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We invite you to
become a
FRIEND of
NELCWIT.

NELCWIT promotes safer, healthier communities by providing prevention, intervention, and recovery services for victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.

Become a Friend of NELCWIT:

- Make a tax deductible, charitable contribution
- Volunteer your time to help with fundraising and development
- Work collaboratively with NELCWIT's Board of Directors to engage the community in NELCWIT's vision.

To join, please complete the form on the reverse and return to us with your donation.

Why is this work important?

- Approximately 1 in 5 female Massachusetts high school students report being physically and/or sexually abused by a dating partner.
- Nearly 1 out of 7 adult women in Massachusetts has been the victim of forcible rape sometime in her lifetime.
- One study of former welfare recipients in Massachusetts shows that 50% were survivors of domestic violence, with 15% reporting domestic violence in the past year.

—Statistics from the National Coalition Against Domestic Violence

MEET SOME OF OUR FRIENDS!

My reason for joining the Friends of NELCWIT is that I believe in the agency, its mission, and its place in the community. I am willing to be a Friend because I feel that this organization is so important.



Jan Wood of Northfield has worked toward the advancement of human service organizations since 1975.

Why become a Friend of NELCWIT? Because somebody you know and love might be experiencing abuse, and NELCWIT's services could save his or her life.



Zoraida is a former NELCWIT shelter guest.



I am a Friend of NELCWIT because I believe we have a responsibility as individuals and as social change organizations to work to build a strong community, to oppose violence and to provide protection and support for victims of abuse. NELCWIT has provided this foundation for over thirty years and I am proud to be a part of it.

Mary Kociela, a former NELCWIT co-director, is a founding member of the Friends of NELCWIT.



I am a Friend of NELCWIT because I want to live in a more peaceful community. I strongly believe in NELCWIT's three-fold mission: to provide services in violence prevention, intervention, and trauma recovery. And I know that donations of time and money do MATTER!

Anne Wiley is the Founding President of The Friends and a long-time NELCWIT supporter.



I believe in The Friends of NELCWIT because NELCWIT stands for nonviolence, non-discrimination, and respect for women, children and men. NELCWIT stands for educating victims of violence and for giving a helping hand when needed.

Ruth Gallagher, Northfield, was a member of NELCWIT's Board of Directors for more than 10 years.

The Friends of NELCWIT is an independent non-profit organization. All contributions to the Friends support NELCWIT's important work of providing safety for women and children in our community.