

**NEVADA OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL  
COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE (CDV)  
SERVICES AND TRAINING SUBCOMMITTEE**

***Meeting Minutes***

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*Thursday, February 3, 2022 at 10:00 a.m.*

**Meeting Location:**

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1. Call to order and roll call of members.
  - a. The Committee on Domestic Violence (CDV) Services and Training Subcommittee (STS) meeting was called to order at 10:00 am.
  - b. Present
    - Greene, Elynne (Greene)
    - Morris, Marla (Morris)
    - Ortenburger, Liz (Ortenburger)
    - Ramos, Suzanne (Ramos)
  - c. Absent
    - Harig, Tracy (Harig)
    - Scott, Annette (Scott)
  - a. Staff
    - Reilly, Nicole (Reilly)
    - Mouannes, Jason (Mouannes)
    - Rasul, Henna (Rasul)
  - b. Public
    - None

d. **Quorum established**

2. Public Comment.

- None

3. **For Discussion and Possible Action:** Nicole Reilly, Nevada Office of the Attorney General, will present the *Services and Training Subcommittee Action Plan* template. The Subcommittee members will discuss projects and add them to the *Action Plan*.

**Attachment 1**

- Ortenburger expressed her interest in discussing more about a possible statewide hotline and a standard for advocacy training within Nevada. Greene supported the idea of a standardized training on privilege and advocacy. The consensus is a state accreditation for advocacy that then grants privilege.
  - Greene suggested that the group consider standards of an advocate who should have privilege and what additional expectations should be considered for the State of Nevada. This will allow the possibility of developing an impactful curriculum. The training would need to be overseen by an entity that can continuously update the training and screen all trainees who qualify for training. Once standardized, we can have additional training modules to introduce new topics.
  - Ortenburger emphasized the need for service providers to collaborate with law enforcement and the justice system to help out victims and survivors without using confidentiality as an excuse to withhold critical information.
  - Greene encouraged a conversation related to grant funding and requirements to receive funding that would support credible agencies with privilege.
  - Members mentioned the possibility of a statewide hotline and education for school children about protecting oneself from abuse or what is appropriate physical touch.
    - Reilly mentioned that there is some guidance around this topic through the Nevada State Department of Education (DOE). Some schools allow parents to opt out of the education while others require permission of the parents before the curriculum is shared. This can be problematic if the parent is the abuser.
  - Harig suggested training for healthcare providers. Ortenburger suggested adding a healthcare module to the standardized advocate training along with others for any specific industry
  - Motion to approve the action plan by Reilly. Motion approved.
4. **For Information Only:** the CDV and Subcommittees' tentative future meeting date(s):

- Services and Training Subcommittee: Thursday, March 3, 2022 | Location: Virtual
  - Justice Partners Subcommittee: Friday, March 11, 2022 @ 10:00 a.m. | Location: Virtual
  - Committee on Domestic Violence: TBD | Location: Virtual
  - Fatality Review Team: TBD
5. Public Comment.
    - a. None
  6. **For Possible Action:** Adjournment.
    - a. Meeting adjourned.

Minutes respectfully submitted by **Jason Mouannes**  
Edited by **Nicole Reilly**  
Office of the Attorney General

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