

Request for Proposals

The California Coalition Against Sexual Assault (CALCASA) is looking for a consultant to provide services to support CALCASA in its evaluation of its national project, PreventConnect, a national online community of practice to advance the practice of primary prevention of sexual violence and domestic violence.

Since 2005, PreventConnect has used online technology to bring together a community of people dedicated to primary prevention of sexual violence and domestic violence. Through web conferences, email groups, blogs, podcasts, videos, Twitter, social media and a wiki, PreventConnect seeks to increase the capacity to local and state organizations to conduct primary prevention efforts, including grantees and subgrantees of the CDC's RPE, DELTA, and DELTA PREP programs.

The purpose of this evaluation is to assess the impact of PreventConnect for prevention practitioners. Through use of surveys, interviews and session evaluations, the evaluation consultant development evaluation tools, coordinate with CALCASA/PreventConnect to collect the data, analyze the data and issue a report highlighting the role of PreventConnect and implications for increasing the capacity for primary prevention practice.

Timeline: Here is the planned timeline for the assessment.

December 2011: Develop Assessment Tools

January 2012: Collect Data

February 15, 2012: Issue Preliminary Data February 28, 2012: Issue first draft of Report March 31, 2012: Prepare Final Report

To apply, please send the following to David Lee at david@calcasa.org by 1:00 pm on Monday, November 14, 2010:

- 1-3 page written description of approach intended
- sample report for a similar project
- resume/cv and statement of experience highlighting knowledge of sexual violence prevention
- proposed budget inclusive of all costs.

Please contact David Lee at david@calcasa.org for any additional information.