

VIP:ACCESS

National Network of Hospital-based Violence Intervention Programs

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

In this issue, you will find information on:

- News and Updates
- Funding Opportunities
- New Research



Art Against Violence: Violence Intervention Program (Baltimore, MD)

Young people from the VIP Baltimore program developed and presented a series of posters to an audience who were touched by the enthusiasm and talent of the youth. Click on the picture to see a slideshow of the celebration.



Art Against Violence: Project Ujima (Milwaukee, WI)



Young people from Project Ujima developed a video PSA for the Art Against Violence campaign. Full of startling statistics, the PSA succinctly illustrates the level of violence youth in Milwaukee face and the opportunity Project Ujima brings. Click on the picture to view the PSA.

Funding Opportunities

[Ruddie Memorial Youth Foundation Accepting Applications for Innovative Youth Program Evaluation Grants](#)

(Deadline: July 27, 2011)

[Grants for Injury Control Research Centers](#)

(Deadline: September 13, 2011)

[Reducing Health Disparities Among Minority and Underserved Children](#)

(Deadline: On-going)



Last week, one of our colleagues from StreetSafe Boston, a partner of the Massachusetts Violence Intervention Advocacy Program (VIAP), suffered a gunshot wound in the line of duty. Our thoughts and love go out to our colleague as you recover from this traumatic experience. We are glad to hear that you are doing well and wish you a speedy and full recovery!

As the summer months arrive, our partners at VIAP want to remind all programs of the importance of:

- Developing and updating self-care plans
- Debriefing incidents with staff
- Considering the impact of vicarious trauma on everyone involved

NNHVIP is here to support you. Please contact us if you would like more information on any of the topics listed above.

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Spotlight Interview: David Osman

President/Founder of Nevada Youth Alliance & Executive Director of the Neighbor To Neighbor Coalition Program



Meet David Osman, the dynamic leader of Nevada Youth Alliance and the Executive Director of the Neighbor-to-Neighbor Coalition Program, which is the home of the Violence Intervention Program (VIP). His hands are in the work on all levels, literally. In the Violence Intervention Program, he is responsible for case-management with violently injured youth at the same time acting as the administrative head of the program and engaging the community in partnership and coalition-building. "Violence is a symptom of broader issues in the community. When I look at things globally, from health perspective, I see violence as a disease." [Click here to read the full interview.](#)



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Reimagining Black Men's Health:

Moving from Identifying to Eliminating Men's Health Disparities

Online Webinar | Public Health Grand Rounds

June 28-30, 2011

Project Safe Neighborhoods Anti-Gang Training

New Brunswick, NJ | Institute for Intergovernmental Research

Resource Spotlight: Nonprofit Economic Vitality Center

In tough economic times, people turn to their local

nonprofits for help in meeting basic human needs. But the increased demands for help hit nonprofits at the same time that their own revenues decline because of the economy. The National Council of Nonprofits developed this ever-evolving resource to help nonprofits and their allies better understand the situation and have ready access to strategies to help them navigate the economy so nonprofits can serve their communities more efficiently. [Click here to learn more.](#)



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