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For up to date information on the Coronavirus, please check the LA County Department of Public Health website: <http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/media/Coronavirus/>. Additional information is available from the CDC here: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/index.html>.

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Victim Rights Law Center

Leading a New Response to Sexual Violence

Confidentiality and Coronavirus Contact Tracing

August 19 at 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. PT / 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. ET

The COVID-19 pandemic has generated a lot of questions about protecting survivors' personal information. One of those questions is how to protect program participants' confidentiality if a health department doing contact tracing related to COVID-19 asks for program participants' personally identifying information. This webinar will help you think through how to answer questions about this and will introduce VRLC's FAQs on protecting confidentiality with contact tracing.

[Register here!](#)

To Report, or Not to Report, that is the Question for OVW-Funded Victim Service Providers

August 26 at 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. PT / 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. ET

VRLC has heard your questions about when OVW-funded victim service providers must report abuse or neglect and when they can't. Am I a mandatory reporter? What discretion do I have with making a report, if any? What information must I share if I'm required to make a report? This webinar will allow us to answer those sorts of questions! We'll focus on child abuse mandatory reporting but will apply concepts about that reporting to elder abuse, abuse of adults with disabilities, and other reporting that may be required where you work.

[Register here!](#)

Protecting Minors' Privacy Rights: How to Use VRLC's Minors' Privacy Workbook and FAQs

September 16 at 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. PT / 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. ET

VRLC has developed a privacy workbook to help you serve children and youth! The workbook has general information and worksheets for you to apply to your work with minors. If you don't know your child abuse mandatory reporting laws or age of consent, you'll be glad to know we have also developed jurisdiction-specific privacy FAQs that answer those sorts of confidentiality-related questions for you! Join us for this webinar so you can better protect the privacy of children and youth.

[Register here!](#)

Protecting the Confidentiality of Survivors with Cognitive and Intellectual Disability

September 22 at 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. PT / 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. ET

This foundational and interactive webinar will help OVW-funded victim service providers to better protect the confidentiality of survivors with cognitive and intellectual disability. We will explain cognitive disability, intellectual disability, guardianship, legal capacity, and confidentiality. We will explore VAWA confidentiality, jurisdiction-specific confidentiality and privilege, and mandatory reporting law. VRLC is thrilled to co-facilitate this webinar with Janette Brickman, Senior Program Associate with the Vera Institute's End Abuse of People with Disabilities Program.

[Register here!](#)

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More Upcoming Webinars:

September 2020

- **Working with Immigrant Survivors of Sexual Assault**

Guest Presenter: Leslye Orloff, Director of the National Immigrant Women's Advocacy Project

October 2020

- **Updated Title IX Guidance and Regulations, Part One**

Guest Presenters: Amanda Walsh and Ruth Vaughan, Attorneys at the Victim Rights Law Center

- **Updated Title IX Guidance and Regulations, Part Two**

Guest Presenters: Amanda Walsh and Ruth Vaughan, Attorneys at the Victim Rights Law Center

November 2020

- **Consumer Protections for Survivors**

Guest Presenter: David Sieminski, Senior Policy Analyst at the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau

December 2020

- **Alcohol-Facilitated Sexual Assault**

Guest Presenter: Jon Kurland, Attorney Advisor at AEquitas

Watch your inbox for dates and registration details!

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Public Charge Rules Halted



BREAKING: Public Charge Rules HALTED!!!

Dear Allies,

We're writing to share some exciting [breaking news](#)! Today, the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York issued a [new temporary injunction against the DHS Public Charge rule](#). The order bars the implementation, application, and enforcement of the rule *nationwide* so long as there is a declared national emergency related to the COVID-19 pandemic. The court also issued a nationwide [preliminary injunction barring enforcement of the DOS Public Charge rule and Health Insurance Proclamation](#), the first decision fully addressing these policies at DOS, and it enjoined those policies indefinitely, beyond the national emergency related to the pandemic.

Please see the following press releases from our [litigation partners](#) and from the [co-chairs of the PIF Campaign](#).

What's Next?

We are still working through what the impact of this decision may be in the long term. However, we anticipate that the federal government will continue to push to overturn the preliminary injunction. Stay tuned for more updates from the Campaign. We will follow up with more resources, but below are some topline talking points:

- As long as the New York district court's injunction remains in place, the public charge rule continues to be blocked nationwide.
- We ask immigrant families to get the facts — the Trump administration wants you to be afraid, but with the right information, you can make the best choice for your family.

Thank you for your continued partnership!

Madison Allen (CLASP)

Connie Choi & Jenny Rejeske (NILC)

Visit us at <https://protectingimmigrantfamilies.org/>

40-HR DV/IPV Advocacy Training

Flyer and registration form is [attached](#).



PROJECT: PEACEMAKERS, INC. (PPMI)
Support for Victims of Domestic and Intimate Partner Violence (DV/IPV)
A Non-Profit Public Benefit Corporation

Domestic Violence/Intimate Partner Violence (DV/IPV)
40 – Hour Advocacy Training, Fall 2020

September 15, 2020 to November 17, 2020

Tuesdays from 6:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.

For 10 weeks

Graduation Ceremony: November 24, 2020

Location of Training:

ZOOM Web Conferencing

A certificate will be provided upon completion
CALIFORNIA EVIDENCE CODE SECTION 1037.1

Fee: \$225.00

\$125.00 Registration (Part of the \$225 fee)

REGISTRATION FEE AND FORM DUE BY March 31, 2020

Must Pay in Full by October 20, 2020

Training Topics Include, but are not limited to:

Comprehensive overview of Domestic Family/Intimate Partner Violence
(DF/IPV):

History of DV, Civil and Criminal Law as it relates to DV, Legal Issues, Law
Enforcement, Society and Cultural Perspectives, Children exposed to DV,
Housing, Domestic Violence in the LGBTQ Community and Challenges of
the Disabled Community

Facilitator

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