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## 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.

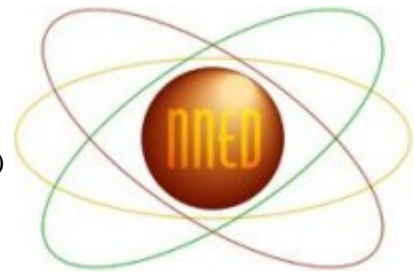
In this issue, you will find information on:

- News and Updates
- Funding Opportunities
- New Research
- Training Opportunities
- And more



### Transforming Violence Intervention in Health Care through Trauma-Informed Practice

The Healing Hurt People Program (Philadelphia, PA) is leading an exciting new learning cluster of the National Network to Eliminate Disparities (NNED) in Behavioral Health.



The mission of NNED is to build a national network of diverse racial, ethnic, cultural and sexual minority communities and organizations to promote policies, practices, standards and research to eliminate behavioral health disparities.

Healing Hurt People will lead a learning cluster focused on implementing trauma-informed practice as a standard to hospital-based and hospital-linked violence intervention programs and improving the effectiveness of health-care based violence intervention by connecting providers in a variety of settings around trauma-informed practice. [Click here to learn more.](#)

### 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)

### Research Updates

[Decision-making Under Risk in Children, Adolescents, and Young Adults.](#)

Paulsen D et al.

[Effectiveness of Interventions Targeting Frequent Users of Emergency Departments: A Systematic Review.](#)

Althaus F et al.

[Public Health and Preventing Violence](#)

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### Major Milestone in Preventing Violence: Representatives from 13 Urban Cities endorse UNITY's Urban Agenda for Preventing Violence *Prevention Institute*

Representatives from some of America's largest urban cities gathered in Washington, DC with one goal: to find the most effective means of preventing violence in their communities. The meeting, convened through Prevention Institute's Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC)-funded Urban Networks to Increase Thriving Youth (UNITY) initiative, resulted in a nearly unparalleled accomplishment. Law enforcement officials, community leaders, public health officials and representatives from mayors' offices from cities including San Diego, Cleveland, St. Louis and Boston unanimously approved a new platform for preventing violence across the country...[click here for more.](#)

#### Trainings Opportunities

**August 8-10, 2011**

#### 2011 National Gang Crime Research Center 14th International Gang Specialist Training Conference

Chicago, IL | National Gang Crime Research Center

**October 29-November 1, 2011**

#### American Public Health Association 139th Annual Meeting and Exposition

Washington, DC | APHA

**December 1-2, 2011**

#### National Update on Behavioral Emergencies

Las Vegas, NV | Sinai Health System

#### Resource Spotlight: Positive Change Through Policy

This online guide features examples of policies that schools, localities, and states have implemented to create safer communities. The examples provided are meant to promote readers' interest in policies that can help make their community safer, particularly for young people. Also included are descriptions of programs that are a result of policy. After the examples are questions to help readers learn more about local policies and their community's needs. [Click here to learn more.](#)



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