

**SANTA CLARA COUNTY VIOLENCE PREVENTION INFORMATION LIBRARY PROJECT  
(CONTINUATION)**

The Santa Clara County Public Health Department contracted Sociometrics to continue to provide assistance with the development of the Violence Prevention Information Library (VPIL), a centralized data system that would bring together multiple, diverse data sources in order to permit the on-going assessment of the scope and magnitude of the violence problem in the County and evaluation of violence prevention efforts. (Sociometrics' work on VPIL began under Project 100.)

Under this contract, Sociometrics collaborated with the Public Health Department to:

- Facilitate meetings of the VPIL Data Workgroup, Interagency Policy Committee, and other stakeholders.
- Facilitate the transfer of information about source databases and data system requirements among VPIL staff and data partners.
- Develop of Letters of Agreement and MOUs for data partners.
- Draft sections of VPIL Technical Plan, including an Evaluation Plan for the data system.
- Prepare grant proposals for further VPIL funding.
- Facilitate collaboration with related data system efforts.
- Aid in designing VPIL reports.
- Aid in initial data analysis and reporting.
- Develop recommendations for changes in agency data collection.

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