LA COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH - DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COUNCIL (DVC)

SHELTER DIRECTORS ISSUES COMMITTEE MEETING

Wednesday, Sept 20, 2023
11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. | Pacific Time (US & Canada)
Ruben F. Salazar Park
Innovation Room
3864 Whittier Blvd,
Los Angeles, CA 90023

Mission Statement: To strengthen the domestic violence shelters in Los Angeles County to provide comprehensive support to survivors and reduce the incidence of domestic violence. The Shelter Directors also join together to advocate and share organizational and financial resources that improve our domestic violence programs.

NOTE: Due to the end of the Covid-19 State of Emergency, all meetings will return to an in-person. Therefore, all attendees must meet on site to participate in the meetings.

See the DVC Calendar for Meeting Information

AGENDA

I. Call to Order & Introductions: Krysta Warfield, Co-chair; Veronica Sandoval, Co-chair

<u>Meeting Protocols</u> -Before we begin this meeting, please be reminded that this is an open and public meeting. Therefore, anything discussed is not protected by any type of confidentiality. Any client identifying information should not be presented. Please avoid discussion of personal cases as well. If you need additional resources, please contact the co-chairs after this meeting.

- II. Review previous meeting discussion and follow up resource items
 - a. Potential trainings
- III. Discussion regarding effective shelter policies and procedures, and/or navigating the implementation of shelter policies/procedures.
 - a. Open Discussion
- IV. Upcoming agency events and/or announcement
- V. Public Comments: not to exceed two minutes per person and must be on items of interest which are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Council
- VI. Next meeting is **Wednesday**, **November 15**th (third **Wednesday** of the month) at 11:30 a.m. to 1 pm. This committee will meet every other month on the third Wednesday of the month.
- VII. Adjourn

ACCOMMODATION REQUESTS:

American Sign Language (ASL) interpreters, auxiliary aids and services, or reasonable modifications to attend Domestic Violence Council meetings and access to policies and/or procedures (i.e. to assist members of the disability community who would like to request a disability-related accommodation), will be made available if the request is made at least five (5) business days before the meeting. Late requests will be accommodated based on feasibility. Please direct all requests to: dvc@ph.lacounty.gov or call **213-974-2799** (Monday thru Friday; 9am-5pm.)

