**NNHVIP** is dedicated to strengthening existing hospital-based violence intervention programs and helping develop similar programs in communities across the country.

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**A Holiday Message from NNHVIP Director Marla Becker**

As we approach the conclusion of 2010, I am filled with a great sense of collective pride as I look back on the tremendous advancements we have made as a professional network this past year. Some of our highlights include…

[Click here to read Marla’s full message](#)

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**Save-the-Date! April 28-29, 2011**

The 3rd Annual NNHVIP National Conference will focus this year on Best Practices in Hospital-based Violence Intervention Programs. This conference is intended for:

- Leadership & staff from existing programs
- Individuals and organizations considering starting up a program
- Organizations, policy makers, researchers, and funders interested in partnering with and supporting hospital-based violence intervention programs

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**Funding Opportunities**

- Department of Justice
  - OVC FY 11 State Victim Assistance Academy Initiative (New) Modification 4
    (Deadline: 12/21/10)
  
  - Robert Wood Johnson Foundation- Peaceful Pathways: Reducing Exposure to Violence
    (Deadline: 12/31/2010)
  
  - Department of Health and Human Services-Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Grant
    (Deadline: 1/18/11)

**Research Updates**

- Moving Knowledge into Action: Applying Social Marketing Principles to Crime Prevention
  Homel P, Carroll T

- Less Advantaged Children Are 17 Times More At Risk Of Unintentional Or Violent Death Than More Advantaged Peers
  Mooney H

- Type D Personality And Posttraumatic Stress Disorder In Victims Of Violence: A Cross-Sectional Exploration
  Kunst M, Bogaerts S, Winkel F
Why Join NNHVIP?

- **Increased** program visibility and affiliation with a national professional network
- **Opportunity** to participate in cross-site evaluations
- **Priority** access to all National Network publications

Contact Joseph Griffin, NNHVIP Project Manager at jgriffin@youthalive.org for more info.

Training Opportunities

**March 6-9, 2011**

**22nd Annual Youth At-Risk Conference**
Savannah, GA / The Continuing Education Center at Georgia Southern University

**On-going**

**Mentor-VIP**
Online
MENTOR-VIP is a global injury and violence prevention mentoring program. It has been developed through the efforts of the World Health Organization and a network of global injury prevention experts. Mentoring allows for skills development through exchange of experience between a more skilled or experienced person working in the field of injury and violence prevention and a person seeking to develop those skills.

Resource Spotlight:

**Preventing Violence: A guide to implementing the recommendations of the World Report on Violence and Health**

This report provides conceptual, policy and practical advice on how to implement each of the six country-level activities outlined in the World Health Organization’s “World Report on Violence and Health.” Click here to explore.

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