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**Training Dates and Location**

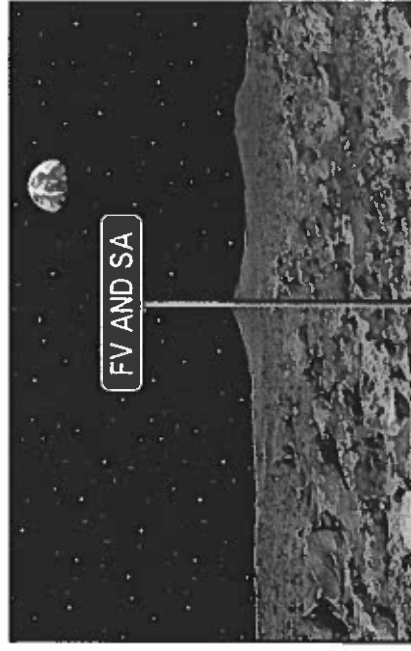
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**Understanding the Intersection of Family Violence and Substance Abuse**

*Various Dates and Locations*



**Training Provided By:**  
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## About the Conference

While substance abuse does not cause family violence, there is a statistical correlation between the two issues. Studies of family violence frequently indicate high rates of alcohol and other drug use by perpetrators during abuse. The association between alcohol use and domestic violence has been well established by past research, and there is growing evidence that drug use is associated with domestic violence. The clearest evidence is that alcohol is a risk factor for family violence offending. Although the etiology is complex, males who assault their intimate partners have frequently been drinking prior to the violence, and these men often have alcohol problems. There is also some evidence that alcohol and drug use are implicated in family violence victimization, although the nature of this relationship is multidimensional and may be more complex than the substance use-domestic violence offending relationship.

This workshop will provide information on understanding and addressing both of these modalities into a family violence intervention program. Also, it will provide information to those who work with addictive disorders clients who are perpetrators on how to increase safety for victims.

## Learning Objectives

1. Review the theoretical models of addiction and domestic violence
2. Define substance abuse and addiction.
3. Describe the relationship between addiction and family violence
4. Describe best practices in addressing substance abuse in FVIPs
5. Examine the pitfalls of using 12-step language in family violence programs
6. Discuss safety and sobriety issues as it relates to substance use and family violence
7. Review the strong, overwhelming evidence between alcohol abuse and family violence.
8. Integrating substance abuse awareness into family violence intervention programs

**Tuition: \$85.00**

Pre-registration is required. Tuition fee covers the cost of instruction, handout materials, refreshments breaks, and continuing education credits.

### **Who Should Attend:**

Family Violence Facilitators, Addiction Professionals, LPCs, LCSW, and FV Shelter Personnel

**Continuing Education Credits of 6 hours have been applied for through GCFV, GACA, & ICRC.**

## **Agenda Day 9:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.**

- 9:00 Review the theoretical models of addiction and domestic violence
- 10:00 BREAK
- 10:15 Define substance abuse and addiction.
- 10:45 Describe the relationship between addiction and family violence
- 12:00 Lunch
- 1:00 Describe best practices in addressing substance abuse in FVIPs.
- 2:00 Break
- 2:15 Examine the pitfalls of using 12-step language in family violence programs
- 2:45 Discuss safety and sobriety issues as it relates to substance use and family violence
- 3:15 Review the strong, overwhelming evidence between alcohol abuse and family violence.
- 3:45 Integrating substance abuse awareness into family violence intervention program.
- 4:30 Adjourn

### **Your Presenter:**

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