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Reps. Donna Edwards and Sue Myrick Co-Chairs, Violence Against Women Task Force, Congressional Caucus for Women's Issues

> Reps. Jan Schakowsky and Mary Fallin Co-Chairs, Congressional Caucus for Women's Issues and

Reps. Gwen Moore and Kay Granger Vice-Chairs, Congressional Caucus for Women's Issues

invite you to a lunch briefing:

Economic Abuse and its Role in Domestic Violence

Tuesday, October 20, 2009 12-1:30 p.m. 345 Cannon House Office Building (Cannon Caucus Room)

SPEAKERS

Judy L. Postmus, Ph.D., Director and Founder, Center on Violence Against Women and Children, Assistant Professor of Social Work, Rutgers University, will discuss the problem of economic abuse and its role in domestic violence.

Kalyn Risker, Founder and Executive Director, Sisters Acquiring Financial Empowerment (SAFE), Detroit, Michigan, will speak to her organization's work to equip survivors of domestic violence with the appropriate financial tools and resources needed to enable women to leave or recover from the economic portion of domestic violence.

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Please RSVP in the affirmative only to Women's Policy, Inc. by Thursday, October 15, by <u>clicking here</u>, faxing this form to (202) 554-2346, calling us at (202) 554-2323, or e-mailing <u>diane@womenspolicy.org</u>.

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