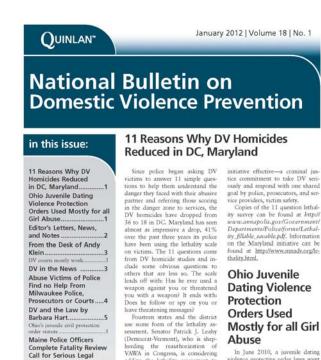
National Bulletin on Domestic Violence Prevention

Edited by Andrew R. Klein, Ph.D., each this monthly newsletter is packed with a variety of articles about what's new in domestic violence prevention nationwide including such topics as:

- News updates
- Program profiles
- Court decisions
- Legislative updates
- Funding opportunities

Learn what's working and what is not working and what funding opportunities are available. Learn about the upshot of recent court and legislative developments. Learn the most effective prevention policies and practices employed by police departments, prosecutors, courts, counselors, health care providers, child service agencies, and clergy.

The newsletter is written and edited by experts in the field. Editor Andrew Klein has served as a principal investigator on numerous research and evaluation grants for multiple federal, state and county government and non-profit agencies covering a diverse range of areas from family violence, Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), victim rights, batterer intervention programming, faith-based rural domestic violence programming, elder abuse, and residential prison substance abuse treatment. He is a nationally-recognized expert in the study of domestic violence and criminal justice and has served on numerous national commissions and advisory boards on development of domestic violence courts. He has provided technical assistance, headlined conferences and provided professional training in his areas of expertise in almost every state of the Union, United States Military bases abroad as well as the US Coast Guard.



adding the lethality assessment to the list of programs that state and local entities may fund with VAWA dollars. His efforts picked up the endorsement of the Washington Post. Over the years, a number of initiatives have also resulted in similar in 2004. She was unsuccessful.

dramatic drops in DV homicides in disparate jurisdictions. While some featured increased arrests and prosecutions, higher bails, specialized probation supervision, all share

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Copies of the 11 question lethality survey can be found at http:// ity_fillable_savable.pdf. Information on the Maryland initiative can be

violence protective order laws went into effect in Ohio. The Ohio law was named after Shynerra Grant, a 17-year-old girl from Toledo who was fatally shot by her ex-boyfriend in 2005. Shynerra attempted to obtain a civil stalking protection order after her ex-boyfriend broke her jaw

The new Ohio law now allows juveniles to obtain orders, but only against other juveniles. A study un continued on page 4

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