JOIN THE EFFORT



In November 2012, more than 124 community stakeholders convened to craft a strategic plan which will be used to facilitate the successful launch and operation of the FJC.



From the start, victims and surviving family members of domestic violence in our community - called the "Voices" group - were involved in the FJC initiative and launch.



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A CALL TO ACTION!

The Sacramento Regional Family Justice Center has garnered support across all sectors of the community, including victim service and advocacy organizations, law enforcement, public officials, health professionals, legal organizations, the business community, education leaders, faith based organizations and multicultural groups, but it's not enough.

It will take community action to make the FJC a reality. Here's how you can help - go to:

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- **♦** Make a Monetary Donation
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WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

What: The Family Justice Center (FJC) collaborative will include government agencies and community based organizations. It will be a place where victims and their families can access services available in the county. Services will either be housed at the center or linked via video, including immediate crisis intervention, safety planning, on-site child care, legal services, social services eligibility, counseling, transportation vouchers as well as assistance with temporary restraining orders, and emergency food and housing among many other support services.

<u>Who</u>: The FJC will be available to serve victims of family violence and sexual assaults, including victims of marital and dating violence, elder and child abuse and human trafficking. Victims include women, men, teens, children and elders from all different racial, cultural, and socioeconomic backgrounds and all parts of the community.

<u>Where</u>: The FJC needs a home! The only thing preventing the FJC from opening is securing donated space that meets the center's requirements, including access to public transportation and parking.

When: Victims of violence need help now. The FJC can help reach victims early with the goal of preventing further abuse. Now is the time to put an end to family violence, sexual assaults and human trafficking.

Why: Everyone in the community deserves a safe home and a life free of violence and abuse. While there are a number of existing vital government and community based organizations that do important work, they may not always coordinate services. This can create barriers for victims and make it more difficult for them to access programs and services. The FJC will serve as a central location where agencies and organizations work together to meet victims' needs.

Many abusers as well as many victims experienced abuse as a child. The FJC can break the cycle of violence so that children no longer grow up thinking violence and abuse is acceptable behavior and continue the cycle.

Removing violence from the home will help remove violence from the community, creating a safer, healthier place for everyone to live and work.

