Strengthening Community and Organizational Responses: Serving Immigrant Victims of Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault and Stalking

8:00 am to 4:00 pm
Prophet Center - PPS
501 N Dixon St
Portland, Oregon 97227

Immigrant victims of crime are often reluctant to call the police for help or to participate in the criminal justice process. In cases involving domestic and sexual violence, the barriers are compounded, as victims often face immigration-related abuse and threats of deportation.

Wednesday, October 4, 2023 - For Law Enforcement, Prosecutors, and System-Based Advocates - DPSST approved
This training will provide law enforcement, prosecutors, and system-based advocates with information on the U and T visa programs and their role in building trust and enhancing victim and community safety.

Thursday, October 5, 2023 - For Advocates, System-Based Advocates, and Attorneys
This training will strengthen participants' understanding of legal rights, victim services options, and best practices when working with immigrant survivors. Training topics will include immigration remedies, public benefits, family law, VAWA confidentiality, multidisciplinary collaboration, and improving language access.

If you need assistance with registration or have any questions, please contact Natasha Haunsperger (503) 969-4457 or email Natasha.Haunsperger@police.portland.gov

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