



## Archives and Research Finding Aid

Collection No.: 123

Collection Name: Gay Men's Domestic Violence Project Collection

### COLLECTION SUMMARY

Creator(s): Gay Men's Domestic Violence Project

Title: Gay Men's Domestic Violence Project

Extent: 2 linear feet (2 record cartons)

Date Span: 1996-2015

**Provenance:** This collection was donated by Curt Rogers for The Gay Men's Domestic Violence Project, 2016

**Processing Note:** Collection processed by Alex Percy, and William Holden, Volunteers, Spring 2017.

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### BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE:

The Gay Men's Domestic Violence Project (LGBTQ-DVP) was founded in 1994, by a victim of domestic violence when he was repeatedly denied services by mainstream domestic violence shelters in his attempt to leave his abusive partner. The organization was originally named, A Support Service for Gay Male Victims of Violence.

The organization initially focused on creating services for gay male victims of domestic violence and soon changed its name to the Gay Men's Domestic Violence Project. The scope of focus for the organization began expanding, first to include bisexual men and transgender individuals and then to include all GLBTQ communities.

Over the past 22 years, LGBTQ-DVP has been at the forefront of creating services for LGBTQ survivors in Southern New England and across the United States. In their final years, they served over 750 survivors annually. In 2016 LGBTQ-DVP closed their doors and became a program of Fenway Community Health.

**SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE:**

The collection consists of two record cartons (2 linear feet). The original order of the collection has been retained detailing newsletters, press coverage, ad campaigns, and events in chronological order. The collection was divided into three series: Organizational Materials, Video and Photo Media Files, and Ephemera. Due to the nature of their work and for privacy issues, day to day transactions, interviews, and survivor records are not included in the collection.

**Series 1: Organizational Materials**

**BOX 1:**

Folder 1:	Press Coverage, 1989-1996
Folder 2:	Sample Safe Bed Contracts and Policies, n.d.
Folder 3:	Men Who Beat the Men Who Love Them, 1991
Folder 4:	Photographs, 1994
Folder 5:	Safe Home Advisory Panel Recommendations, 1996
Folder 6:	Park Slope Safe Homes Project, 1996
Folder 7:	Press Coverage, 1997
Folder 8:	Brochures, 1997
Folder 9:	Event Invitation, 1997
Folder 10:	Newsletters, 1997
Folder 11a:	Photographs, 1997
Folder 11b:	Photographs, 1997
Folder 12:	Press Coverage, 1998
Folder 13:	Brochures, 1998
Folder 14:	Newsletters, 1998
Folder 15:	Press Coverage, 1999
Folder 16:	He Loves Me Not: Campaign, 1999-2000
Folder 17:	Newsletters, 1999
Folder 18:	Photographs, 1999
Folder 19:	Press Coverage, 2000
Folder 20:	Newsletters, 2000
Folder 21:	Press Coverage, 2001

Folder 22: Photographs, 2001  
Folder 23: Press Coverage, 2002  
Folder 24: Newsletters, 2002  
Folder 25: Events and Promotions, 2002  
Folder 26: Annual Report, 2002  
Folder 27a: Press Coverage, 2003  
Folder 27b: Press Coverage, 2003  
Folder 28: Newsletters, 2003  
Folder 29: Agency Publications, 2003  
Folder 30: Press Coverage, 2004  
Folder 31: Newsletters, 2004  
Folder 32: Ad Campaigns, 2004  
Folder 33: Events and Promotions, 2004  
Folder 34a: Press Coverage, 2005  
Folder 34b: Press Coverage, 2005  
Folder 35: Ad Campaigns, 2005  
Folder 36: Events and Promotions, 2005  
Folder 37a: Press Coverage, 2006  
Folder 37b: Press Coverage, 2006  
Folder 38: Newsletters, 2006  
Folder 39: Ad Campaigns, 2006  
Folder 40: Events and Promotions, 2006  
Folder 41: Press Coverage, 2007  
Folder 42: Newsletters, 2007  
Folder 43: Ad Campaigns, 2007  
Folder 44: Events and Promotions, 2007  
Folder 45: Press Coverage, 2008  
Folder 46: Newsletters, 2008  
Folder 47: Ad Campaigns, 2008  
Folder 48: Events and Promotions, 2008  
Folder 49: Press Coverage, 2009  
Folder 50: Ad Campaigns, 2009  
Folder 51: Events and Promotions, 2009  
Folder 52: Press Coverage, 2010  
Folder 53: Ad Campaigns, 2010  
Folder 54: Events and Promotions, 2010  
Folder 55: Annual Reports, 2010  
Folder 56: Press Coverage, 2011  
Folder 57: Events and Promotions, 2011  
Folder 58: Events and Promotions, 2012  
Folder 59: Press Coverage, 2013  
Folder 60: Events and Promotions, 2013  
Folder 61: Press Coverage, 2015  
Folder 62: Events and Promotions, 2015  
Folder 63: Events and Promotions, n.d.  
Folder 64: Volunteer Applications, n.d.

**Box 2:**

Folder 1: Ekizian Designs (Originals), n.d.  
Folder 2: Financials, 1996-1998  
Folder 3: Strategic Plan, 2012-2017  
Folder 4: Human Resource Policies, 2011

Folder 5: Disparities in Prevalence Access to Services & Outcomes, 2004  
Folder 6: Shelter/Housing Needs: Public Hearing Testimony, 2005  
Folder 7: Intimate Partner Abuse Screening Tool, 2002  
Folder 8: Trauma-Informed Approaches LGBT Intimate Partner Violence, 2016

**Series 2: Video and Photo Media Files**

Folder 9: Winter Plunge, 2006-2011 [DVD's & Prints]  
Folder 10: Halloween, 2007-2012 [DVD's]  
Folder 11: Birdman, 2004-2005 [DVD's & Print]  
Folder 12: Miscellaneous, n.d. [DVD's & Print]  
Folder 13: Forms, Ad Designs, Newsletters, n.d [DVD's]

**Series 3: Ephemera**

Community Recognition Award Partners in Transportation, 2005  
Glitter Torch  
T-shirts (White, 2sm 1xl  
Cloth Bags 2