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Anne Menard -An activist who has worked on policy, practice and research issues affecting domestic violence and sexual assault survivors since the mid-70s. My particular focus has been on survivor-defined advocacy and public policy and research affecting women and their families, especially those living in poverty. After serving as a senior consultant to the Family Violence Prevention and Services Program of the US Department of Health and Human Services during 2005, I returned as Director of the National Resource Center on Domestic Violence (NRCDV), a position I previously held from 1994-99. Prior to this national level work, I was the ED of the Connecticut Coalition Against Domestic Violence for over six years, and, in the early 1980s, co-directed Connecticut's largest domestic violence shelter and was actively involved in grassroots sexual assault advocacy.

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Bea Cote,

I'm a social worker and family therapist with a long history of home-and-community based work with families including as a Child Protective Services social worker in both rural and urban communities, and as an in-home therapist with military families. After running a large, county-funded BIP for 7 years I started my own practice and BIP in 2007. My program is small; I run 8 groups in 5 counties and facilitate 2-3 of the groups myself. I have one PT staff person and 4 facilitators and I LOVE my work.

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Currently Project Director, Michigan Domestic & Sexual Violence Prevention & Treatment Board (MDSVPTB), providing consultation, program & policy development, and training on systems responses to domestic & sexual violence in the context of child welfare, juvenile justice, criminal justice, child custody, and other court and community systems. Currently chairing state Task Force on the Prevention of Sexual Abuse of Children, and serving as designee of state DHS Director on Governor's Task Force on Child Abuse & Neglect. Previous work includes: family court judge and probate court chief judge, and lead judge for 2 National Council of Juvenile & Family Court Judges' Model Court programs for child welfare and juvenile justice, Livingston County, MI; assistant prosecutor/founding member & Chief of Domestic Violence Section, Oakland County, MI; Legal & Policy Director, MDSVPTB; adjunct law professor, Michigan State University College of Law.

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Chris Huffine, Psy.D. is the executive director of Allies in Change, a non-profit organization in Portland, Oregon that offers approximately two dozen groups a week for abusive men as well as two groups for women who have been abusive. He is a member of the Oregon statewide batterer intervention standards advisory board and of the statewide DV fatality review team.

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David Adams,

David Adams, Ed.D., is co-founder as well as Co-Director of [Emerge](#), in Cambridge, Massachusetts, the first counseling program in the nation for men who abuse women, established in 1977. Dr. Adams has led groups for men who batter for 30 years and has led parenting education classes for fathers for 6 years. He is one of the nation's leading experts on men who batter and has conducted trainings of social service and criminal justice professionals in 41 states and 11 nations. He has published numerous articles and book chapters, including "Identifying the Assaultive Husband in Court: You Be the Judge", published in the Boston Bar Journal. Dr. Adams is past Co-Chair of the Justice and Accountability Committee (the criminal justice committee) of the Governor's Commission on Sexual and Domestic Violence, and is Coordinator of the National Danger Assessment Training Project. His book, "Why Do They Kill? Men Who Murder Their Intimate Partners" was published by Vanderbilt University Press in September 2007.

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David J. H. Garvin, MSW, LMSW

Chief Operating Officer, Catholic Social Services of Washtenaw County in Ann Arbor, Michigan where he founded, supervised and directed the Alternatives to Domestic Aggression Program (ADA). Mr. Garvin has been directly involved in the anti-domestic violence movement since 1986 when he founded the ADA Program.

Mr. Garvin is a co-founder and current Chair of the Batterer Intervention Services Coalition of Michigan (BISC-MI). Mr. Garvin was selected to serve as the co-chair of the Michigan Governor's Taskforce on creating standards for batterer intervention programs. Mr. Garvin has conducted trainings, consultations, conferences, workshops, in-services around the country and has been featured on local, state and national television, in magazines, professional journals and newspapers.

Mr. Garvin has been a member of the Ann Arbor Domestic Violence Coordinating Board and the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Domestic Violence Advisory Council. Mr. Garvin served on the Michigan Judicial Institute PPO CD-I Advisory Council and was the Chair of the Ypsilanti Domestic Violence Coordinating Board. Mr. Garvin is a frequently requested speaker throughout the state of Michigan and around the

country. Mr. Garvin has been an administrative/clinical supervisor and consultant to individuals and programs who have chosen to begin working in the field of batterer intervention.

In May 1997 Mr. Garvin was appointed by Governor John Engler (Michigan) to Co-Chair the Governor's Task Force on Batterer Intervention Standards. This project was completed in June 1998. Mr. Garvin was named the 2009 National Association of Social Workers-Michigan (NASW-MI) Social Worker of the Year. He earned the prestigious honor for his work in the areas of domestic violence, mental health and adoption.

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Jacquelyn Boggess,

Jacquelyn L. Boggess is the Co-Director of the Center for Family Policy and Practice (formerly The Center on Fathers, Families, and Public Policy). Ms. Boggess has worked with the Center since its inception in 1995 wherein she has concentrated on fatherhood programs and services for low-income men and non-custodial parents. From this perspective she has contributed her analysis to the national conversation on the impact of government initiated marriage/healthy relationship programs, and father involvement policy on men, women and children. Her work as a policy analyst also involves the investigation of the welfare system, the family law courts, and the child support system. Her particular interest is the interrelations among these systems, and how the social welfare policy and practice that result from this relationship effect low-income fathers, mothers and children. Her work in this regard has resulted in connections and collaborations with battered women's advocates, anti-violence organizations and progressive advocacy groups working on social welfare policy, poverty reduction, violence prevention, and economic justice for parents and children.

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Jeffrie K. Cape LMSW ACSW CAADC,

Jeffrie has been the director of Charron Services LLC since 2000. She started HEAL (Helping Explore Accountable Lifestyles) a 52 session Batterer intervention program and WEAVE (Women Exploring Accountably Violent Encounters) in Oakland County, Michigan. She provides training and curriculum development on HEAL on a national level.

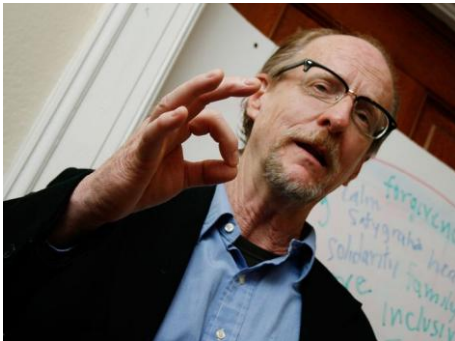
Jeffrie also is employed part time at ADA (Alternatives to Domestic Aggression) in Washtenaw County, where she facilitates groups, trains, supervises staff, develops and refines curriculum for community and prison based programs.

Jeffrie has over 25 years of clinical experience and has a private practice with varied clientele, including substance use, mental health, trauma etc.. She was appointed to the Michigan Domestic and Sexual Violence and Prevention and Treatment Board by Governor Snyder in 2011.

She helped develop local standards for batterer intervention programs and was a member of the governor's task force to develop state standards in 1998. She was active in the development and formation of BISCMI in 1995. She served on that board until April 2011 and was chair in 2001-2002. She also was instrumental in creating the Batterer Intervention Provider Standards Compliance Council (BIPSCC) and was the initial chair.

She participates in a variety of state and local task forces and collaborations (sobriety and veteran courts) as well as providing training and supervision for agencies and individuals who work with individuals involved in domestic violence.

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John Beams,

John Beams, Co-founder, Center for Nonviolence, Fort Wayne, Indiana. Have facilitated BIP groups continuously since 1981; provided Duluth trainings since 1996. In the past I served as a civil rights lawyer.

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Katya Fels Smyth,

Katya Fels Smyth brings nearly two decades of experience in program development and services, community networking, and creating social will to address seemingly intractable social problems to the Full Frame Initiative (FFI). Katya is advancing the Initiative's priorities as its principal and as a Research Fellow at the Malcolm Wiener Center for Social Policy at Harvard's Kennedy School of Government. She is a fellow with the Eos Foundation and a Social Entrepreneur in Residence at Clark University.

Prior to launching FFI in 2007, Katya was an Echoing Green fellow, founding and leading On The Rise, Inc., a Cambridge, Massachusetts based organization that has drawn national attention for providing innovative and effective support and community to profoundly disenfranchised women.

Katya speaks, publishes and provides consultation on the design, implementation and evaluation of interventions that work for highly marginalized communities. She has also participated in international training efforts for domestic violence advocates. Her writing and publications are used by scholars, policy makers and community practitioners. Katya co-chairs the Massachusetts Governor's Council to Address Sexual and Domestic Violence Systems Change and Integration Committee. She has been recognized locally and nationally by government, philanthropic, community and business entities for her thought leadership and in-the-trenches contributions to addressing community poverty and violence.

Katya holds an AB with honors in Biology from Harvard, and an honorary doctorate of divinity from the Episcopal Divinity School.

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Lee Giordano, Director of Training of Men Stopping Violence. I began teaching intervention classes with men who batter 12 years ago as part of an internship at Men Stopping Violence and then as a consultant and member of staff.

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Lisa Young Larance, BA, MSW, LCSW, LMSW, holds a bachelor of arts degree from Smith College and a master's of social work degree from Washington University's George Warren Brown School of Social Work. Her research, programmatic, and clinical expertise are grounded in an eclectic combination of international and domestic endeavors. Lisa's diverse professional experiences include teaching English in Japan, meeting the needs of low-literacy pregnant teenagers in Hawaii, and, as a Fulbright Scholar, investigating the social impact nongovernmental bank membership has on the lives of impoverished rural Bangladeshi women. Each experience has inspired - and continues to inform - Lisa's work with men who batter, female survivors of domestic violence, and women who have used force in their intimate relationships. Before joining to Catholic Social Services of Washtenaw County (CSS-W), Lisa co-facilitated support groups for female survivors of domestic violence, and men who batter, at the Jersey Battered Women's Services (JBWS), Inc. in Morris County, NJ. At JBWS, Lisa also co-created, implemented, and managed JBWS' Vista Program that provides an extended view of serving women who have used force. In addition, Lisa and JBWS colleagues wrote and published the Vista curriculum that addresses the diverse needs of this population (www.jbws.org).

Since joining to CSS-W in 2007, Lisa created, implemented and coordinates the Reflectively Embracing Nonviolence through Education for Women (RENEW) Program - both agency and jail based - that contextually addresses the advocacy, support, and intervention needs of women who have used force (www.csswashtenaw.org/renew).

In 2007, Lisa and David J.H. Garvin cofounded the international W-Catch22 list serve that provides resources and information sharing opportunities for professionals committed to thoughtfully addressing the complexities of serving women who have used force. Lisa is the chairperson for the November 4 & 5, 2010 national Batterer's Intervention Services Coalition of Michigan (BISC-MI) conference: When She Hits Him: Why Gender & Context Matter. She is also a published author, national presenter, and editorial review board member of the international, interdisciplinary journal Violence Against Women.

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Oliver J. Williams, Ph.D. is the Executive Director of the Institute on Domestic Violence in the African American Community, and a Professor in the School of Social Work, College of Education and Human Development, at the University of Minnesota, St. Paul, Minnesota. Dr. Williams is a practitioner as well as an academican. As a practitioner, he has worked in the field of domestic violence for more than twenty-five years and has provided individual, couples, and family counseling. He has been a child-welfare and delinquency worker, worked in battered women's shelters, developed curricula for batterer's intervention programs and facilitated counseling groups in these programs. He has provided training across the United States and abroad on research and service-delivery surrounding partner abuse.

Dr. Williams' extensive research and publications in scholarly journals and books have centered on creating effective service delivery strategies to reduce violent behavior, as well as ethnically sensitive practice. He serves on several national advisory boards and received numerous awards for his work addressing issues of domestic violence. Dr. Williams received a bachelor's degree in social work from Michigan State University; a Master of Social Work from Western Michigan

University; and Master of Public Health and a Ph.D. in Social Work both the University of Pittsburgh. Dr. Williams has received numerous honors and awards, including the Josie R. Johnson Human Rights and Social Justice Award from the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN (2004), an appointment to the National Advisory Committee on Violence Against Women by the US Attorney General Department of Justice and US Secretary of Health and Human Services, Washington, DC (2004), and the “Dare to Dream Award” by the sponsors of the International Conference on Children and Family Violence, London Ontario Canada (2001).

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Pam Wiseman,

The Executive Director of the New Mexico Coalition Against Domestic Violence. Directed a domestic violence and sexual assault agency in Illinois for 20 years. Developed and facilitated BIP groups for 12 years. Chaired a committee that developed the IL BIP protocol and authored a book about batterers for victims.

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Robert Agnoli,

I am the Domestic Violence Program Coordinator for Salvation Army Family and Community Services in Chicago. I am also the co-founder of the Partner Abuse Intervention Services Coalition of Illinois. I have worked locally and on the state level in the development of standards and certification of practitioners. I am also a trainer on domestic violence related topics including Risk Assessments, Use of Religious Beliefs in Intimate Partner Violence, and Ethical Considerations in BIP Service Delivery.

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Sara Barber,

Sara is the Executive Director of the South Carolina Coalition Against Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault. The agency's mission is to end domestic violence and sexual assault in SC by influencing public policy, advocating for social change, and building capacity of member programs, allied organizations and communities across the state. Before taking this position in June of this year, Sara worked with a multi-site batterer intervention program in SC for 13 years.

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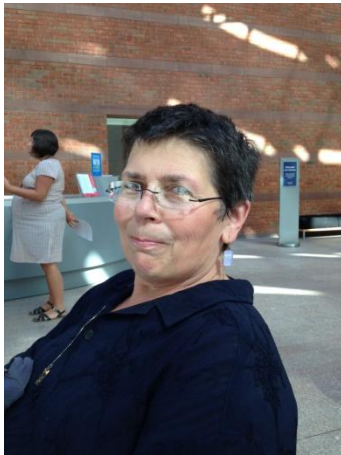
Scott Miller, has worked for the Domestic Abuse Intervention Project since 2000. Scott coordinates Duluth's Coordinated Community Response to domestic violence under a demonstration project funded by OVW called the Blueprint for Safety. Serving as both system advocate and coordinator of the men's nonviolence program, he is instrumental in the evolving work being done in Duluth. Scott trains nationally and internationally on the components of the Duluth Model of intervention and helps develop new resource materials and curricula for use in communities working to end violence against women. Scott has also co-authored the new DAIP men's nonviolence curriculum *Creating a Process of Change for Men Who Batter*.

Scott works independently as an expert witness in criminal and civil trials to explain how the tactics of abusers and the associated risks generated by battering are linked to the counter intuitive behaviors of victims.

Scott is a contract trainer and forensic interviewer for First Witness Child Abuse Resource Center in Duluth. Scott is responsible for conducting forensically sound interviews of children suspected of being physically or sexually abused as part of a criminal investigation. Scott also conducts trainings nationally on how to conduct interviews with children and work from a multidisciplinary team approach in the investigation of child abuse.

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Susan Cayouette, Ed.D.,

Susan Cayouette is Co-Executive Director of [Emerge: Counseling and Education to Stop Domestic Violence](#), located in Cambridge, Massachusetts. Dr. Cayouette has been a group counselor and clinical supervisor at Emerge for 28 years and she developed the batterer intervention group for lesbian/bisexual abusers, which she currently co-facilitates. She was a mental health clinician prior to working at Emerge and also worked at [Help for Abused Women and Children](#), a battered women's shelter in Salem, Massachusetts for 5 years. She received a doctorate in education from Boston University in 1986 and her dissertation was on "The Recovery Process of Battered Women."

She has lectured in the United States and abroad on work with victims and perpetrators of domestic violence. Her writings on domestic violence have been published in several books and professional journals. Dr. Cayouette is co-author of the Emerge Program Manual on Group Interventions for Batterers. She lives in Salem, Massachusetts with her daughters, Elizabeth, 16 and Sarah, 11 and she dreads October in Salem.

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Ted German,

I am the Director of Training at Emerge. I have been in the field for 27 years and that has included running groups, supervising staff, public education and training, and engagement with various aspects of coordinated community response. I have been a member of the planning committee for this meeting.

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