

# DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COUNCIL

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## **LGBTQI+ ISSUES COMMITTEE MEETING**

### Mission Statement

*To engage communities, bring visibility, and raise awareness of the disproportionate prevalence of domestic violence, as well as the multiple forms of violence impacting LGBTQI+ communities. To educate service providers while recognizing the systems of oppression that lead to barriers in access to services; Expand LGBTQI+ affirming and inclusive services to people who experience violence and people using power and control. To incorporate the needs of LGBTQI+ people county wide and build healthier LGBTQI+ communities in Los Angeles County.*

**Tuesday, March 14, 2023**

**10:00 am to 11:30 am | Pacific Time (US & Canada)**

**PLEASE NOTE: Registration IN ADVANCE is required to attend this meeting:**

[See the DVC Calendar to Register](#)

After you click on the calendar button, you will be re-directed to the Calendar of the DVC Website. Click the meeting you want to attend and click "Register". After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting. Please download & import the following iCalendar (.ics) files to your calendar system. For questions or concerns about registration or joining, contact [icheca@ph.lacounty.gov](mailto:icheca@ph.lacounty.gov)

### AGENDA

- I. Call to Order/Introductions – Gio Martinez, Co-Chair and Mieko Failey, Co-Chair  
**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.
- II. Announcements
- III. Emerging Issues
- IV. Covid Updates
- V. Committee Administrative Updates
- VI. Public Comments: Not to exceed two minutes per person
- VII. Matters Not on the Posted Agenda (*to be presented and placed on a future agenda*)
- VIII. Next meeting is **May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023**.
- IX. Adjournment

Please see below for how to request accommodations.

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