New Year Well Wishes from NAPIESV

On behalf of all of us here at NAPIESV we would like to wish you, your loved ones, organizations, and communities a happy new year! We hope this year is filled with lots of love, growth, and success in all of your endeavors. We know that 2020 was a very difficult one for all of us. Fortunately, 2021 is here and we look forward to continuing to support and work with you all this year. Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions or for any training or technical assistance needs. We are happy to help!

Technical Assistance

We offer training and technical assistance on culturally relevant services for API communities in mainland United States, Alaska, and U.S. territories in the Pacific to current and potential OVW grantees. Technical Assistance we provide:

- 40-hour sexual assault training to staff and volunteers
- Topic-specific training
- “one-on-one” or “peer-to-peer” consultations regarding sexual assault services to victims/survivors from the API communities

If your organization is interested in receiving training, technical assistance, or if you would like additional information, please reach us at information@napiesv.org
Organization Highlight: Young Asian Womxn Against Violence

This quarter we would like to highlight an incredible organization doing great work for their community.

Young Asian Womxn Against Violence (YAWAV) is a program of the Community Youth Center of San Francisco. YAWAV is a 9 month youth leadership program dedicated to the positive empowerment and development of Asian & Pacific Islander high school-aged young women in San Francisco. YAWAV youth leaders learn about the root causes and impacts of violence in Asian & Pacific Islander communities. The goals of YAWAV are to strengthen the resilience, knowledge, and skills of youth leaders so that they can educate their communities. To learn more about their work or if you’re interested in supporting their work please click here.

Book Club

During this time, we know that many of you are working from home or confined in your home which is a great time to catch up on some reading and do some additional learning. Here are some of our recommended books for this quarter:

- Healing Resistance: A Radically Different Response to Harm by Kazu Haga

- Rape: From Lucretia to #MeToo by Mithu Sanyal

- The Feminist and the Sex Offender: Confronting Sexual Harm, Ending State Violence by Erica R. Meiners and Judith Levine

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End of the Year Report 2020

Please check out our end-of-the-year report to see all of the work we were able to accomplish in 2020 including our training, technical assistance, and Bersama-sama projects.

Thank you to all of our partners, advocates, and organizations we were able to work with and support in the last year.