



Winter State CIP 2018

Breaking Free SPM
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Hello Local and District Program Managers!

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Thank you so much everyone for all the help and donations to Breaking Free this year. It really changes the lives and attitudes of so many women and their children and families.

PLEASE REMEMBER YOUR TRANSMITTALS AND REPORTING SERVICE HOURS. So many chapters are doing such great work fundraising and volunteering and we need to record these hours and donations. Let's work together to finish strong.

There is still a need to help purchase the van! Please keep this goal in mind when you are holding your fundraisers. Women and children are all piling into cars unbuckled and infants/toddlers/children not in car seats to get to their events and groups throughout the program. With the purchase of a new or used van, children will be buckled in their car seats as well as their families buckled in next to them. Safe transportation has been one of my bigger concerns as groups are mandatory for these women to attend. It is what teaches them how to live healthier lives and recover from unhealthy people. **Unfortunately**, they do not have safe transportation for themselves and their children but this is crucial to their successful recovery. Wouldn't it be awesome to know we were able to keep them safe? Every little bit helps!

THANK YOU FROM



BREAKING FREE!

On Saturday, December 9th, Breaking Free held its Annual Christmas Party. It was a HUGE success! There was plenty of food, wonderful decorations and Santa that provided gifts for all. Thank you ladies!



Presidential SUCCESS Bonus Points for 3rd Trimester

Purchases of at least \$100 for state ways and means in any combination of state store, third trimester promotional, and online clothing and apparel purchases. (50 points)
and/or

Submit a nomination for one of the Community Connections Awards. (50 points)
and/or

Show Chapter Growth for third trimester. (50 points)
or

Hold an M-event and sign 3 members 3rd trimester. (100 points)

MAXIMUM of 100 Bonus Points

LPM and DPM Trimester Reports

Keep those reports and transmittals coming in! SERVICE HOURS ARE HUGE!

The 3rd Trimester LPM reports are due April 24th. When filling out an online form, the programming area is "Priority-Area" and my email is Priority-Area@mnwt.org.
http://mnwt.org/bof/form_report_lpm_trimester.htm

The 3rd Trimester DPM reports are due April 30th. Find this report online, in your book of forms or in your LOTS training manual.
http://www.mnwt.org/bof/form_report_dpm_trimester.htm.

ONLINE REPORTING GUIDELINES

ANOTHER VERY VALUABLE TOOL IS ONLINE REPORTING. LPM AND DPM REPORTS AND TRANSMITTALS CAN ALL BE REPORTED ONLINE AT WWW.MNWT.ORG. THE LINK FOR THE LPM TRIMESTER REPORT IS [HTTP://MNWT.ORG//BOF/FORMS_RESULTS.PHP?FORMSID-S](http://MNWT.ORG//BOF/FORMS_RESULTS.PHP?FORMSID-S). FIND AND COMPLETE THE APPROPRIATE FORMS; YOUR REPORT WILL IMMEDIATELY BE SENT TO YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS.

BREAKING FREE 3rd Trimester Challenge

The 3rd Trimester Challenge is to "Buy a Piece of the Van"



Van Needed to Help Safely Transport the Women and Children of Breaking Free!

You can help by "buying" a piece of the van. (jigsaw puzzle piece will represent your piece)

The idea is for chapters and districts to donate money for the van and put this van together piece by piece. When we are done, we will have raised the money needed to for the van. Raise the amount of money it would take to purchase a piece of the van. Our goal will be for every chapter to raise \$250.

1. Return your piece to me by April 20, 2018 with your donation. For every chapter with a donation of \$100 or more I will have a prize. If you need a piece of jigsaw puzzle to decorate, please contact me 612-819-1662.
2. All chapters/districts/members who purchase a piece of the van, decorate (write a message) and return the piece and money to me will be in a drawing for a gift. The decorated puzzle once completed will be given to Breaking Free in a frame.

