



TAVAN Institute

Training Against Violence Abuse & Neglect

In Partnership with

Domestic Abuse Intervention Program Duluth Minnesota

UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY

To attend Duluth Training brought to Australia through a partnership arrangement with TAVAN Institute

2 day Intensive Training Event

Coordinated Community Responses to Domestic Violence

With

International Trainer and Speaker

Graham Barnes

29th & 30th October 2009

**Riverside Reception Centre
50 Oxlade Drive**

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Limited Places

Book Early

Trainer: Graham Barnes



Graham is a resource specialist with the Battered Women's Justice Project in Minneapolis, Minnesota. He consults with federal grantees nationally on developing their coordinated community response to domestic violence, trains for professional associations such as the American Prosecutors Research Institute, and teaches Duluth's *Creating a Process of Change For Men Who Batter* Curriculum. Previously, Graham was Team

Leader of the Domestic Abuse Intervention Project's Training and Resources in Duluth, training packages and resources for other communities nationally and internationally. He also facilitated batterer intervention program classes in Duluth.

Graham has 20 years experience in community organizing and domestic violence prevention. In 1990, Graham was the founding men's program coordinator at New Zealand's Hamilton Abuse Intervention Project, a national pilot that adapted the 'Duluth-Model' to a New Zealand cultural setting.

Unique Opportunity

This Intensive training is the first in a series of training events under a TAVAN /Duluth Partnership and is aimed at providing participants with a comprehensive understanding of collaborative response to domestic violence and the mechanisms for developing and implementing a systems approach including the skills and tools to conduct systems safety audits.

Topics covered in the training:

- Understanding the key elements of a collaborative response
- Duluth – what is it?
- Developing collaborative approaches which centralise the safety of women – where do we start
- Working with men within a systems approach
- Fundamentals of men's programs
- Keeping women safety
- Conducting institutional safety audits

Who Should Attend

- Domestic Violence Service Providers
- Professionals working within the Justice System
- Perpetrator Program Managers
- Policy Makers
- Local Government / Community Development
- Health and Welfare Professionals
- Academics / Researchers

Training Investment

Full Training Investment for 2 days \$350 + GST per person and includes morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea each day. Part registrations are not available. Parking is available on-site.

TAVAN Institute

TAVAN Institute provides effective, victim centered, multi-disciplinary training and expert consultation on domestic and family violence.

The work of TAVAN Institute is underpinned by the belief that violence against women and children is a Human Rights violation which impinges on the right of all individuals to live in safety and freedom of fear. Those who use violence and abuse must be held accountable for their behavior.

TAVAN Institute is committed to ensuring victims of domestic violence receive system responses which prioritize their physical and emotional safety and hold perpetrators of abuse accountable.

Betty Taylor has extensive experience in the area of domestic violence including direct service provision, program development and training. She is the founder and previous Director of the Domestic Violence Prevention Centre Gold Coast and chaired the Queensland Domestic & Family Violence Council for two terms, 1994-1997 and 2001-2004. Betty was awarded a Churchill Fellowship in 2002 to investigate multi-agency interventions to domestic violence across the USA and Canada and was awarded a Centenary Medal for her contribution to domestic violence service provision. Betty has been passionately working for the development of a death review board in Queensland and authored a discussion paper "Dying To Be Heard". Recently, Betty has been delivering accredited domestic violence training across Queensland.

Dr Brian Sullivan: After a number of years working in leadership roles in the education and human service sectors, Brian undertook advanced counsellor training in the USA. He completed his doctorate in counselling and mental health at the College of Health and Human Services, University of Toledo, Ohio in 2000, where he researched readiness for change of court-mandated male perpetrators of domestic violence. While in the USA, Brian also trained in the Duluth Model of Domestic Violence Intervention. He has worked intensively with court-ordered men using the Duluth program. Brian teaches at the University of Qld in the Master of Counselling Program where he coordinates a course in Violence Issues in Counselling. He also provides training for professionals in domestic violence intervention programs for men who perpetrate intimate partner violence. Brian has been a member of the Ministerial Advisory Council on Domestic and Family Violence.

Notice

This training event will be preceded by a one day Symposium
Changing Systems: Saving Lives

Speakers include Graham Barnes and Ruth Busch from NZ

28th October – Royal on the Park

Further details: www.tavan.com.au

Registration Form

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TAX INVOICE

Please complete all sections – 1 form per person attending

First Name:..... Surname:.....

Organisation:.....

Position:.....

Postal Address:.....

.....Postcode:.....

Telephone:.....Facsimile:.....

Email:

Special Dietary Requirements:

Training Registration:	\$350.00
GST:	\$ 35.00
Total Payable:	\$ 385.00

Payment for this event must accompany this registration booking form.

Payment can be made by cheque or money order made payable to **TAVAN Institute** or via direct bank deposit – please email tavaninstitute@gmail.com for banking instructions.

Registration also available on-line www.tavan.com.au

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Cancellation Policy

Cancellations must be notified in writing by Thursday 22nd October and will attract an \$80 administration fee. Thereafter no refunds are available and any unpaid registration fees remain payable. A substitute delegate may be nominated at no extra cost.

TAVAN Institute assumes no responsibility for accidents, losses, theft, damage or delays at the training.