



2008 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROGRAM MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Program Name: _____

Contact Person: _____ Title: _____

Admin Phone: _____ Crisis Phone: _____

Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Counties Served: _____

Outreach Office Location(s) and telephone: _____

Focus of organization: _____

Executive Director/Authorized Signature _____
Date

The following materials must be submitted to apply:

- ___ Completed and signed Domestic Violence Program Member application form
- ___ Cover letter summarizing organizations reasons for seeking membership
- ___ Three letters of support
- ___ Signed CCADV Vision, Mission, and Philosophy Statement
- ___ Completed Program Profile
- ___ Program's Mission and history statement
- ___ List of Board of Directors and/or Advisory Committee members
- ___ Copy of by-laws
- ___ Information specifying corporate status: ie, private for-profit, private non-profit, etc.
- ___ If perpetrator treatment services are provided, proof of provider approval
- ___ Supplemental program brochures, newsletters, etc

**Membership dues are payable upon acceptance by full CCADV membership
PLEASE DO NOT SEND DUES AT THIS TIME**

2008 DVP dues are .003% of annual budget (\$250 minimum, \$1200 maximum)

Mail/fax application and all materials to:

Jessica Khan, Membership Services Director • CCADV • 1120 Lincoln St, Suite 900 • Denver, CO 80203
Phone: 303-962-0937 • Fax: 303-832-7067 • jkhan@ccadv.org

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Date Received: _____ Region: _____ Date sent to region: _____

Membership Accepted: _____ Dues Received: _____



VISION, MISSION AND PHILOSOPHY STATEMENT

We affirm the following:

VISION STATEMENT

The Colorado Coalition Against Domestic Violence (CCADV) is dedicated to the elimination of domestic violence in all of its forms. We recognize that this requires a fundamental change in society's views of gender and gender roles.

MISSION STATEMENT

Through community education, networking and the empowerment of battered women and children, CCADV serves as a forum for social action and the development of services for battered women and their families by bringing its membership and the community together. CCADV is a diverse network of rural and urban advocates who work together through the coalition to coordinate services, exchange information and work on issues of common concern, thereby providing a unified, statewide environment that will nurture members' local, community-based efforts to stop domestic violence.

CCADV PHILOSOPHY

- Our programs support, involve and include domestic violence victims and survivors of all racial, social, ethnic, religious, and economic groups, ages, sexual orientations and gender identities, and women with disabilities.
- We oppose the use of violence as a means of control.
- We support equality in relationships and the concept of helping women assume power over their own lives.
- We strive toward becoming independent, community based groups in which women are major policy and program decision-makers.
- We must work toward ending racism, homophobia, anti-Semitism, classism, and oppression of all traditionally silenced groups within the domestic violence movement. These oppressions are perpetuated by the same systems that profit by violence against women and children and cannot be separated from the overall mission of the Coalition, for the oppression of one woman is the oppression of all women.
- We recognize and support efforts of other agencies and individuals in addressing all issues that help to eliminate oppression and societal support of violence.

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COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT

We affirm our acceptance of the following agreement:

The membership of the Colorado Coalition Against Domestic Violence believes in cooperation in all areas including fundraising and publicity. The following principles are essentially guidelines. These guidelines are intended to clarify member program interactions and interactions between member programs and CCADV so that due consideration is given to all programs that may benefit from certain funders or media events. "Cooperation" regarding fundraising and publicity is defined as adherence to the following guidelines:

- A. The geographical catchment area(s) for which we consider ourselves to be primary providers of is _____ . This shall be defined in terms of cities, counties or state.
- B. Efforts shall be made to limit fundraising, solicitation, and publicity to this declared catchment area and to past donors.
- C. As a courtesy, effort shall be made to give CCADV Domestic Violence Program members in your designated region prior notice of fundraising and publicity activities, including copies of press releases and direct mail letters, as well as announcements of planned fundraising events. CCADV will also give prior notice, insofar as possible, of their fundraising and publicity activities. CCADV will report proposed fundraising and/or publicity campaigns to the board of directors and in the monthly report to members.
- D. Publicity and solicitations materials will, in as much as possible, acknowledge CCADV membership. In cases of joint fundraising events, materials will clearly name other CCADV members who will benefit from the proceeds.
- E. Where other Domestic Violence Program members will not directly receive benefit from a fundraising event, but may be affected by publicity for the event e.g. use of media that reaches outside the catchment area, all efforts will be made to specifically identify the recipient program.
- F. As a courtesy, whenever a member conducts fundraising outside of their declared area, they should provide a written notice to all providers for the affected areas of the planning of the event at its inception, and be offered the opportunity to negotiate a share in the work efforts and proceeds of the event. Further, all programs are asked to share information on fundraising and/or publicity at regional meetings.
- G. Whenever possible, Domestic Violence Program members will inform outside groups of the above criteria when they are involved in fundraising activities. Domestic Violence Program members will not be held accountable for an outside group's lack of adherence to these criteria.
- H. Where a Domestic Violence Program member functions under the auspices of an umbrella agency, the umbrella agency shall be accountable for adherence to these criteria whenever battered/abused women and/or domestic violence issues or services are used in the agency promotion or solicitation of funds.
- I. Whenever a provider is in doubt as to whether their activities are in cooperation with these criteria, the individual programs whose catchment areas may be affected should be contacted directly to discuss the proposed activity.
- J. If concerns/conflict arises, the members may use the existing CCADV Grievance Procedure as outlined in the CCADV Membership Criteria to arbitrate conflicts.

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PROGRAM PROFILE

Populations Served

- Rural-Remote
- Urban
- Heterosexual women
- Lesbian/bisexual women
- Heterosexual men
- Transgender women
- Older adults
- Others: _____
- Rural-Resort
- Suburban
- Gay/bisexual men
- Transgender men
- Children/Youth

Shelter/Housing Programs

- Traditional shelter - Length of stay _____
 - 24-hour staff coverage
 - No overnight staff coverage
- Short-term shelter - Length of stay _____
- Safe home network
- Hotel/Motel vouchers
- Transitional housing- length of stay: _____
- Other: _____

Legal Programs

- Civil legal advocacy
- Criminal legal advocacy
- Lawyer referral
- Court watch program
- Legal clinic
 - Protection Order
 - Divorce
 - Other: _____
 - Immigration
 - Child custody

Advocacy/Counseling Programs

- Sexual assault program
- 24-hour crisis line
- Non-residential individual counseling
- Non-residential victim support groups
- Residential individual counseling
- Residential victim support groups
- Residential children/youth counseling
- Non-residential children/youth counseling
- Approved perpetrator treatment providers on staff
- Certified drug/alcohol treatment providers on staff
- Other: _____

Curriculum Development

Have you developed any manuals/curriculum for educational outreach to any particular audiences?

Program/Service Accessibility

- Bi/Multilingual services provided by staff
Language(s): _____
- Bi/Multilingual services provided by volunteers
Language(s): _____
- Sign Language interpreters available
Language(s): _____
- TTY machine in operation
- Staff/volunteers regularly trained on using TTY
- Staff/volunteers have working knowledge of Colorado Relay 411
- Building(s) accessible by public transportation

Additional Programs/Services

- Jail-based services for survivors who are arrested
- Latina outreach
- Youth advocacy/organizing
- Faith-based counseling for victims
- School-based violence prevention
- Job search/placement
- Financial literacy/empowerment
- Food pantry/food coupons available
- Literacy/GED
- Basic life skills
- In-house medical clinic
- Parenting classes

Community Collaboration Projects

List formal collaborative projects with other individuals or groups (ie community groups, human services, law enforcement, schools, faith-based groups, etc)

Number full-time staff _____

Number part-time staff _____

Number active volunteers you rely on _____

Please use reverse side to describe programs or services you offer which are not listed above