

# Volunteer Training

April 18th - 28th, 2012

Domestic Violence Services of Benton & Franklin Counties (DVS) is offering its next annual volunteer training. If you are interested in taking an active role against domestic violence in our community and would like the opportunity to advocate for victims of domestic violence, this training is for you! Volunteer opportunities include:

- Answering calls to our 24-Hour Crisis Line
- Legal advocacy
- Working with children
- Administrative work

## Classes will be held at the DVS office

3311 W. Clearwater Ave, Suite C140  
Kennewick, WA 99336

Speaker/Class	Date/Time
<b>Kelly Abken, DVS Staff</b> Introduction, understanding of domestic violence, history, types and dynamics of domestic violence	<b>Wed, April 18</b> 6pm – 9pm
<b>Erinn Gailey, DVS Program Director</b> ABC, active listening, empowerment model, domestic violence in the home, effects and resiliency of children, characteristics of battering behavior, boundaries, ethics, confidentiality	<b>Sat, April 21</b> 8:30am – 4:30pm
<b>Kate Carter DVS Legal Advocates Prosecutors &amp; Law Enforcement</b> Protection orders, understanding the legal system, officer response	<b>Tues, April 24</b> 6pm – 9pm
<b>Sami Sharer, DVS Shelter Manager</b> Shelter procedures, screening, crisis calls <b>Maria</b>	<b>Thurs, April 26</b> 6pm – 9pm
<b>Martinez, DVS Legal Advocate Julie Burbach, DVS DSHS Advocate</b> <b>Partner agencies: SARC, DSHS, CPS</b> Working with marginalized populations, understanding impact of battering behavior, systems advocacy, resources and referrals	<b>Sat, April 28</b> 8:30am – 4:30pm

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To reserve your spot or get more information

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