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LAW ENFORCEMENT BEST PRACTICES: IMMIGRANT DOMESTIC AND SEXUAL VIOLENCE VICTIMS, LANGUAGE ACCESS AND THE U AND T VISA

**Rowan Training Center
600 Lafayette Rd
St Paul, MN
June 24, 2019 -- 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.**

AGENDA

GOALS OF THE TRAINING

The goals of this training for state and local law enforcement and agency staff will be to improve attendees understanding of how:

- Investigations can be improved by using language access tools
- Agencies can more effectively hold offenders more accountable by using the U Visa and T Visa certification as a crime fighting tool
- The safety of law enforcement officers, victims, and the community can be strengthened building collaboration to increase the likelihood of battered immigrants to report and provide helpfulness in the criminal investigation and prosecution of the crime.

8:00 – 8:30 A.M.	INTRODUCTION, IMMIGRANT VICTIM DYNAMICS AND DEMOGRAPHICS
8:30 – 9:30 A.M.	LANGUAGE ACCESS REQUIREMENTS AND BEST PRACTICES AT CRIME SCENES
9:30 – 9:45 A.M.	BREAK
9:45 – 11:45 A.M.	U VISA AND T VISA AS A CRIME FIGHTING TOOL: REGULATIONS, U VISA CERTIFICATION REQUESTS AND DISCUSSION OF HELPFULNESS?
11:45 – 12:00 P.M.	MODEL POLICIES AND IMPORTANCE OF COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

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