

FVPSA Final Rule: Supporting Services for All Survivors  
Public Chat

**National Resource Center on Domestic Violence 3:53 PM:** Hello all. Thank you so much for joining us! There is currently no one speaking on the line. We will begin promptly at 4pm. Please feel free to introduce yourself here in the public chat!

Delinda Reed 3:57 PM: Hello, It's Delinda from Safenet Services, Claremore, OK

**National Resource Center on Domestic Violence 3:58 PM:** Hello Delinda! Thank you for joining us today

Joyce Grover 4:02 PM: Joyce, Kathy, Carolyn, Kristina are all on here from Kansas.

Delinda Reed 4:03 PM: Donna Grabow, Safenet Services, Inc. Executive Director, Claremore, ok

Julie Branham 4:06 PM: Julie Branham, Exec Director Shawnee Ok Project Safe, Inc

Ken Noyes 4:06 PM: Ken Noyes, National Domestic Violence Hotline

Joyce Grover 4:06 PM: Joyce Grover, Kathy Ray, Carolyn Coiner, Kristina Scott all here from Kansas Coalition Against Sexual and Domestic Violence.

Matthew West 4:06 PM: Shoshone-Bannock Tribes Victim's Assistance Program Fort Hall, Idaho

Dusty Norris 4:07 PM: Jo Warren and Dusty Norris - The Safe Place, Arkansas

Saima Anjam 4:07 PM: New York State Coalition Against DOMestic Violence. Nasim Sarabandi and Saima ANjam

Breckan Erdman 4:07 PM: Hi all! I'm Breckan Erdman from the National Resource Center on Domestic Violence in Harrisburg, PA

Sabrina Bristo 4:07 PM: Sabrina Bristo, Durham Intergrated Domestic Violence Response. Durham, NC

Lynette Hart 4:07 PM: Lynette Hart, Sanders County Coalition For Families, Thompson Falls, MT

ellyn bell 4:07 PM: Hi -- Ellyn Bell from SAFE of Columbia County, OR

Bonnie Wilson 4:07 PM: Bonnie Wilson, Someplace Safe, Warren Ohio

Tricia Eldridge 4:08 PM: Tricia Eldridge Grant Coordinator, Violence Prevention, State of Maine

Trashaun Powell 4:08 PM: Trashaun Powell; Program Specialist at the Office of Domestic Violence Services in New Jersey

Guadalupe Altamirano Gutierrez 4:08 PM: Crime Victim Center and Rape Crisis Center/ Bilingual Crime Advocate

Caroline Fleming 4:08 PM: Caroline Fleming, Executive Director Custer Network Against Domestic Abuse (CNADA), Miles City, Montana

Michelle Zinke 4:09 PM: Michelle Zinke, Nebraska Coalition to End Sexual and Domestic Violence

traci Cook 4:09 PM: Traci Cook, Center of Hope, Columbia, TN

**Kenya Fairley 4:09 PM:** As Marylouise and Angela go through the presentation, please type any questions you may have here in the public chat and I'll keep track to pose them at the end of the presentation.

Rebecca Jones 4:10 PM: Rebecca Jones, Partnership for Families, Children & Adults, Chattanooga TN

Tricia Eldridge 4:13 PM: Will the slides be available after the webinar?

**Kenya Fairley 4:14 PM:** @Tricia: Yes, we will make the slides available shortly after the presentation, along with a recording of this session.

Tricia Eldridge 4:14 PM: Great! Thank you!

Jane Root 4:14 PM: Will be have a copy of this presentation we can download?

**Kenya Fairley 4:15 PM:** @Jane: Yes, there will be a copy of the presentation available to download shortly after the presentation, along with a recording of the session.

Jane Root 4:15 PM: Great

traci Cook 4:16 PM: Need to apologize for background noise that anyone may have heard. Did not realize my mute button was not on. So sorry.

**Kenya Fairley 4:17 PM:** @Traci: Thanks Traci! I don't think we heard you but we're glad you're on mute now. :)

Stanley Green 4:18 PM: Do the nondiscrimination provisions of VAWA 2013 have any effect on FVPSA?

traci Cook 4:18 PM: :)

**Kenya Fairley 4:19 PM:** @Stanley: I've noted your question and will save it for the end.

Suzanne Dow 4:23 PM: HUD ESG funding does not allow sex segregation emergency shelter facilities even in cases where private rooms and bathrooms are not an option. Have FVPSA representatives been in contact with HUD authorities to attempt to get all funders on the same page? Many DV shelters in GA did not apply for ESG funds this year because they could not meet the mandates regarding housing

male victims in their DV shelter (historically they had provided hotel stays and provided comparable support services).

Linda Douglas 4:24 PM: Are we going to get an overview of the actual changes?

Kenya Fairley 4:24 PM: @Suzanne: I've noted your question and will add it to the list.

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Kenya Fairley 4:25 PM: @Linda: I'm not sure of your question. Are you asking for a copy of the regulation itself or a copy of the changes discussed in this presentation?

Jennifer Carter Dochler 4:25 PM: Do y'all know when the final rule on the PPR will be released so we can prepare?

Kenya Fairley 4:26 PM: @Jennifer: Not at this time but our goal is to get that information to you as soon as we're able.

Jane Root 4:27 PM: I missed the first 10 minutes because of technical diffilulties. The question that I'm trying to get clarity on is are shelter and supportive services funding for family violence victims... meaning siblling on sibling or other relative violence on another relative living in the same home (NOT IPV).

Kenya Fairley 4:28 PM: @Jane: Thank you for your question Jane. I'll add it to our list.

Connie Thomas 4:29 PM: slides arent moving

Jane Pomeroy 4:30 PM: Angela, can you please review again those questions which we are prohibited to ask when determining eligibility for shelter?

Victoria Child 4:30 PM: can you touch more on refusal of participants under the influence

Kenya Fairley 4:31 PM: @Jane and @Victoria: I've added your questions to the list.

Stanley Green 4:32 PM: Are sex, gender, or gender identity characteristics by which underserved communities can be identified?

Jennifer Carter Dochler 4:34 PM: What is the deadline on the needs assessment? What kind of information is required to collect? I saw two other state assessments and they were VERY comprehensive so I would like to see more guidance on what is required.

Kenya Fairley 4:36 PM: @Jennifer: I've added your question to our list. Thanks.

Elyse Hamilton-Childres 4:38 PM: I have a question related to FVPSA definitions. Let's say an agency's mission is to serve those affected by domestic and dating violence wherein the relationship is categorized as an intimate relationships of some kind (spouse, boy/girlfriend, etc.). The agency does not provide services to victims of non-intimate partner violence, such as when the relationship is between parents and adult children, between siblings, etc. Would that agency be eligible for FVPSA funds? Or would the agency have to expand its definition of domestic violence to include intimate \*and\* non-initimate relationships in order to be eligible for FVPSA funds? Where can I find clear written guidance about who FVPSA grantees are required to serve?

Kenya Fairley 4:40 PM: Thank you for this question. I've added it to our list. Please send me your email address so I can answer it more directly. Also, please let me know what city and state, or tribe or territory, you're located in.

Kenya Fairley 4:37 PM: @Stanley: I have your question as well.

Alicia Diaz 4:40 PM: May we have a copy of the ppt.?

Kenya Fairley 4:41 PM: @Alicia: Yes, we will provide the PPT slides following the presentation.

Stacy Emert 4:41 PM: I too would like a copy of the ppt

Desiree Vea 4:42 PM: aloha! we are curious about FVPSA's intentions/plans/hope for sustaining/re-funding/continuing support for culturally specific trauma informed programs across the country?

Kenya Fairley 4:42 PM: @Stacy: The presentation materials will be provided to all participants on the webinar today, along with a recording of the session and other resources.

Molly Voyles 4:42 PM: Hi from TX! Can you clarify if the state administrator requirement to review demographics every three years is a part of the state plan process or seperate?

Norma Kuykendall 4:42 PM: I would also like a copy of the ppt.

Kenya Fairley 4:44 PM: @Molly: Thanks. I have your question on the list.

Kenya Fairley 4:46 PM: @Desiree: I have your question on the list.

Delinda Reed 4:47 PM: Thank you for the training

Stanley Green 4:48 PM: Sex & gender not listed on slide 10

Jane Root 4:49 PM: The answer about serving family violence is pretty vague which makes it difficult for Advocacy Programs. Often those seeking shelter because of family violence and homeless because they're 'kicked out' of the family home.... they are not leaving because of fear.

Stanley Green 4:50 PM: Will we be able to download these slides?

Delinda Reed 4:50 PM: any regulations on service animals?

Stanley Green 4:50 PM: Thanks for answers to my earlier Qs & comments.

Kenya Fairley 4:50 PM: @Stanley: Yes, we will make the PPT slides available to all participants, along with a recording of this session.

Kenya Fairley 4:51 PM: @Delinda: I will add your question to our list.

traci Cook 4:53 PM: TN has been going this route for the last several years and after the initial changes/shock of what we could or could not do, it has not been a difficult thing to do.

Guadalupe Altamirano Gutierrez 4:54 PM: Thank you very much! great!

Kenya Fairley 4:55 PM: @Traci: Thank you for saying that!

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Kenya Fairley 4:56 PM: Our hope and intent was for the rule to reflect the best practices that existed and are continuing to be developed across the field. We appreciate your comment that this can be done. :)

Heidi Barrett 4:56 PM: The sound has disappeared for me.

Kenya Fairley 4:57 PM: @Heidi: Apologies for that. We are closing out now. Thank you for joining!

Michelle Zinke 4:57 PM: Thank you for the information and guidance.

Kenya Fairley 4:57 PM: I hope you can see the closed caption as we wrap up.

Kenya Fairley 4:58 PM: Thank you all for joining! Have a great week!

Melissa Garrett 4:58 PM: Thanks!

Daryl Chansuthus 4:58 PM: Thank you!

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Sue Ryan 4:58 PM: Thanks!

Lynette Hart 4:58 PM: Thank you

Stacy Emert 4:58 PM: Thank you

Bridget Lockett 4:58 PM: Thank you

Shontelle Smith 4:58 PM: Thank you.

Lynne Lange 4:58 PM: Thank you!

Janelle Castanar 4:58 PM: Thank you!

Afton Jones 4:58 PM: Thanks!

Donna Beck 4:58 PM: Thank you!

Sabrina Bristo 4:58 PM: Thanks for an excellent presentation!

Marlene Rasmussen 4:58 PM: Thank you

Kristy Stewart 4:58 PM: Thank you.