



Registration Materials

Domestic Violence 101 Training in Bloomington

This training is tailored for new advocates and is designed to lay the philosophical framework and foundation of knowledge you will need to be an effective advocate.

Training components for this session include:

- The herstory of the battered women's movement
- Defining domestic violence, battering, and "child witnessing"
- Providing effective advocacy
- Orders for Protection and Harassment Restraining Orders
- Tips for working with the legal system
- Cultural competency and understanding white privilege
- Panel discussion "Coming out of the Violence"

November 19 - 20, 2009

Location:

Cornerstone
1000 E. 80th St.
Bloomington, MN

Training Fees and Deadline:

- \$50 per person for MCBW members and \$100 for non-members who register on or before **November 13, 2009**.
- \$80 per person for MCBW members and \$130 for non-members who register between **November 13 and November 17 2009**.
- The fee covers both days, including lunch.
- The final day to register is **November 17, 2009**.

Minnesota Coalition for Battered Women

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Registration Form

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Please complete one form per person registering from your organization.

Name: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

E-Mail: _____

My agency is an MCBW member: Yes No

Lunch will be provided at the training. Please check one of the following:

- Vegetarian Other dietary restriction (please indicate specifics):
 Non-vegetarian _____
- I would like to receive information about the hotel when it becomes available.

Registration fees per person:

	<u>MCBW Members</u>	<u>Non-Members</u>
Received on or before November 13	\$50	\$100
Received November 13-17	\$80	\$130

I have included the \$_____ per person registration fee. Make all checks payable to MCBW.

**Final registration date: November 17, 2009.
On-site registrations will not be accepted.**

Registration forms and checks can be mailed to:

Minnesota Coalition for Battered Women
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Please contact Jessica Owen, 651-646-6177, ext. 14 with questions.



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November 19: Fundamentals of Our Work

8:30 Check In

9:00 Welcome, Introductions, Ice Breaker

9:15 Herstory of the Battered Women's Movement

Hear about experiences and perspectives on the history of Minnesota's battered women's movement and how it has defined advocacy as we know it today.

10:45 Break

11:00 Defining Domestic Violence, Battering, and "Child Witnessing"

Learn the tools to critically define the terms used in our work. Advocates will also learn to use the Power and Control Wheel to understand the tactics batterers use to control their victims, and reframe how we think and talk about the children of battered women.

12:30 Lunch

1:15 Effective Advocacy

What does it mean to be an advocate? The presenter will help participants understand what an advocate does and how to effectively advocate for battered women with the many systems they face, such as law enforcement and child protection.

November 20 One Step Further

8:30 Check In

8:45 Welcome Back

9:00 Cultural Competency and Understanding White Privilege, Part I

The presenter will guide participants in a better understanding of how racism and white privilege affects battered women and those working in the field. Participants will learn strategies for becoming better allies to each other and handling the impact of racism and white privilege on our lives and communities.

10:30 Break

10:45 Cultural Competency and Understanding White Privilege, Part II

12:00 Lunch

12:45 OFPs, HROs, and Tips for Working with the Legal System

The presenter will untangle the complexities of Minnesota's Domestic Abuse Act and Order for Protection and Harassment Restraining Order laws and assist advocates in developing the skills to provide legal advocacy for battered women.

2:30 Break

2:45 Coming Out of Violence: Two Families Working Toward Social Justice

Advocates will have an opportunity to listen to the panel share their stories of living with domestic violence, their journey from this violence, their commitment to children, and their approaches to social justice advocacy. This will be your opportunity to dialog with families that have survived and have become national trainers in the movement.

4:15 Evaluation & Wrap Up