

DOMESTIC AND INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE “101”



PRESENTATION DESCRIPTION:

1 in 4 women and 1 in 10 men in the United States have been victims of severe physical violence by an intimate partner in their lifetime. Domestic Violence (DV) and Intimate Partner Violence (IPV) are incredibly prevalent in our society, and in our communities. This presentation will explore the foundational aspects of DV and IPV 101- definitions, statistics, Power and Control wheel, barriers victims and survivors face, how to support those in our community experiencing this type of violence, how to refer and connect with DAIS, and the services DAIS offers in our community.



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Zoë Heitzinger (she/her) is the Prevention Outreach Coordinator at Domestic Abuse Intervention Services-DAIS, in Madison WI. Zoë received her master's in Social Work in 2019 and found a passion for Domestic and Intimate Partner Violence prevention. Her job at DAIS entails two parts of primary prevention advocacy and outreach and education. She runs Men Encouraging Non-violent Strength (MENS) Club with middle and high school male-identified youth to support this population ending gender-based violence while also having a safe place to talk about growing up male and forming a healthy male identity. Zoë also gives presentations to any group including but not limited to organizations, work sites, faith-based organizations, and schools on any topic related to Domestic and Intimate Partner Violence.

Organization Information:

Since 1977, Domestic Abuse Intervention Services (DAIS) has worked passionately and effectively to ensure the safety and well-being of domestic violence survivors and their families, and to change societal attitudes that perpetuate violence and the abuse of power. Our mission is to empower those affected by domestic violence and advocate for social change through support, education and outreach. Our vision is a nonviolent community that actively promotes safety, peace, justice and hope.

Learning Objectives:

This session will teach participants at all levels the prevalence of Domestic and Intimate Partner Violence, how to recognize signs of Intimate Partner Violence, how to support friends and loved ones experiencing this type of violence, how to refer to DAIS, and the variety of services DAIS has to offer in the community.

Date : Thursday, December 15th
Time: 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm
Presenter(s): Zoë Heitzinger, MSW (she/her)
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Where: Virtual through Zoom
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