Domestic Violence Programs Are Now:

Early Successes

- **764** healthcare providers have been trained on domestic violence prevention, assessment, and methods of response.
- **66%** of patients seen at a DVHCP organization reported receiving information about healthy relationships and how to access help, with **60%** reporting that it was either “very helpful” or “helpful.”
- **82%** of clients reported an increased understanding of the effects of domestic violence on personal health after being seen at a DVHCP organization.

Domestic Violence Health Care Partnerships (DVHCP) Project

- Integrates healthcare and domestic violence systems through community collaborations across California.
- Provides training and support for healthcare providers to improve patient screening and access to domestic violence services.
- Trains domestic violence advocates on providing client access to health care.

Foundation investment since 2014: **$5 million**

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- Strong statewide network among community collaborations.
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Health Care Providers Are Now:

- Educating patients on healthy relationships
- Asking patients direct questions about domestic violence
- Connecting survivors to domestic violence services, if abuse is disclosed

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- Increasing their capacity to address health needs of their clients
- Connecting clients to much needed medical and behavioral health services

Blue Shield of California Foundation believes that the health and well-being of communities requires a systemic response to end domestic violence that includes healthcare providers who understand the health impact of domestic violence and can act as catalysts for change.

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