

2026 Public Policy Priorities

Budget Advocacy

Increase state and federal funding for Domestic Violence services

- Domestic violence & sexual violence service programs need increased financial support.



Victim Safety

Prioritize victims' safety through probation, Division of Family Services (DFS), and police response

- Criminal justice reform efforts must include victims' voices and consider risk and safety.



Prevention

Promote economic justice and financial empowerment

- Provide healthy relationship and financial empowerment education for young people in schools and communities.
- Strengthen social and emotional supports in workplaces to encourage a safe place to work and a healthy environment to thrive.



Health Equity

Expand access to health and safety resources and sustain the Community Health Worker (CHW) Program

- Promote Community Health Worker (CHW) certification and sustainability through Medicaid coverage to address the disproportionate impact and social determinants of health.



Racial Equity & Social Justice

Advance equity and address disproportionate impact of Intimate Partner Violence on Black, Brown, and Indigenous people

- Promote policies that provide equitable access to services.
- Create culturally specific resources.

