





## **Settlement Worker Training Workshops**

**Supporting Refugee & Immigrant Women Who Experience Violence** 

Settlement Workers working in rural and isolated communities are well positioned to assist immigrant and refugee women who experience violence in their intimate relationships.

This workshop is designed to support and enhance current work while emphasizing assessment and safety planning.

Based on best practices in settlement and victim service work, experienced trainers & guest speakers will lead participants through a process that draws on group knowledge. Grounded in the strategies of empowerment, participants will explore assessment, safety planning, ethics, and other intervention strategies, to comprehensively meet the needs of refugee and immigrant women.

## **Topics include:**

- Patterns of Human Migration ... Globalization
- Theoretical Framework for Understanding Women's Experience of Settlement
- The Role of Culture, Family and Community
- Theoretical Framework of Understanding Violence Against Refugee and Immigrant Women Models of Safety
- Legal Issues Family Law, Immigration Law, Child Protection Law

## Workshops

When: Thursday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> • 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Friday, March 4<sup>th</sup> • 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Where: The People's Law School

# 150 – 900 Howe Street (at Smithe)

Vancouver, B.C.

Room: Classroom (ground floor)

## Register early as space is limited.

**To Register,** contact Julia N. Schriver at the People's Law School. **Give Us:** your name, job title, name of your workplace, email address and phone number

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Any questions regarding registration, please call Julia N. Schriver at 604-331-5421

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All Settlement Worker Training Workshops are FREE of charge.

Refreshments will be served, however each participant should bring their own lunch.

