



Network of Support

The Family and Youth Services Bureau funds an array of organizations to support its grantees and advance the family and youth work field. The Network of Support consists of organizations that provide guidance to clients, grantees and the field.

Type of Provider	Organization Name	Major Responsibilities
Clearinghouse	National Clearinghouse on Families & Youth	The National Clearinghouse on Families & Youth is a free information service for the family and youth work field—including FYSB grantees and aspiring grantees. Services include branding and strategic communications, NCFY and FYSB website content, research, subscriptions and book ordering, policy tracking, e-learning, social media, translation services, conference exhibits and reports to Congress.
Hotline	National Domestic Violence Hotline	The National Domestic Violence Hotline provides an immediate response to victims of domestic violence and their families, and a seamless referral system to community programs. The Hotline, operated 24/7 and available in 170 languages, is the first step to safety for many callers whose unique situation is assessed and evaluated to meet short-term needs, and who receive local referrals to address the long-term effects of family violence.
Hotline	National Runaway Safeline	The National Runaway Safeline provides education and solution-focused interventions, offers non-sectarian, non-judgmental support, respects confidentiality, collaborates with volunteers and responds to at-risk youth and their families 24 hours a day. The Safeline coordinates National Runaway Prevention Month each November.
Resource Center	Asian and Pacific Islander Institute	The Asian & Pacific Islander Institute on Domestic Violence is a national training and technical assistance provider and a clearinghouse on gender violence in Asian, Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander communities. The Institute seeks to inform violence prevention and interventions efforts, improve the cultural relevancy of services, provide tools to confront and change gender norms and conduct research and policy reviews.
Resource Center	Battered Women's Justice Project	The Battered Women's Justice Project promotes change within the civil and criminal justice systems that enhances their effectiveness in providing safety, security and justice for battered women and their families. BWJP provides technical assistance to multiple stakeholders, uses trainings and consultation to disseminate up-to-date research and promotes the implementation of best practices and policies.



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Resource Center	Casa de Esperanza	The National Latin@ Network for Healthy Families and Communities advances effective responses to eliminate violence and promote healthy relationships within Latino families and communities. The NLN addresses four primary issues: increasing access for Latinos experiencing domestic violence through training and technical assistance, producing culturally relevant tools, conducting research that explores the context in which Latino families experience violence and interjecting these lived realities into policy efforts.
Resource Center	Health Resource Center on Domestic Violence	The National Health Resource Center on Domestic Violence supports health care practitioners, administrators and systems, domestic violence experts, survivors and policy makers at all levels as they improve health care's response to domestic violence. The HRC provides groundbreaking model, education and response programs, advocacy support, technical assistance, culturally competent materials and in-person trainings.
Resource Center	Institute on Domestic Violence in the African American Community	The Institute on Domestic Violence in the African American Community focuses on the unique circumstances and life experiences of African Americans as they seek resources and remedies related to the victimization and perpetration of domestic violence. IDVAAC recognizes the correlation of intimate partner violence to child abuse, elder maltreatment and community violence and seeks to enhance society's understanding of these connections.
Resource Center	National Center on Domestic Violence, Trauma and Mental Health	The National Center on Domestic Violence, Trauma & Mental Health improves the response of domestic violence programs, mental health systems and the criminal justice and civil legal systems to domestic violence survivors and their children. The Center (1) promotes dialogue between domestic violence and mental health organizations, policy-makers and survivor/advocacy groups; (2) builds capacity among local agencies, state domestic violence coalitions and state mental health systems; (3) provides recommendations on policies, practices and collaborative models.
Resource Center	National Indigenous Women's Resource Center	The National Indigenous Women's Resource Center seeks to enhance the capacity of American Indian and Alaska Native tribes, Native Hawaiians, and Tribal and Native Hawaiian organizations to respond to domestic violence and increase the safety of Native women. NIWRC provides national leadership to show that offenders can and will be held accountable and that Native women and their children are entitled to: 1) safety from violence within their homes and community; 2) justice on and off tribal lands; and 3) access to services designed by and for Native women based on tribal beliefs and practices.



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Resource Center	National Resource Center on Domestic Violence	The National Resource Center on Domestic Violence provides technical assistance, training and resource materials on domestic violence intervention and prevention, community education and organizing, public policy and systems advocacy and funding. The NRC DV develops special collections, fact sheets, applied research papers, funding alerts and training curricula and supports several projects focused on particular issues and constituent groups.
Resource Center	NW Network for Bisexual, Trans, Lesbian and Gay Survivors of Abuse	The NW Network for Bisexual, Trans, Lesbian and Gay Survivors of Abuse and its steering committee of subject matter experts identify programmatic, policy, research, knowledge development, and outcome priorities related to domestic/intimate partner and dating violence as they impact LGBTQ communities. The network also identifies practices primed for rigorous evaluation and/or showing significant promise for replication and adaptation.
Resource Center	Resource Center on Child Protection & Custody	The Family Violence Department of the National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges provides leadership and assistance to consumers and professionals dealing with the issue of child protection and custody in the context of domestic violence. The Resource Center on Domestic Violence: Child Protection and Custody provides technical assistance, training, policy development and other resources that increase safety, promote stability and enhance the well-being of battered parents and their children.
Technical Assistance Provider	University of Illinois, Chicago	The University of Illinois cooperative agreement seeks to strengthen Transitional Living Programs' capacity to serve LGBTQ homeless youth by strengthening their efforts to better understand and address the needs of this population.
Technical Assistance and Training Center	RTI International	RTI International provides training, technical assistance and site monitoring support for Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention Program grantees. Activities include regional trainings, web-based communities of practice, assistance with implementation and evaluation of evidence-based programming, technical assistance requests and facilitation of workshop presentations for the annual conference.
Technical Assistance and Training Center	Runaway and Homeless Youth Training and Technical Assistance Center	The Runaway and Homeless Youth Training and Technical Assistance Center provides training and technical assistance services to grantees and plans and implements regional trainings. The center also manages an online community of practice for Runaway and Homeless Youth Program grantees and organizes the annual grantee meeting.