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Selected Readings and Resources on Faith-Based Responses to Domestic and Family Violence

Texts:

Carol Adams & Rev. Marie M. Fortune (eds.), *Violence Against Women and Children: A Christian Theological Sourcebook*, Continuum Press, 1996.

Fran Danis & Lettie Lockhart (eds.), *Domestic Violence: Intersectionality and Culturally Competent Practice*, Columbia University Press, 2010.

Rachel Lev, *Shine the Light: Sexual Abuse and Healing in the Jewish Community*, Northeastern University Press, 2003.

Daniel Maguire & Sa'diyya Shaikh (eds.), *Violence Against Women in Contemporary World Religions: Roots and Cures*. Pilgrim Press, 2007.

Web-Based Resources:

www.connectnyc.org CONNECT

Founded in 1993, CONNECT is a leading, non-profit training, educational and advocacy organization dedicated to the prevention and elimination of interpersonal violence in New York City.

www.tpony.org Turning Point for Women and Families

Turning Point is a community based, non-profit organization addressing the needs of Muslim women and children through crisis intervention, individual and group counseling, advocacy, outreach, education, and training. Responding to the wide gap between needs and services available to New York's Muslim communities, Turning Point offers culturally competent services, especially in the area of domestic violence.

www.faithtrustinstitute.org Faith Trust Institute

The FaithTrust Institute is a multi-faith organization working towards ending domestic and family violence by compiling resources and offering trainings and advocacy to a diversity of communities. Website includes an extensive bibliography with additional readings and resources.

www.saiv.net The Spiritual Alliance to Stop Intimate Violence

A non-profit organization dedicated to stopping intimate violence, with a special emphasis on how DV triggers violence outside the home.

www.peacefulfamilies.org Peaceful Families

Peaceful Families is an international organization focused on ending all forms of domestic violence in Muslim families through education and training.

www.jwi.org Jewish Women International

Jewish Women International “protects the fundamental right of women and girls to live in safe homes” through philanthropy, programming and advocacy.

www.futureswithoutviolence.org Futures Without Violence

Futures Without Violence works with policy makers, advocates and professionals to end domestic violence through education about the importance of healthy relationships.

www.onebillionrising.org One Billion Rising

One Billion Rising is a call to women the world over to act out against domestic violence en masse through public demonstrations and dance on February 14th, 2013.