

Commission on Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault

2nd, 3rd, and 4th Quarter 2015 Activities



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Commission Overview

- **Purpose:** Increase safety for victims of domestic violence and their children and for victims of sexual assault, and to hold abusers accountable for their behavior
- **Responsibilities and Duties:** Coordinate the community's response to domestic violence and sexual assault by promoting communication and collaboration among its membership
 - Training for the Milwaukee Police Department
 - Policy and Protocol Review
 - Monitoring and Promoting Legislation
 - Community Awareness Efforts

General Duties and Responsibilities

- **Monthly Commission Meetings & Subcommittees**
- **Policy & Protocol Review**
 - Ongoing Committee Membership: Homicide Review Commission, SART, I-Team, Sexual Violence Subcommittee
 - Elder Abuse
 - Gerald L. Ignace Indian Health Center
 - Safe Exchange and Visitation Center
- **Legislation**
 - Victim Accompaniment Legislation
 - Monitored Sex Offender Residency, Safe Harbor, VOCA Funding

General Duties and Responsibilities (Cont.)

- **Community Awareness**
 - Literature Distribution
 - YANA Orders: 2,950
 - Resident & Community Calls
 - Resource Fairs
 - Back to School Health Fairs
 - National Night Out Health Fair/Community Event
 - MPD District 7 Cops & Kids
 - Trainings
 - Housing Authority
 - MPD District 3 Businesses

General Duties and Responsibilities (Cont.)

- Other Community Presentations & Trainings
 - Center for Quality Community Life
- Awareness Events
 - Denim Day 2016 Planning
 - Human Trafficking Task Force Press Conference (June 2015)
 - Zonta Says No Walk (September 2015)
- Other Community Awareness Efforts
 - EMS Outreach
 - Partnership with Aurora on SA Outreach
 - Cosponsored Hmong Women's Courage Banquet

Continuing Efforts & Other Activities

- **Milwaukee Visitation Center**
- **Homicide Review Commission**
 - Recommendation Follow-Up through Subcommittees
 - Sexual Assault Review Planning
- **Conferences & Meetings Attended**
 - Statewide SART & CCR Conference (June 2015)
 - WCASA Regional Meetings (2)
- **Other Activities**
 - Unite Milwaukee Planning
 - Health Department Community Health Assessment
 - FJC Planning Session Participation
 - MPS Summer Violence Reduction Grant Review



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