



WISCONSIN COALITION AGAINST SEXUAL ASSAULT

Sexual Assault Service Provider Program Development Initiative

Wisconsin Coalition Against Sexual Assault (WCASA)

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**Important
Dates:**

Application Released: October 31, 2017
Application Deadline: November 17, 2017
Notification to Participants: November 24, 2017
Estimated Project Period: January 2018 – March 2019
**introductory meeting in December 2017*

SASP-PDI:

The Sexual Assault Service Provider Program Development Initiative (SASP-PDI) is a new opportunity being offered by WCASA. As the technical assistance/training provider on sexual assault issues in the state, WCASA is continually looking for new ways to support programs. Based on feedback from SASPs and lessons learned from the Regional TA Model, the SASP-PDI will provide intensive support to programs over a 15-month period to increase individual and organizational capacity to meet the diverse needs of sexual assault survivors. This project is also informed by the [Resource Sharing Project Sexual Assault Demonstration Initiative \(SADI\)](#), which focused on: *enhancing the range of service options for victims of sexual assault; improving the overall treatment of sexual assault victims; and enhancing the skills and knowledge of advocates working with victims and survivors.*

The SASP-PDI will require participation from the lead sexual assault staff and leadership staff; additional staff can participate as desired. The SASP should have a willingness to examine organizational policies and practices and an ability to make changes in order to meet the needs of all sexual assault survivors. Participant Requirements and Project Activities are listed below, as well as a tentative schedule.

As a participant in the SASP-PDI, you will receive support, training, and technical assistance throughout the duration of the project period. The SASP-PDI will afford participants the opportunity to learn with peers from across the state, developing valuable relationships to support sexual assault program development.

**SASP-PDI
Goal:**

Increase individual and organizational capacity to meet the diverse needs of all survivors of sexual assault.

Participant Requirements:

- WCASA SASP (or ability to become SASP)
- Interest in program development and improvement
- Willingness to critically assess existing services
- Computer with web-cam and internet access

Funding

- Travel expenses for three in-person trainings

Required Project Activities:

- Lead Staff (Sexual Assault Staff) & Leadership Staff (Executive/Program Director) participation in monthly web-based networking/training events
- Lead Staff (Sexual Assault Staff) & Leadership Staff (Executive/Program Director) participation in three in-person networking/training events
- Complete required assessments for staff and organization - tools and support to be provided by WCASA
- Share SASP-PDI materials with all program staff to increase organizational capacity on sexual assault
- Share lessons learned with other SASPs through statewide and regional trainings
- Provide feedback to WCASA following each event and at the end of the project

Method of Selection:

Applications will be reviewed by a committee and programs will be notified by November 24, 2017.

Questions:

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Completed applications can be emailed to Alma or Kelly

Proposed Schedule

**dates & schedule to be confirmed*

December 2017	webinar
January 2018	webinar
February 2018	in-person
March 2018	program visits
April 2018	webinar
May 2018	webinar
June 2018	webinar
July 2018	webinar
August 2018	webinar
September 2018	in-person
October 2018	webinar
November 2018	webinar
December 2018	webinar
January 2019	webinar
February 2019	webinar
March 2019	in-person

SASP PDI Project: December 2017 – March 2019

Monthly Events:

- 12 web-based meetings/trainings
- 3 in-person meetings/trainings
- 1+ program visit
additional visits, as needed

Each event will focus in three areas:

1. Individual capacity
2. Organizational capacity
3. Anti-oppression framework

SASP-Program Development Initiative APPLICATION

PROGRAM:	
ADDRESS:	
LEADERSHIP STAFF:	
email	
phone	
LEAD STAFF:	
email	
phone	

Please keep responses brief: MAX. 1000 characters (with spaces) per question

<p>Please share your program philosophy about sexual violence and how it is prioritized in your organization:</p>	
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<p>Please provide a summary of the sexual assault services you currently provide:</p>	
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Please share how your program works to meet the diverse needs of all survivors – particularly survivors from marginalized communities:

What changes do you hope to see in your program as a result of your participation in the SASP-PDI:

Please share any sexual assault data you compile for your program:

NOTE: You can also attach a previously compiled report (like SAVS), if preferred.