



**U.S. Department of Justice,
Office on Violence Against Women
in Partnership with the ABA Commission on Domestic Violence the
National Center for the Prosecution of Violence Against Women at the
National District Attorneys Association,
Texas RioGrande Legal Aid, and the
Washington Coalition of Sexual Assault Programs**

present a

**National Training Institute on the Use and Integration of Interpreters in
Civil Representation of
Victims of Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault and Stalking**

**May 14-15, 2007
Crowne Plaza Hotel
Seattle, Washington**

PARTICIPANT REGISTRATION FORM

Thank you for your interest in registering for the National Training Institute on the Use and Integration of Interpreters in Civil Representation of Victims of Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking (“the Institute”). Registration is limited to current Legal Assistance for Victim (LAV) grantee attorneys of the Office on Violence Against Women, U.S. Department of Justice, former LAV grantees and current legal aid and legal services attorneys who are representing victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking who are Limited English Proficient (LEP) and/or who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing. Registration will be closed at 50 and is on a first come, first served basis. **REGISTRATION WILL CLOSE ON April 18, 2007.** You will receive an e-mail to confirm your registration. If registration is full, you will be notified that you have been placed on a waitlist. There is no registration fee for the Institute for OVW-funded grantees; however, **you must make and pay for your travel and hotel arrangements once your registration is confirmed.** More detailed travel and hotel block information will be provided once your registration has been processed. You may use your OVW training funds to cover all allowable travel expenses.

To register, please print out this form, and fax the completed form to (202) 662-1594. If you have any difficulties submitting this form in the described manner, or have any questions, please contact Amanda Farnham at (202) 662-1748 or farnhama@staff.abanet.org.

Name and Title: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Fax Number: _____

Email Address: _____

1. Is your organization a current or former Legal Assistance for Victims (LAV) grantee of the Office on Violence Against Women, U.S. Department of Justice?

- Yes Which fiscal year(s)? _____
- No

2. Are you a legal aid or legal services attorney currently representing victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking who are Limited English Proficient (LEP) and/or who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing?

- Yes
- No

3. Does your organization receive a grant other than the Legal Assistance for Victims (LAV) grant of the Office on Violence Against Women, U.S. Department of Justice?

- Yes Since when? _____
- No

4. If you answered “yes” to Question 3, please check the box next to the type of grant that you or your organization currently receive(s):

- Education and Technical Assistance Grants to End Violence Against Women with Disabilities
- Training Grants to Stop Abuse and Sexual Assault Against Older Individuals or Individuals with Disabilities Program
- Tribal Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Coalitions Program
- Grants to State Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence Coalitions Program
- Grants to Reduce Violent Crimes Against Women on Campus
- Rural Domestic Violence and Child Victimization Enforcement Grants
- Grants to Encourage Arrest Policies and Enforcement of Protections Orders
- S•T•O•P Violence Against Indian Women Discretionary Grants Program
- S•T•O•P Violence Against Women Formula Grants Program

- Safe Havens: Supervised Visitation and Safe Exchange Grant Program
- Transitional Housing Assistance Grants Program
- Other (please specify): _____

5. How many years have you been practicing law? _____

6. How long have you been representing victims of domestic violence in contested CPO cases? _____

7. How long have you been representing victims of sexual assault in contested CPO cases? _____

8. How long have you been representing victims of stalking in contested CPO cases? _____

9. Have you provided legal representation to victims who are Limited English Proficient (LEP) using an interpreter?

- Yes If yes: How long? _____
- No What language(s)? _____

10. Have you provided legal representation to victims who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing using an Interpreter?

- Yes If yes: How long? _____
- No

11. When was the last time you attended training on domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking?

- 0-1 years ago
- 1-3 years ago
- 3-6 years ago
- Other: _____

What organization hosted the training?

How long was the training?

12. When was the last time you attended training on serving victims who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing?

- 0-1 years ago
- 1-3 years ago
- 3-6 years ago
- Other: _____

What organization hosted the training?

How long was the training?

13. How familiar are you with the following:

a. Title VI of the Civil Rights Act (1964)

- Very
- Moderately
- Not at all

b. Executive Order 13166 (2000)

- Very
- Moderately
- Not at all

14. How familiar are you with the following:

a. American with Disabilities Act of 1990, and its application to provision of meaningful legal services to victims who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing.

- Very
- Moderately
- Not at all

15. Will you need Continuing Legal Education Credit for participation in this Institute?

- Yes If yes, in which state(s): _____, _____, _____, _____, _____
- No

16. Have you participated in ABA Commission on Domestic Violence conferences or trainings in the past?

- Yes
- No

17. If you answered “yes” to Question 16, please list the trainings or conferences you have attended in the past.

18. Have you participated in other OVW-funded Technical Assistance trainings?

- Yes
- No

19. If you answered “yes” to Question 18, please list the trainings or conferences that you have attended in the past and what issues/topics.

20. Special Accommodations Needed:

21. Hotel Accommodations:

The ABA Commission on Domestic Violence has arranged for a block of rooms for the May 14-15, 2007 Institute to be held at the Crown Plaza Hotel Seattle in Seattle, Washington. To ensure that the blocked number of rooms is sufficient for the number of participants needing rooms, please complete the following:

Will you need hotel room accommodations while attending the Institute?

- Yes Check-In Date: _____ Check-Out Date: _____
 No Lodging Needed

PLEASE NOTE THAT BY COMPLETING THIS FORM, YOU HAVE NOT MADE A RESERVATION WITH THE HOTEL, AND PARTICIPANTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE COSTS OF THEIR LODGING AND OTHER TRAVEL RELATED EXPENSES. ONCE YOUR REGISTRATION HAS BEEN PROCESSED, YOU WILL RECEIVE A CONFIRMATION FROM AMANDA FARNHAM (farnhama@staff.abanet.org) WHICH WILL CONFIRM YOU ARE REGISTERED FOR THE INSTITUTE AND WILL INCLUDE DETAILED HOTEL LOCATION AND RESERVATION INFORMATION. UPON RECEIPT OF THE CONFIRMATION, PLEASE MAKE YOUR LODGING AND TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS.

22. Food Restrictions:

- None
 Kosher
 Vegetarian
 Vegan
 Other