

OHIO ADVOCATE NETWORK for TRAINING & REGISTRATION

TRAINING AREA GUIDELINES (TAG) LIST

SERIES A

To initially qualify for RA status, at any level, a minimum of **24 hours of pre-registration training must be completed by the New applicant**. Training is required in all 9 Series A-Core Topic categories and all 5 Series A-Specialized Core Topic categories, in the applicant’s specified discipline(s), as listed below. While the 24 hours of training may be achieved through a combination of Core Topics and Specialized Core Topics, **at least 1 hour of training must be completed in each of the 14 required categories**. Completion of the Ohio Attorney General’s BASICS Academy, the Summit County Victim Assistance Academy Victim Advocacy Essentials, the ODVN Domestic Violence Advocacy Fundamentals Course, or the OAESV Training Institute for Sexual Violence Advocates fulfills the pre-registration training requirement for Series A topical content *for their specified discipline*. **All pre-registration training must be completed within the 4-year period immediately preceding submission of the application**. Training may be completed in a variety of formats, including In-Person, Synchronous (virtual live event), and Asynchronous (virtual recorded event/online module). **However, at least 18 hours of the required 24 hours of pre-registration training must be completed via in-person and/or synchronous events**. All training events must be documented (Certificate of Completion and/or OAN CEU Training Verification form), and documentation submitted with the application.

Series A - CORE TOPIC CATEGORIES:

New applicants are required to complete training in all 9 Core topic categories, as listed below

Crisis Intervention	Case Management/Coordination	Equity / Inclusion / Diversity / Cultural Humility
Advocacy	Criminal/Civil Justice Systems	History of the Victim Services/Rights Movement
Ethics / Boundaries / Confidentiality	Crime Victim Compensation	Crime Victims’ Rights: Ohio Constitution/ORC Chapter 2930

Series A - SPECIALIZED CORE TOPIC CATEGORIES:

New applicants are required to complete training in all 5 Specialized Core topic categories, for their specified discipline(s), as listed below

<p><u>GENERAL/MULTI CRIME</u> Criminal Prosecution – Overview Trauma Informed/Responsive Care Trauma of Victimization/Crisis Response Systems Advocacy Community Resource / Referral</p>	<p><u>DOMESTIC VIOLENCE</u> ORC Domestic Violence Statutes – Overview Trauma Informed/Responsive Care Lethality Assessment / Safety Planning Systems Advocacy Community Resource / Referral</p>
<p><u>SEXUAL ASSAULT</u> ORC Sex Offense Statutes - Overview Trauma Informed/Responsive Care Ohio Sexual Assault Medical Forensic Exam Protocol Systems Advocacy Community Resource / Referral</p>	<p><u>HOMICIDE / TRAUMATIC DEATH</u> ORC Homicide & OVI Statutes - Overview Trauma Informed/Responsive Care – Death Notification Stages of Grief / Traumatic Grief Systems Advocacy Community Resource / Referral</p>

SERIES B

To maintain a valid OAN registration credential, a **Registered Advocate must complete at least 24 hours of continuing education training during each 2-year registration cycle.** Training may be completed in a variety of Series A and/or Series B topics. Cross-training across all advocacy disciplines, and training on advanced topics is highly encouraged. Approved training topics are listed below. Recognizing the profession of Victim Advocacy is continually evolving and training curricula is always expanding, continuing education training on a wide array of related topics and emerging issues will be approved. If you have questions about the applicability of a specific training topic, please call/email OAN. Training may be completed in a variety of formats, including In-Person, Synchronous (virtual live event), and Asynchronous (virtual recorded event/online module). **However, at least 18 hours of the required 24 hours of continuing education training must be completed via in-person and/or synchronous events.** All training events must be documented (Certificate of Completion and/or OAN CEU Training Verification form), and the documentation must be submitted with the application.

SERIES B - CONTINUING EDUCATION TRAINING GENERAL & SPECIALIZED TOPIC CATEGORIES:			
Community Needs Assessment	Un/Under/Inadequately Served Populations	Stalking / Protection Order Violation	Core Competencies
Program Development	Serving Victims with a Disability	Retaliation / Intimidation	Victim/Offender Mediation
Outreach Strategies	Serving Victims who are LEP	Teen Dating Violence	Civil Justice Remedies
Personnel Management	ADA Compliance	Dynamics of Power & Control	Expert Witness Testimony
Program Administration	Elder Abuse / I-Teams	Non-fatal Strangulation	Specialized Dockets
Restorative Justice	ID Theft/ID Fraud/Financial Exploitation	Traumatic Brain Injury	Catastrophic Injury / PTSD
Leadership/Supervision	Human Trafficking - Sex	Economic Justice	Cold Case Investigations
Evaluation / Outcome Measures	Human Trafficking - Labor	Batterer Re-education Programs	Capital Murder Cases
Self-Assessment	T VISA / U VISA	Safe At Home Program	Campus Advocacy/Title IX
Prevention & Awareness	Victim Impact Statements/Panels	Housing / TANF Regulations	Law Enforcement Advocacy
Protocol Development	Support Group / Peer Support	Animal Abuse	Prosecution Advocacy
Policy Development	V.I.N.E.	Child Physical Assault/Abuse	Judiciary / Court Advocacy
Volunteer Coordination	Cyber Crimes / Social Media / Technology	Child Sexual Assault/Abuse/CSAM	Post-Conviction Advocacy
Grant Proposal Writing	Forensic / Evidence Based Investigation	Child Neglect/Maltreatment	Criminal Sentencing Guidelines
Grant Management – Program	Adult Advocacy Centers	Child Welfare Intersections	Reagan Tokes Law
Grant Management – Fiscal	Trauma Treatment Centers	Children Exposed to Violence	Sierah’s Law
Public Policy / Legislative Update	Neurobiology of Trauma	Children’s Grief Process	Roberta’s Law
Non-Profit Board Development	Vicarious / Secondary Trauma	Child Advocacy Centers	Statutory Victim Notification
Task Force / MDT / Consortium	Trauma Stewardship	Sexually Transmitted Infections	Wrongful Convictions
Media Management	Self-Care / Mindfulness	SANE / SAFE / SARC / SART	Military Justice Advocacy
Fund Raising	Facility / Therapy Animals	Juvenile Sex Offenders / Sexting	Justice Reform Initiatives
Community Collaboration	Mental Health	SORN Laws / PREA	Insurance / Civil Litigation
Sponsorship / Partnership	Intersections of Victimization & Trauma	Drug/Alcohol Facilitated Sexual Assault	Responding To Mass Violence
Research-Based Best Practices	Generational/Historic/Compound Trauma	Anonymous / Jane Doe Forensic Exam	Ethical Advocacy