

# ¡ANDALE! ENLACE!



**We need your help today.** The current anti-immigrant environment is exacerbating the fear and violence that immigrant domestic violence (DV) survivors experience, making the breadth of need and level of intensiveness of Enlace Comunitario's (EC) services and programs even higher. External pressures of income instability, limited health care access, shifting documentation requirements, and deportation threats, compound interpersonal violence dynamics facing EC's clients with abusers leveraging every challenge facing a survivor to their advantage.

This increased need comes at a time when EC is experiencing a serious cash flow problem — in part from reimbursement timing from public funders and in part from unrestricted funding losses. This hardship was recently heightened by an unexpected \$120,000 cut to our civil legal services funding which had remained steady for many years. Given the hostile environment towards immigrants, we anticipate our access to public funding may fall significantly while, at the same time, the need for our services will continue to rise exponentially. EC recognizes the urgent need to diversify our funding for sustainability, with an emphasis on securing immediate unrestricted funds.

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Enlace is more committed than ever to advancing our mission and continuing our life saving services. **We need to raise an additional \$125,000 to address our funding challenges, and we need your support to be successful.** We are contacting our donors, hosting small fundraising events, starting a social media campaign and asking our supporters to help expand our network and join our circle. The flexibility of unrestricted funding allows us to be responsive to client and community needs as they emerge. Despite our financial challenges, EC is strong: we are fiscally responsible, our services continue to be outstanding, and we have a high level of support from community members.

## About Enlace

Enlace Comunitario has been working to eliminate domestic violence and promote healthy families in the Latino immigrant community in Central New Mexico through Spanish-language domestic violence intervention services, community education, leadership development, and policy advocacy since 2000.

EC has a nationally recognized leadership development program that trains former youth and adult domestic violence survivors who have received services at Enlace as leaders (Promotoras) of the anti-violence movement and community educators.

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