

# National Coalition Against Domestic Violence



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## **ABOUT**

NCADV envisions a national culture in which we are all safe, empowered and free from domestic violence.

Our mission is to lead, mobilize and raise our voices to support efforts that demand a change of conditions that lead to domestic violence such as patriarchy, privilege, racism, sexism, and classism. We are dedicated to supporting survivors, holding offenders accountable and supporting advocates.

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# AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- Domestic Violence

- Firearms in DV
- Rape/Sexual Assault
- Stalking
- Homicide
- Economic impact
- Signs of DV
- Dynamics of abuse
- Children and DV



1 in 3 women and 1 in 4 men have been victims of some form of **physical violence** by an intimate partner within their lifetime.



Nearly 20 people per minute are physically abused by an intimate partner in the U.S.



The presence of a gun in a domestic violence situation increases the risk of homicide by 400%

# EXPERTS

## Ruth Glenn, President/CEO

Ms. Ruth M. Glenn is the President/CEO of the National Coalition Against Domestic Violence. Previously, Ms. Glenn was employed by the Colorado Department of Human Services for 28 years and served as the Director of the Domestic Violence Program (DVP) for the last nine of those years. Ruth has worked and volunteered in the domestic violence field for over 20 years and holds a Masters' in Public Administration (MPA) from the University of Colorado Denver, Program on Domestic Violence, as well as a degree in Communications.

Ms. Glenn has served on many domestic violence program and funding boards, provided hundreds of presentations on domestic violence victimization and survival, testified before the Colorado state legislature and the United States Congress, and provided consultation, training and technical assistance on a local and national level on victim/survivor issues as they relate to domestic violence. As a survivor, Ruth also shares her experience to bring awareness about the dynamics of domestic violence. She also intends to continue to tell her story to encourage and empower others to raise their voices about their experiences!



# EXPERTS

## BOARD MEMBERS

Katherine Salazar, Board Chair

Relevant Background:

- Katherine brings not only over 15 years of marketing and business knowledge to NCADV, but also her personal experience dealing with domestic violence as a survivor.



Cheryl Davis, Vice Chair

Relevant Background:

- Manager Domestic Violence Unit
- Division of Criminal Justice, State of Colorado
- Colorado Approved Domestic Violence Offender Treatment Provider
- Clinical Director Abuse Counseling and Treatment, Ft Myers Florida

Rose Garrity, Past Board President

Background:

- Executive Director of A New Hope Center in New York
- Co-founder of the NY Model for Batterer Programs Model
- Oversaw development of a pet rescue related to domestic violence

