



**PREVENTION
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THE VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN
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Dear Colleagues:

We are writing to announce our three-year continuation funding from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention as national resource centers providing comprehensive technical support on the prevention of domestic and sexual violence. Our collaborative approach reflects a commitment to maximize the impact of our individual and collective work, more effectively serve the needs of our shared constituents, and avoid duplication of effort.

We are deeply appreciative of the endorsement our continuation proposals received from advocacy organizations across the country and thank you for your letters of support.

Together, NSVRC, VAWnet, and Prevention Connection will continue to promote the adoption of comprehensive, evidence-based, and culturally-appropriate approaches to preventing domestic and sexual violence and offer leadership, vision, and shared learning to end violence in relationships, families, communities, and society. Like you, we recognize that violence is preventable through social change and are committed to working together to advance this principle.

- The [National Sexual Violence Resource Center](#) (NSVRC), founded by the Pennsylvania Coalition Against Rape (Enola, PA), will continue to organize, create and share information and resources on all forms of sexual violence. The NSVRC will expand efforts to strengthen the capacity of individuals, organizations, and systems including the RPE grant program to deliver SV primary prevention programs through enhanced use of technology for information sharing and customized training and technical assistance.
- [VAWnet, National Online Resource Center on Violence Against Women](#), a project of the National Resource Center on Domestic Violence/Pennsylvania Coalition Against Domestic Violence (Harrisburg, PA), will enhance the accessibility of its extensive collection of online resources and continue to develop applied research papers, special collections, and other materials to support effective intervention and prevention efforts, including those of DELTA and DELTA PREP grantees.
- [Prevention Connection](#), a project of the California Coalition Against Sexual Assault (Sacramento, CA), will continue its use of innovative e-learning technologies to conduct interactive trainings and discussion forums on domestic and sexual violence, and will strengthen the technical skills of participants using an online community of practice model (COP) including RPE, DELTA, and DELTA PREP grantees.

As we provide new ways to connect, discuss, explore, and share emerging knowledge and approaches to preventing domestic and sexual violence, we will continue to draw fully on your experience and expertise. Again, thank you for your support.