



Partnership Against Domestic Violence

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Dear Community Partner,

Partnership Against Domestic Violence (PADV) is proud to announce our 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Hearts with Hope Gala. It will take place on the evening of May 16, 2020 at InterContinental Buckhead Atlanta. Your generous donation supports every aspect of our intervention, prevention and educational programming. You support vital services that are critical to our mission of ending the crime of intimate partner violence and empowering its survivors. Thank you!

### OUR REQUEST

We sincerely hope you will be an essential part of the Hearts with Hope Gala by donating to our auction. Our attendees love bidding on unique travel and dining experiences, event tickets, use of a vacation home, autographed memorabilia, airline miles or hotel points, and gift cards, to name just a few possibilities. To complete the online donation form, go to [www.padvauction.com](http://www.padvauction.com) or return the included form. If you have any questions or would like additional information, please contact either of us using our contact information below.

### WHAT'S IN IT FOR YOU?

You save lives. In addition, you receive tremendous exposure as our gala reaches more than 500 business and community leaders from across metro Atlanta. Your name may appear on printed auction materials and be featured on various web promotions. Donations are 100% tax deductible.

### WHY SUPPORT PADV'S HEARTS WITH HOPE GALA?

- **1 in 4 women** and **1 in 7 men** will experience domestic violence in their lifetime.
- In Georgia, **74%** of domestic violence victims reported staying with an abuser because of financial reasons.
- Every year, **15.5 million** U.S. children live in a home where they witness domestic violence.
- At least **2,035** Georgia victims lost their lives due to domestic violence (during 2013-2018).
- **6,152** victims and children utilized **452,998** nights of refuge in a Georgia domestic violence shelter (in 2018).
- Georgia's certified domestic violence agencies supported **45,715** crisis calls (in 2018).

PADV is the largest domestic violence agency in Georgia and gracious donors like you are contributing to saving lives. Enclosed is more information on our organization and upcoming gala. Please show your support today to help us give domestic violence victims a better tomorrow!

Thank you,

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Partnership Against Domestic Violence (PADV) has provided professional, compassionate and empowering support to victims of intimate partner violence and their children since 1977. We are the largest domestic violence organization in Georgia, with the mission to end the crime of intimate partner violence and empower its survivors. Over the last year, PADV provided services to over **15,000** individuals and reached an additional **34,000** people through community education and awareness. PADV was highlighted in the media **44** times, reaching **10,000,000** individuals. Here is how we impacted our community:

**49,000** lives were supported by **PADV**, **23%** more than last year.

### Legal Advocacy



**92%** of TPO's applied for were granted.  
**5,244** individuals were assisted with legal advocacy services.

Services include help with filing for a temporary protective order, assistance with completing legal paperwork and accompaniment and advocacy through the often intimidating and complex judicial system.

### Supportive Housing



**111** people were served through PADV's community-based apartments, a **69%** increase from the previous year.

This program offers rental, utility, childcare, employment, legal and educational assistance, as well as ongoing case management and support.

### Teen Dating Programming



To have a strong impact on ending the crime of intimate partner violence, we must start with youth.

PADV reached **11,158** youth, parents and youth serving adults with our teen dating violence prevention program curriculum.

### Shelter



**81%** of clients exited to safe housing.

PADV served **93,426** meals and housed **498** people - **255** women, **1** man and **242** children - for **31,142** bed nights in our two safe houses.

Clients sheltered set **913** goals to work on while in the shelter and achieved **90%** of these goals.

### Hotline



**8,409** calls were answered by PADV's crisis line staff and volunteers.

Callers received safety planning, information, support, and access to shelter and community resources.

### Community Outreach



**1,094** people were served through community outreach.

Services include support groups, counseling, advocacy, follow-up, and safety check-ins.

### Community Education and Awareness



PADV believes that education is the key to ending domestic violence.

Over **23,000** individuals attended a PADV community education and awareness event.

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**AUCTION DONATION FORM**

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Donor Name:

*(as it should be  
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**Item Description:** *(Please be detailed.)*

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**ESTIMATED RETAIL VALUE:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**How will this item make it to PADV?**

- Item will be mailed to the address below.
- Item enclosed.
- Not a tangible item. PADV may create a certificate for presentation purposes.
- Item will be given to the following PADV staff member or Hearts with Hope Committee member (specify individual below):

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**Requirements & Restrictions:** *(Expiration dates, age limits, etc.)*

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**Signature:**

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**Date:**

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**Please submit auction items and forms by Wednesday, April 1, 2020.** Once your auction donation has been received, you will be sent an acknowledgement letter stating the tax deductibility of your contribution. PADV is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization; federal tax ID #58-1314556. Submit this form and your auction item(s) to:

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**THANK YOU FOR MAKING A DIFFERENCE WITH YOUR CONTRIBUTION TO PADV!**

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## AUCTION WISH LIST

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1. **EXPERIENCES** Items and experiences that cannot be purchased elsewhere. Examples:
  - Private in-home dinner cooked by a celebrity chef
  - An exclusive party for friends, family and/or colleagues in a unique setting
  - Exclusive transportation (e.g. ride on a hot air balloon, yacht, private jet, helicopter)
  - Awards show tickets (e.g. Grammy's, Oscar's, Golden Globe's, Teen Choice)
  - The chance to interact with someone well-known (e.g. lunch with an influential personality, a famous athlete coaching a little league practice, golf with the CEO of a Fortune 500 company)
  - A walk-on role for a movie or tv show or a tour of the set
  - Behind the scenes tours, guests to shadow a live-taping or sports commentator
2. **TRAVEL** Staycations to exotic getaways: Hotel stays and transportation in Georgia or anywhere in the world. Examples:
  - Hotel stays, points or vacation home stays
  - Airline gift cards (e.g. Delta, Southwest)
  - Car service gift cards (e.g. Uber, Lyft)
3. **WINE & DINE** Dining experiences for all occasions. Examples:
  - Chef's table with wine pairing at an Atlanta restaurant, with VIP reservations
  - Gift card to a trendy burger joint or Atlanta's top tier restaurants
  - Bottles of bourbon, other superb liquors, magnums of fine wine and top-notch champagne
  - Behind the scenes tour at an Atlanta brewery
4. **SPORTS & ENTERTAINMENT** Hottest tickets and box seats in town! Examples:
  - NFL, NBA, NHL, NASCAR, MLB, Atlanta United FC, or SEC game tickets or box seats
  - Concert Suite or Box Seats (e.g. Mercedes Benz, State Farm Arena, Infinite Energy Arena, Ameris Bank Amphitheatre, Cobb Energy Performing Arts Centre, Chastain table)
  - Backstage passes to meet an artist/performer/athlete
  - Theatre Tickets (e.g. The Fox Theatre, play, comedy show)
  - The Magic of Disney World tickets
  - Behind the scene experiences (e.g. Georgia Aquarium, Zoo Atlanta)
  - Golf lessons
  - Golf foursomes at exclusive golf clubs (e.g. East Lake)
  - Autographed sports/music memorabilia
5. **GIFT CARDS**
  - Whether for retail stores or restaurants, those valued over \$100 for any well-known brand will do.
6. **HOT & TRENDY ITEMS** These items are for the fashionista, socialite, techy or modern man. They include top-of-the-line gadgets and the latest styles. Examples:
  - Electronics
  - Designer handbags
  - High-tech watches
  - Use of a luxury or exotic car (e.g. Porsche, Mercedes, Lamborghini, Bentley, Maserati, Bugatti)

UNPREFERRED AUCTION ITEMS: Items that do not tend to auction very well are those for medical, business and personal services. (e.g. hair stylists, personal trainers, financial planners, CPA's, etc.)