

KCCADV MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES, DEFINITIONS, PRIVILEGES AND BENEFITS, EXPECTATIONS

ACTIVE MEMBERS			
CATEGORIES	DEFINITIONS	PRIVILEGES & BENEFITS	EXPECTATIONS
Community Based Victim Services Organizations	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Non-profit programs whose primary focus is safety and services for survivors of domestic violence and their children, AND 2. Offer direct services to victims through a dv survivors' program, OR 3. Endeavors to end domestic violence through education, public policy and social change, AND 4. Adhere to and affirm in writing KCCADV mission and values statement. 	<p>Advocacy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opportunities to affect local/county-wide public policy and social change. <p>Training Opportunities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Early and reduced-cost registration. • Selected free trainings. <p>Networking and Support</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opportunities to make connections and alliances, strengthen relationships and develop a sense of community. Organizational listing, free job listings, and free listing of agency events on website. • Participate in collective problem solving. • Invitation to membership meetings. <p>Publications and Materials</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enjoy free use of the lending library. • Receive Coalition updates and e-newsletter. • Access to position papers, issue briefs, educational materials, and brochures. <p>Decision Making</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Voting rights, which give organizations authority on the decisions and direction of the Coalition. • May serve on the board of directors. • Serve on KCCADV Committees/Task Forces. • Seat on DV Directors Group (Victim Services Organizations only). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pay annual membership dues. • Actively participate in the work of the Coalition. • Identify a primary contact for the agency and designate a voting representative for membership meetings.
Allied Organizations	<p>Programs interested in the prevention of domestic violence whose</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Primary focus <u>is</u> direct services to DV survivors but are <u>not</u> non-profit organizations; OR Primary focus is <u>not</u> services to DV survivors and their children; AND 2. Adhere to and affirm in writing KCCADV mission and values statement. 		
Allied Individuals	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Individuals who want to be active in the movement to end violence against women and children; ; AND 2. Adhere to and affirm in writing KCCADV mission and values statement. 		

AFFILIATES			
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Affiliate Organizations	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Businesses, organizations, public or private agencies that support the work of KCCADV and its members, and that want to stay apprised of Coalition activities: AND 2. Support KCCADV mission and values statement. This is a non-voting membership category. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Receive Coalition updates and e-newsletter. • Access to position papers, issue briefs educational materials, brochures. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pay annual membership dues.
Affiliate Individuals	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Individuals who want to support the work of KCCADV and stay apprised of Coalition activities. AND 2. Support KCCADV mission and values statement. This is a non-voting membership category: 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Receive Coalition updates and e-newsletter. • Access to position papers, issue briefs educational materials, brochures. 	

Membership Dues

The membership year is January 1 - December 31. The dues schedule for 2008 is listed below. The income the Coalition receives from membership dues is essential to its financial sustainability. However, ***no individual or organization will be denied membership because of inability to pay.*** Please contact the office to arrange for a fee reduction if you feel one is necessary.

2008 Dues Schedule

Active Organizations (Victim Service Agencies and Allied Organizations):

Annual budget under \$100,000:	\$165
Annual budget \$100,000 - \$300,000:	\$275
Annual budget \$300,000 - \$500,000:	\$385
Annual budget \$500,000 - \$ 750,000:	\$550
Annual budget \$ 750,000 - \$ 1 million:	\$825
Annual budget over \$ 1 million:	\$1,100

Active Individuals: \$30 -\$110 sliding scale

Affiliate Organizations: \$110

Affiliate Individuals: \$30-\$55 sliding scale

Email List Information:

Membership Lists: Contacts for membership organizations are automatically added to our membership and email digest lists. Our membership list receives all information regarding our meetings, events, trainings, and other membership activities. The email digest is sent out weekly and primarily contains events from member programs and related community groups. Members can opt out of the weekly digest if they so choose.

Optional Public Policy List: The Coalition maintains an additional email list for members to choose. This list receives public policy information and action alerts related to domestic violence and sexual assault and other issues that affect our work.

Committee Information: The KCCADV strongly encourages member participation on its committees. Current active committees with available slots include:

Education committee – develops education displays, materials, and events, plans trainings and discussions, and organizes the annual “Take Action Against Domestic Violence” campaign.

Public Policy Committee- helps establish local policy priorities for the KCCADV, and organizes members’ involvement in local and statewide advocacy (in cooperation with the WSCADV).

Fundraising Committee – strategizes, plans, and implements critical fundraising activities to help ensure that the KCCADV can survive and thrive.

The Coalition also welcomes and values supporters at all levels. Please consider making a donation in support of our work to end domestic violence. For more information contact us at (206) 568-5454 or email us at kccadv@kccadv.org.