

# FAMILY VIOLENCE PREVENTION FUND

## *Call for Abstracts*

The Family Violence Prevention Fund invites you to submit abstracts for our 2004 Conference on Health Care and Domestic Violence, Health Consequences Over the Lifespan, to be held October 22-23, 2004 in Boston, MA. Please visit our website <http://endabuse.org/health/conference> for a complete description of the conference, and to submit an abstract online!

*The deadline for submission of abstracts is February 26, 2004.*

The goal of the Third National Conference on Health Care and Domestic Violence is to advance the field of health care's response to domestic violence. The conference will:

- ▶ **broaden** the discussion on health impacts, co-occurring issues, and responses related to victims, children, perpetrators, and communities effected by domestic violence and childhood exposure to violence in the home;
- ▶ **describe** the latest physical and mental health findings related to risk factors for, effects of, and clinical and health services prevention, identification, and response to domestic violence;
- ▶ **highlight** innovative research, practices, programs, and partnerships between health management systems, providers, governments, legal systems, social service agencies, and domestic violence advocates that improve patient safety and health status; and
- ▶ **emphasize** prevention and intervention strategies relevant to diverse cultures, races, classes, ethnicities, religions, physical abilities, ages, genders, sexual identities, geographic settings and communities.

The National Conference provides valuable professional education on the latest research and innovative health care prevention and clinical responses to domestic violence for all health care professionals, including physicians, dentists, nurses, physician assistants, dental hygienists, mental and behavioral health providers, social workers, researchers, domestic violence advocates, alternative health care providers, public health personnel, health care administrators, health policy makers, students, victims/survivors and others.

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