

**Attorney General
Catherine Cortez Masto
is the Chair of the Nevada
Council for the Prevention
of Domestic Violence.**

Council membership includes
representatives from the
following:

-  Law Enforcement
-  System-based Advocates
-  Judicial Representatives
-  Health Care Providers
-  Educators
-  Domestic Violence Survivors
-  Community Advocates
-  Prosecuting Attorneys

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The Nevada Council for the Prevention of Domestic Violence



The purpose of the Council is to prevent
and eliminate domestic violence by:

-  Increasing awareness of the existence
and unacceptability of domestic
violence.
-  Making recommendations for any
necessary legislation relating to
domestic violence to the Office of the
Attorney General.
-  Providing support to programs for the
prevention of domestic violence in the
State.

The Nevada Council for the Prevention of Domestic Violence

The Nevada Council for the Prevention of Domestic Violence was established in 1995 by Former Attorney General Frankie Sue Del Papa as an advisory committee on domestic violence issues. In 2005, the 73rd Session of Nevada Legislature officially established the Council with the passage of Assembly Bill 219, (see NRS 228.480). Assembly Bill 219 placed the Council within the Office of the Attorney General and set forth the duties of the Council and composition of its members.

The Council is chaired by the Attorney General and is housed within the Attorney General's Office. Its membership and duties are mandated by state law.

Membership is limited to no more than 30 people from various geographic regions of the state. Currently the Council has members representing law enforcement, the judiciary, prosecution, victim services, health care, education, and domestic violence survivors.

The Council is required to meet at least three times a year. One rural meeting per year must be held in the Fourth, Fifth, Sixth or Seventh Judicial Districts.

The Council is a State-supported body and maintains an open meeting policy. Public participation at the Council's meetings and committees is welcome and appreciated. Council members hold three year terms. Applications for new members are available online at:

<http://ag.nv.gov/NCPDV>

The Council's priorities include:

- ✂ Creating training plans in partnership with statewide professional associations or licensing boards.
- ✂ Developing best practice procedures for professionals working with victims of domestic violence.
- ✂ Exploring innovative approaches to Council membership to encourage diversification from underserved communities.
- ✂ Working to enhance education of children on issues relating to domestic violence, teen dating violence, healthy relationships, and conflict resolution.

The Council consists of eight smaller committees designed to address specific focus areas which are important to the Council. These committees are:

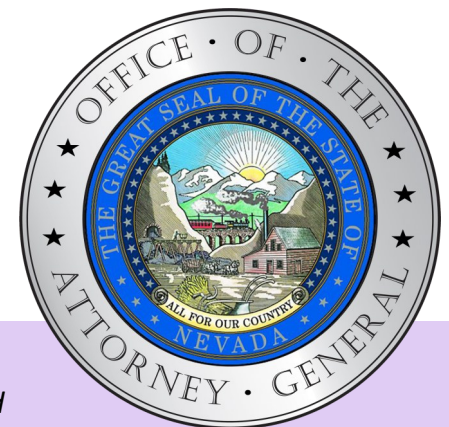
- ✂ Bylaws and Structure
- ✂ Criminal Justice
- ✂ Education
- ✂ Judicial Training
- ✂ Legislative
- ✂ Nominating
- ✂ Public Information
- ✂ Underserved Populations

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By wearing a purple ribbon, you show your awareness of the problem of domestic violence, your support of the victims who are still in abusive relationships, remembrance of the victims lost, and your support for changes in laws to end domestic violence.