HALE MALAMA NEWSLETTER

NEW TEAM MEMBERS

LaRisa Nebre
Non-clinical Case Manager

Vanessa Visitacion
BSW Intern

Anya Schumacher
MSW Intern

Morgan Dobbins
Strength and Resilience VISTA Intern

Maeve O'Donnell Pax
Strength and Resilience VISTA Intern

WHAT DO WE DO

Connecting, supporting, and advocating for student success

Hale Mālama offers FREE services to support:
- Student Human needs
- Well being & Mental health
- Non-clinical Case Management
- Community Based Collaborations

SCAN for website:
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Program Updates

- New team members: LaRisa Nebre (Non-clinical case manager; Vanessa Visitacion & Anya Schumacher (BSW and MSW interns), Maeve O'Donnell Pax & Morgan Dobbins (Sustainability & Resilience VISTA interns)
- Joined PAU Violence Committee as a permanent member
- Collaborated with community members and joined Prevent Suicide Kaua'i Task Force & Kaua'i Domestic Violence Task Force
- Continued and expanded outreach efforts to future soldiers, intro to college students, international students, culinary students, nursing student families, Wai’ale’ale and Kipaipai students, and KCC faculty and staff
- Provided PD events and presentations about student services and art therapy to all UH campuses this summer
- Launched Ohana Guide to provide resources for KCC faculty and staff this fall

Facts about Domestic Violence/Intimate partner Violence:

- On average, nearly 20 people per minute are physically abused by an intimate partner in the United States. During one year, this equates to more than 10 million women and men.
- 1 in 4 women and 1 in 9 men experience various intimate partner violence and its side effects.
- 34.7% of Hawaii women and 24.1% of Hawaii men experience various forms of intimate partner violence.
- Studies have shown that more Native Hawaiian women experience intimate partner violence than non-Hawaiian women. Results are 20.6% of Native Hawaiian women between 18 to 29 years old report experiencing IPV, compared to 13.3% of non-Hawaiian women of the same age range.