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**PARTNERSHIP TO HOLD TRAINING SEMINAR FOR SALON PROFESSIONALS ON HOW TO RECOGNIZE,
RESPOND TO, AND REFER VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC ABUSE TO HELP**

Chattanooga, TN – January 11, 2019- To raise awareness of the nationwide epidemic of domestic abuse and train salon professionals to recognize the signs and safely and confidentially refer clients, co-workers, friends and family to resources for help, Partnership for Families, Children, and Adults (Partnership) is holding a CUT IT OUT: Salons Against Domestic Abuse training session at 1800 McCallie Avenue on Tuesday, January 14 from 9 a.m. to Noon.

The training session will cover how salon professionals are in a unique position to recognize signs of abuse, what to look for, how to approach a possible victim, and how to help them get help.

CUT IT OUT: Salons Against Domestic Abuse is a program of the PBA Foundation. CUT IT OUT is dedicated to mobilizing salon professionals and others to fight the epidemic of domestic abuse in communities across the U.S. by building awareness and training salon professionals to recognize warning signs and safely refer clients, colleagues, friends and family to local resources.

Partnership has been in Chattanooga for more than 140 years has a family shelter for victims of domestic violence along with other victim support services.

For more information on this training event or to RSVP, please contact: Contact Constance Dawes-Shazier at 423-755-2840 or cdawes@partnershipfca.com

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The Partnership for Families, Children and Adults has been serving the Tennessee Valley community for 140 years through professional counseling, crisis intervention, and prevention services. It began with the 1877 establishment of the Ladies Aid Society, which later became the Florence Crittenton Home. Under direction of United Way, The Florence Crittenton Service, Family Service Agency and Travelers Aid Society merged into Community Services of Greater Chattanooga, Inc. in 1973. In 1981, the agency assumed the name Family and Children's Services of Chattanooga, Inc., and in 2003 became the Partnership for Families, Children and Adults.