



TRAINING ON STRANGULATION PREVENTION IN INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE



Strangulation is one of the most lethal forms of violence used by men against their female intimate partners, unconsciousness may occur within 10 seconds and death within 4-5 minutes.

Strangulation is an ultimate form of power and control where the perpetrator can demonstrate control over the victims's next breath.

Victims who are strangled may have no visible injuries, yet because of underlying brain damage due to the lack of oxygen during the strangulation assault, they may have long term serious injuries or die days, even weeks later.

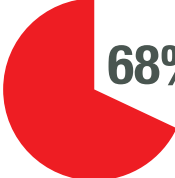
The lack of external injuries and the lack of identifying near-fatal strangulation cases among professionals led to the minimization of this type of violence, exposing victims of violence to potential serious health consequences, further violence and even death. domestic unit or between former or current spouses or partners, whether or not the perpetrator shares or has shared the same residence with the victim.

The goals of the training

- Enhanced knowledge and understanding of professionals
- Improved policy and practice among the legal, medical, and advocacy communities
- Increased offender accountability
- Enhanced victim safety

 **1 in 4** WOMEN WILL EXPERIENCE INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE IN THEIR LIFETIME

OF WOMEN AT HIGH RISK, UP TO... 68% WILL EXPERIENCE NEAR-FATAL STRANGULATION BY THEIR PARTNER



What does the training offer you?

As professional you learn:

- Identify the symptoms and consequences of non-fatal strangulation
- Understand and recognize the anatomy and medical aspects of surviving and non-surviving victims
- Investigate and document cases for prosecution
- Respond adequately, life-saving and, with the necessary skills to situations of attempted strangulation
- Enhance victim safety through trauma-informed support services

**LOSS OF CONSCIOUSNESS CAN OCCUR WITHIN 5-10 SECONDS**
DEATH WITHIN MINUTES

This training is meant for:

All professionals working in the area of justice, law enforcement, social and mental welfare, medical support, who are professionally working with victims of domestic violence, sexual violence and child abuse

Why should professionals learn more about strangulation?

- Early intervention, prior to a homicide saves money and lives.
- The impact of children witnessing strangulation violence cannot be underestimated. Children witness approximately 50% of all strangulation incidents – causing deep, long-term emotional trauma.
- Strangulation can be categorized as attempted homicide or murder. Appropriate legal follow-up is important to protect victims and hold perpetrators accountable.

For more information

For a price offer for the training
To book a training
To exchange ideas

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The focus of the European Alliance for Hope and Empowerment is the development of a multidisciplinary approach of gender based violence, domestic violence, sexual violence and child abuse. One of our activities is training, coaching and support.

A selection of trainings provided:

- **Preventing and tackling non-fatal strangulation**
- **Moral deliberation**
- **The Istanbul Convention and reporting**
- **How to build a Family Justice Center and corelated multidisciplinary approach**
- **Multifocus: a systemic approach of domestic violence**
- **Hearing and talking with children in cases of domestic violence**
- **Work with perpetrators in Family Justice Centers and corelated multidisciplinary approach**
- **Hope and Empowerment as effective tools in trauma-informed care**
- **Intensive case-management and chain approach in high-risk cases of domestic violence**
- **Building a WE-culture as basis for an effective and positive multidisciplinary approach**
- **The role and possibilities of employers and companies in tackling domestic violence**

Each training is offered flexible, custom-made and adaptable to the wishes and needs of the applicant.

The prices are determined in mutual consultation.

The trainings are provided mostly with a duo of trainers, with the focus on quality, multiple input based on experience of the trainers. The EFJCA and F&G Company can rely on partnerships and network partners to provide the most appropriate trainings

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