

# **Fundamentals of Advocacy Spring 2016**

Training Location: Callen Center (lower level of Smith Curtis Building),  
Nebraska Wesleyan University, 50<sup>th</sup> & St. Paul Streets, Lincoln, NE

<http://www.nebrwesleyan.edu/undergraduate-admissions/visit/maps-and-directions>

## **Part I: February 2-4**

February 2 – 9:00am-5:00pm (8:30am registration)  
February 3 – 8:30am-5:00pm  
February 4 – 8:30am-3:00pm

### **Topics in Part I**

February 2:

- ⌘ History and Philosophy
- ⌘ Role of an Advocate
- ⌘ Overview of Crisis Intervention
- ⌘ Domestic Violence Overview

February 3:

- ⌘ Domestic Violence and Children
- ⌘ Systems Advocacy & Confidentiality
- ⌘ Stalking and Technology

February 4:

- ⌘ Sexual Violence Overview
- ⌘ Intimate Partner Sexual Violence

## **Part II: March 1-3**

March 1 – 9:00am-5:00pm  
March 2 – 8:30am-5:00pm  
March 3 – 8:30am-5:00pm

### **Topics in Part II**

March 1:

- ⌘ Safety Planning
- ⌘ Overview of Protection Orders
- ⌘ Overview of Trauma and Trauma Informed Care

March 2:

- ⌘ Vicarious Trauma and Self Care
- ⌘ Human Rights
- ⌘ Working with Survivors from Diverse Backgrounds

March 3:

- ⌘ Teen Dating Violence
- ⌘ Prevention of Domestic and Sexual Violence
- ⌘ Resources

### **Registration Information**

To register, please use this link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/FundOfAdvSpring2016>. If you are unable to register online, please contact Michelle Zinke, Training and Resource Coordinator, at 402-476-6256 or [michellez@nebraskacoalition.org](mailto:michellez@nebraskacoalition.org). Participants can attend just Part I or Part II of the training. However, people are strongly encouraged to attend both sections. **Registration deadline is Thursday, January 28, 2016.**

### **Logistical Information**

**There is no registration fee for staff from local domestic violence/sexual assault programs and tribal domestic violence/sexual assault programs. There is a \$30 registration fee for organizations who are not members of the Coalition in order to cover the costs of materials.** Payment must be made prior to the training (by January 28) and can be mailed to the Coalition. Please call if you need to make other arrangements.

Participants are responsible for all other costs associated with the training (i.e., mileage, hotel accommodations, meal costs). Due to Department of Justice grant guidelines, the Coalition is not able to provide beverages or snacks of any kind. There are vending machines available and several restaurants nearby.

A total of 36 training hours are provided, most of which qualify for CEUs. The training content meets the continuing education requirements for mental health, marriage/family therapists, and social work as defined by the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services, Regulation and Licensure.

Please note that the primary audience of this training is staff and volunteers of local domestic violence and sexual assault programs. However, the training is open to other organizations wishing to enhance their response to victims and survivors of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault and stalking.