

Thank you for your interest in the 40-Hour Domestic Violence Advocate Training. Completion of this training meets the requirements set by California Evidence Code 1037.1 for designation as a Domestic Violence Counselor. After completing 40 hours of training, graduates shall receive a Certificate of Completion that will enable them to pursue volunteer and employment opportunities working directly with survivors of domestic violence in California. Laura's House offers two trainings a year; June and September.

If your purpose in completing the training is to volunteer directly with the women and children at Laura's House, bear in mind that at this time certification does not guarantee you a volunteer position with our agency, currently all volunteer positions are filled. Please take into consideration that upon completion of the training we may still be at full capacity. The following are volunteer positions that do not require completion of this extensive training:

- Resale boutique, Portobello Road in Lake Forest
- Translating from English to Spanish or English to Mandarin
- Events
- Research

The 40-hour Domestic Violence Advocate Training will begin on Friday, June 8 and conclude on Friday, June 29, 2012.

The following is the schedule for the **Summer training session:**

Friday, June 8, 2012 from 9:30-5:00pm
Saturday, June 9, 2012 from 9:30-5:00pm
Saturday, June 16, 2012 from 9:30-5:00pm
Saturday, June 23, 2012 from 9:30-5:00pm
Friday, June 29, 2012 from 9:30-5:00pm
Some home study time will be required

- The fee for the training is **\$125**. Please let me know if you would like to work out a payment plan.
- Students with a valid school ID receive a **\$25** discount.
- Pre-registration is required and space is limited. Form attached to bottom of this message.
- Full payment is required prior to seat confirmation.
- Make check payable to Laura's House. Put my name on the outside of the envelope.
- Mail Check and Registration Form to 999 Corporate Drive Suite 225 Ladera Ranch, CA 92694
- No refunds offered once the training has begun. No refunds given for non-attendance, class can be made up at the next training.
- No CEU offered.
- Cancellations accepted one week prior to first day of class. Refund offered minus a \$25 processing fee. Cancellation must be made in writing and received one week prior.
- South County training location will be provided once payment has been received.
- Unfortunately all scholarships for this training have been awarded.

If you have any questions please Email Marissa C. Presley at mpresley@laurashouse.org.

Space is limited, seats sell out months before the training, do not hesitate to register.

REGISTRATION FORM BELOW:

Payment must be attached to this form.



40-Hour Domestic Violence Advocate Training Registration Form

Date: _____

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Email: _____

Confirm Email: _____

Would you like to be added to our mailing list?

Yes, add me to your mailing NO, please do not add me to your mailing

Employer: _____

Occupation: _____

Do you work directly with any of the following Populations/Organizations?

Seniors Homes Individuals	Convalescent Homebound	Non profit Individuals Clinics Law Enforcement	Retired Hospital Social Work	Hospice City/County None Apply	Fire
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Explain why you want to become certified as a domestic violence advocate:

Student Waiver of Liability and Release

I hereby release, and agree to hold harmless, Laura's House, the owners and lessees of the premises, the participants, and officers, directors, officials, representatives, agents and employees of and from all liability, loss, claims and demands that may accrue from any loss, damage or injury (including death, loss of limb and permanent disability) to my person or property, in any way resulting from. Or arising in connection with this event. I know the danger to myself and property while upon said premises. I thereby assume all risk for loss, damage or injury from any cause whatsoever. I am aware that completion of the 40-Hour DVAT does not guarantee me a volunteer position. No refunds offered once the training has begun. No refunds given for non-attendance, class can be made up at the next training. No CEU offered. Cancellations accepted one week prior to first day of class. Refund offered minus a \$25 processing fee. Cancellation must be made in writing and received one week prior.

Student's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Print Name: _____

Please return to:

999 Corporate Drive Suite 225 Ladera Ranch, CA 92694

If you have any questions, contact Marissa C. Presley mpresley@laurashouse.org (949) 361-3775

