CHAT TRANSCRIPT COALITION COVID-19 CALL. April 7, 2020

15:58:30 From Deborah DeBare : WELCOME EVERYONE…. We will be starting in a couple of minutes

15:58:51 From Cat Fribley : Hello all! So good to see your faces. :)

16:00:37 From Karen Tronsgard-Scott : Hi Everyone! Good to see you all!

16:06:34 From Beth Meeks : Please remember to mute yourself by clicking the microphone icon. Thanks!!

16:06:37 From Karen Tronsgard-Scott : Deb Vagins, thanks for your opening message. I appreciate your leadership and message of unity.

16:07:59 From Ellen Yin-Wycoff : please mute the microphone on the lower left hand side of your screen. It'll help this meeting

16:08:59 From Heather : Hello everyone, Heather here filling in for Jean Bearcrane with the MT Native Women's Coalition

16:20:40 From Deborah DeBare : Please feel free to use the chat if you have questions or comments.

16:21:08 From Angelica Allery : How can we get information on the webinar for Friday?

16:21:56 From Kelsen Young : Information summarized in writing is super helpful right now if anything is available on what Debbie is talking about

16:22:25 From Pam (she/her) - NJCEDV : The information provided was very helpful! One of our programs who has T-housing has asked if the FVPSA or ESG funding may be used for that, as well?

16:22:27 From Monica McLaughlin : Hi Kelsen - we are finalizing and sending and will send the webinar information as well

16:22:45 From Monica McLaughlin : Pam - it kinda depends, we can talk more!

16:22:53 From Kelsen Young : thanks!

16:22:59 From Pam (she/her) - NJCEDV : Great - thanks!

16:23:23 From kimberly.feeney : Hi Pam; FVPSA's definition of Shelter is clear that it does not include transitional housing. This is referenced in the guidance that was sent out last week. If you have more questions please let us know.

16:23:56 From Terri Poore : Just wanted to share a handout on our survey: https://www.raliance.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/NAESVCovid4RapeCrisisCenterSurveyFinal.pdf

16:24:06 From Pam (she/her) - NJCEDV : Thanks, Kim!

16:24:15 From Linda Phan : Our state may look at ceilings for the number of months can be used for rental support. Have you heard of other states who may consider this? We don't like it. Would there be guidance to discourage imposing limits on funding on a state level?

16:25:30 From Monica McLaughlin : Linda do you mean for ESG - RRH?

16:25:53 From Linda Phan : For FVPSA funds

16:26:09 From Linda Phan : ESG is a whole other mess :)

16:28:54 From kimberly.feeney : Linda,

16:32:21 From kimberly.feeney : Woops sorry, hit send too soon. FVPSA does not specifically address caps on the number of months that funding can be used for rental support. The definition does say "temporary", but a specific time frame has not been described; thus it is up to individual states to determine. The definition does make it clear that temporary refuge is not transitional or permanent in nature. If you would like to discuss further, please reach out :)

16:33:01 From Diana Mancera : Monika are you hearing from folks about decrease on survivors going to the hospital for evidence collection kits?

16:34:40 From Candida Manion : thank you, Monika!

16:35:13 From kimberly.feeney : One more piece Linda: The end of the definition of Shelter in the FVPSA regulations does state: "Should other jurisdictional laws conflict with this definition of temporary refuge, the definition which provides more expansive housing accessibility governs."

16:39:01 From Monika Johnson Hostler : HI Diana- our urban programs have overall seen a decrease in evidence kit collection at hospitals. Our rural programs aren’t able to give the same data bec evidence collection numbers aren’t high in general

16:40:16 From Gwyn Kaitis : Connie, have shelters in NY had to decrease their capacity in order to achieve social distancing and isolation?

16:45:57 From Monica McLaughlin : This is the registration information for the webinar on Friday April 10. Participants will learn about available housing resources for survivors. https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSddFuKI28Qdn0cJrk3pH-DP5vl2TDVt99X--8i7ftKxa-57Aw/viewform

16:53:53 From Beth Meeks : I really, really appreciate hearing from our Tribal and SA Colleagues.

16:56:20 From Ellen Yin-Wycoff : Please also share any resources you'd like us to post on NNEDV's COVID page too. You can email it to eyinwycoff@nnedv.org

16:56:33 From Ellen Yin-Wycoff : thank you!

16:56:35 From Hawaii State Coalition Against Domestic Violence : Release of prisoners

16:57:01 From John Wesley : Yes to Court closures and navigating TROs remotely, how to get victims sworn signature on affidavit, etc...

16:57:26 From John Wesley : Thanks all!

16:57:32 From AMiller : Thank you NNEDV!!

16:57:32 From Carolina Alzuru : impacts of court closings on safety planning with survivors

16:57:34 From Sherry Honeycutt Everett : another vote for court closures and remote hearings/proceedings

16:57:40 From Hawaii State Coalition Against Domestic Violence : Is the Webinar on Friday open to member programs?

16:57:41 From Ellen Yin-Wycoff : thank you!

16:58:05 From John Wesley : Deb, could Debbie send that info on the ESG funds out to everyone again? on Coalition policy list?

16:58:14 From Candida Manion : thank you so much ❤️❤️❤️

16:58:16 From Angelica Allery : Will an advocate still be able to support survivors during an examination?

16:58:19 From John Wesley : We didn’t receive it

16:58:35 From Gwyn Kaitis : In NM we are requesting the state Supreme Court allow advocates to scribe petitions and do an attestation to sign on behalf of the petitioner

17:02:23 From John Wesley : Thanks so much NM!