



**LOS ANGELES COUNTY DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COUNCIL
CITY OF LOS ANGELES DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ALLIANCE**

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Mission Statement of the Domestic Violence Council

The Los Angeles County Domestic Violence Council provides leadership in the creation and support of a victim/survivor-centered, coordinated countywide approach to addressing intimate partner violence.

Mission Statement of the Domestic Violence Alliance

The mission of the Domestic Violence Alliance is to advise and provide guidance on the development and coordination of City’s domestic violence programs, and to make recommendations regarding legal advocacy, legislation and victims’ services.

Joint General Meeting

Tuesday, February 21, 2023 | 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm PST
Hosted by the Los Angeles County Domestic Violence Council

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AGENDA

I. Welcoming Remarks

Meeting Protocols Before we begin this meeting, please be reminded that this is an open and public meeting. Therefore, anything discussed (both verbally and within the online chat) are not protected by any type of confidentiality. Any client identifying information should not be presented. Please avoid discussion of personal cases as well. If you need additional resources, please contact the co-chairs after this meeting.

- a) County of Los Angeles DVC Updates (5 minutes)
- b) City of Los Angeles DVA Updates (5 minutes)

II. Immigration Report - Mahsa Maleki, Community Legal Aid SoCal (5-10 minutes)

III. Brief announcement regarding DV Shelters and Pets – Sarah Whitman, LAHSA and Andrea Estrada (DV Regional Coordinator, SPA 2) (5-10 minutes)

IV. Presentation on New Laws in 2023 Impacting the DV Field and Survivors, courtesy of our Los Angeles Regional Policy (LARP) committee co-chairs Minty Sio-Kootnikoff and Nancy Volpert along with Pallavi Dhawan from the Los Angeles City Attorney’s Office (60 minutes & Q/A)

- V. Matters not on the posted agenda (to be presented and placed on a future agenda)
- VI. Public Comments not to exceed two minutes per person and must be on items of interest which are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Council
- VII. Reminder: Next General Meeting for the DVC is **March 21, 2023**, this will also be a joint meeting with the DVA.
- VIII. Adjourn

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