

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 each of the 9 Series A-Core Topic categories and in each of the 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, the ODVN Domestic Violence Advocacy Fundamentals Course, or the OAESV Training Institute for Sexual Violence Advocates fulfills the pre-registration training requirement for both the number of hours and the Series A training topics *for those specified disciplines*. **To qualify, all pre-registration training must be completed within the 4-year period prior to submission of the application**. Training may be completed in a variety of formats, including electronic training events such as a webinar or online module. However, **at least 18 hours of the required 24 hours of pre-registration training must be completed at in-person training events**.

Series A - CORE TOPIC CATEGORIES:

Pre-registration training is required of all applicants in each of the 9 Core topic categories, as listed below

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

Series A - SPECIALIZED CORE TOPIC CATEGORIES:

Pre-Registration training is required of all applicants in each of the 5 Specialized Core topic categories in their specified discipline, as listed below

<p><u>GENERAL/MULTI CRIME</u> Criminal Prosecution – Overview Trauma Responsive Care Trauma of Victimization/Crisis Response Systems Advocacy Community Resource / Referral</p>	<p><u>DOMESTIC VIOLENCE</u> ORC Domestic Violence Statutes – Overview Trauma Responsive Care Lethality Assessment / Safety Planning Systems Advocacy Community Resource / Referral</p>
<p><u>SEXUAL ASSAULT</u> ORC Sex Offense Statutes - Overview Trauma 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 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.** Some amount of training should be completed from both the General Topic categories and the Specialized Topic categories. Categories and suggested training topics are listed below. Training may be completed in a variety of formats, including electronic training events such as a webinar or online module. However, **at least 18 hours of the required 24 hours of continuing education training must be completed at in-person training events.** Recognizing the profession of Victim Advocacy is continually growing and training curricula is always expanding, continuing education training completed on an 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.

SERIES B - CONTINUING EDUCATION GENERAL TOPIC CATEGORIES:			
Community Needs Assessment	Victim Impact Panels	ID Theft/ID Fraud/Financial Exploitation	Protocol Development
Program Development	Grant Proposal Writing	Human Trafficking	Fund Raising
Outreach Strategies	Grant Management – Programmatic / Fiscal	Public Policy / Legislative Update	Public Speaking
Personnel Management	Advocacy for Underserved Populations	Non-Profit Board Development	Animal Abuse
Program Administration	Support Group / Peer Support	Task Forces / MDT's / Consortiums	Policy Development
Restorative Justice	Volunteer Coordination / Management	V.I.N.E. / Victim Notification	Training Techniques
Victim Impact Statements	Expert Witness Testimony	Child Physical Assault/Abuse	Vicarious Trauma
Evaluation / Outcome Measures	Victims with Disabilities / ADA Compliance	Forensic / Evidence Based Investigation	Specialized Dockets
Prevention & Awareness	Elder Abuse	Cyber Crimes / Social Media	Victim/Offender Mediation
Neurobiology of Trauma	Core Competencies	Serving victims who are LEP	Civil Remedies

SERIES B - CONTINUING EDUCATION SPECIALIZED TOPIC CATEGORIES:	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>GENERAL/MULTI CRIME</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Trauma Stewardship / Self-care Hospital Advocacy Prosecution/Court Advocacy Post-Conviction Advocacy Reagan Tokes Law - Criminal Sentencing Guidelines Sierah's Law - Violent Offender Database Roberta's Law - Victim Notification All DV, SA, HOM Series B Topics</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>DOMESTIC VIOLENCE</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Child Abuse / Children Exposed to Violence / Child Welfare Intersections Stalking / Protection Order Violation Non-fatal Strangulation Financial Exploitation / Economic Justice Campus Violence Awareness & Intervention Batterer Intervention / Re-education Mental Health / AOD Interventions Housing / TANF Regulations</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>SEXUAL ASSAULT</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Child Sexual Assault/Abuse Sexually Transmitted Infections SANE / SAFE / SARC / SART Anonymous Reporting / Jane Doe Forensic Exam Juvenile Sex Offenders / Sexting SORN Laws / PREA Campus Advocacy / Title IX Drug Facilitated Sexual Assault</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>HOMICIDE / TRAUMATIC DEATH</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">PTSD / Catastrophic Injury Insurance / Civil Litigation Capital Murder Cases Media Management Post-Conviction Advocacy Cold Case Investigations POMC / MADD Initiatives Children's Grief</p>