

## Training for Elder Abuse Prosecutors

The National District Attorneys Association/National College of District Attorneys and the Office on Violence Against Women, U.S. Department of Justice (OVW), are pleased to announce a training opportunity on the prosecution of elder abuse and neglect cases for grantees under the OVW Enhanced Training and Services to End Violence Against and Abuse of Women Later in Life Program. The course, *Prosecuting Elder Abuse Cases*, will begin Tuesday, September 23, 2008, and end Thursday, September 25. The course will be held at the National Advocacy Center in Columbia, South Carolina. Participants will be required to actively participate, supply constructive criticism throughout the course, and attend each session of training.

No fee will be charged for the course, but participants will be expected to pay their travel, hotel, per diem, etc. with OVW grant funds specifically designated for training purposes. (The hotel arrangements provide for a rate of only \$87/night, the Federal per diem rate, and includes breakfast and lunch each day.) **Submission of an application is not a guarantee of attendance at the course; please DO NOT make travel arrangements unless and until you have been notified that you are accepted for the course.**

Applications will be accepted through close of business (5 pm EDT) Friday, July 11, 2008. First-tier preference will be given to prosecutor offices participating in the OVW Enhanced Training and Services to End Violence Against and Abuse of Women Later in Life Program. Second-tier preference will be given to prosecutor offices which receive Grants to Encourage Arrest Policies and Enforcement of Protective Orders, Transitional Housing Assistance Grants, and STOP Violence Against Women Grants through the Office on Violence Against Women (or prosecutor offices which are partnered with organizations that receive such funds). Third-tier preference will be given to designated elder abuse prosecutors not meeting the first or second criteria. All other prosecutors will be considered in the order in which they apply.

## Elder Abuse Prosecution Training Application

**Location:** Columbia, SC  
**Course Date:** September 23-25, 2008  
**Application deadline:** July 11, 2008, at 5 pm EDT

Training slots will be awarded with priority given to applicants whose offices are part of the multi-disciplinary OVW Enhanced Training and Services to End Violence Against and Abuse of Women Later in Life Program. (See announcement for further priority areas.)

Please complete this application and submit it by the deadline to:

National College of District Attorneys/National District Attorneys Association  
Elder/Disability Program  
1600 Hampton St., Suite 414  
Columbia SC 29208  
Fax: (803) 705-5301  
[Kyle.Clelland@NDAA.org](mailto:Kyle.Clelland@NDAA.org) or (803) 705-5326

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Office: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Does your office receive OVW Enhanced Training and Services to End Violence Against and Abuse of Women Later in Life Program funds? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Does your office receive Grants to Encourage Arrest (...) funds? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Does your office receive Transitional Housing Assistance Grant funds? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Does your office receive STOP Violence Against Women Grant funds? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Are you the designated elder abuse prosecutor for your office? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

What is the approximate size of your jurisdiction? \_\_\_\_\_

How many prosecutors are in your office? \_\_\_\_\_

State(s) and Year(s) of Bar Admission: \_\_\_\_\_

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