California State Level Collaborative for DV, SV and TDV Prevention
Shared Messages
2018

Purpose of the Collaborative

The California State Level Collaborative for Domestic Violence (DV), Sexual Violence (SV) and Teen Dating Violence (TDV) Prevention is an effort between state-level government agencies and coalitions to promote comprehensive, effective, sustainable, and culturally informed DV/SV/TDV prevention efforts across California.

Collaborative Members

The California Collaborative is made up of representatives from the California Coalition Against Sexual Assault, California Department of Public Health, California Governor's Office of Emergency Services, and the California Partnership to End Domestic Violence.

Goals of the Collaborative

1. Act strategically to advance DV/SV/TDV prevention.
2. Build the capacity of marginalized communities across California.
3. Leverage resources to advance prevention.
4. Collect and share data to advance prevention.

Core Messages

Stopping DV/SV/TDV requires investing in prevention programs, policies and practices.

Preventing violence requires that we promote healthy and equitable relationships.

Comprehensive prevention requires population-based and system-level strategies, including policies and programs that prevent violence from happening in the first place—a term we call Primary Prevention.

Effective prevention efforts address risk and protective factors (on community, relationship, and individual levels) associated with DV, SV, and TDV.

DV, SV and TDV are preventable.

Violence prevention is a community issue that should be discussed openly.

Effective prevention efforts require input and leadership from community members.