Stella Gallegos, LISW

Stella Gallegos has worked in the field of sexual assault for 39 years and is a licensed independent social worker (LISW). She is currently the director of training for the New Mexico Coalition of Sexual Assault Programs.

Ms. Gallegos served as a Consultant/Trainer for the Catholic Archdiocese of Santa Fe and the Catholic Diocese of Las Cruces from 1989 – 2010. She provided Sexual Abuse and mandatory trainings on child sexual abuse and sexual harassment to all of the Archdiocese's clergy, employees, volunteers, parishes, and schools, CCD and CYO students, as well as the Catholic Dioceses of Las Cruces, and Gallup. As a consultant, she assisted the Archdiocese in making sure treatment was available to the survivors of Sexual Abuse/Sexual Assault, families of survivors, the person reporting the incident, as well as the alleged perpetrator. She has also provided child sexual abuse training to staff and volunteers of the Episcopal Diocese of the Rio Grande and the United Methodist Church.

Restorative Justice / Restorative Practices (part 3 of 3)

<https://ncjtc.fvtc.edu/training/details/TR00000617/TRI0005585/restorative-justice-restorative-practices-webinar-series>

National Criminal Justice Training Center

January 18, 2018

3:00 am – 4:30 am ChST

From Margins to Center: A Video Dialogue & Report

https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_xyZBG6bJRhKjhnkhsQPFRg

Center for Survivor Agency & Justice

January 19, 2018

4:00 am ChST

Building and Empowering Your Staff to Increase Your Agency's Organizational Capacity

<https://cc.readytalk.com/registration/#/?meeting=dpv2th7vn62l&campaign=bs7kly3w65y0>

Washington Coalition of Sexual Assault Programs

January 25, 2018

7:30 am – 9:00 am ChST

Trauma-Informed and Culturally-Specific Practice with Latina Survivors

[https://events-na1.adobeconnect.com/content/connect/c1/2297520381/en/events/event/shared/default_template_simple/event_registration.html?_sco-](https://events-na1.adobeconnect.com/content/connect/c1/2297520381/en/events/event/shared/default_template_simple/event_registration.html?_sco-id=2375570421&_charset=utf-8)

Casa de Esperanza

January 26, 2018

3:30 am – 5:00 am ChST

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Stella provides leadership, training, and program development in rural, native, and Mexican border communities; and provides information, referrals, and resource materials to schools, mental health centers, government agencies, and community groups.

The **deadline to register is January 15, 2018**. Register today! Follow the link to register: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SA-Prevention>

More updates will be posted at the GCASAFV website: www.GuamCoalition.org.

Pacific Partners Project News and Announcements

GCASAFV and its campus partners are planning the February Technical Advisory Group (TAG) meeting on Saipan in February. The meeting will have campus partners come together to share their experiences and lessons learned in implementing PPP on their campuses. The meeting will also focus on projecting for the third year of PPP, and how campuses will start incorporating prevention programming into daily operations of their campuses. The meeting will also focus on planning for April's Sexual Assault Awareness Month (SAAM) and May 19, Asia Pacific Islander World Aids Day. More updates will be made available at a later date.

TASI Project: New Grantees' Orientation

The Guam Team will be attending the Office on Violence Against Women and the National Clearinghouse on Abuse in Later Life New Grantee Orientation for OVAW's Enhanced Training and Services to End Abuse in Later Life Program will be held January 9-11, 2018 at the Hyatt Regency Washington on Capitol Hill in Washington, D.C. The Department of Public Health & Social Services - Division of Senior Citizens is the lead agency and includes partners such as the Office of the Attorney General, Catholic Social Service, the Guam Police Department, the Governor's Community Outreach – Federal Programs Office, the Judiciary of Guam, and GCASAFV.

Get The Facts on Human Trafficking and Stalking:

Read more here: <http://polarisproject.org/human-trafficking/facts>

Read more here: <http://victimsofcrime.org/our-programs/stalking-resource-center/stalking-information>



WEBINARS

Abuse in Later Life: A webinar series for civil attorneys and legal advocates ~ Module 1: Abuse in Later Life Overview (part 1 of 5)

<https://ta2ta.org/webinars/registration/abuse-in-later-life-a-webinar-series-for-civil-att.html>

National Clearinghouse on Abuse in Later Life and ABA Commission on Domestic & Sexual Violence

January 26, 2018
4:30 am ChST

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