



The R.O.S.E. Fund
REGAINING ONE'S SELF ESTEEM

Free Medical Services and a \$10,000 ROSE Award Available
to Women Survivors of Domestic Violence

Greetings from the ROSE Fund!

As you may know, The R.O.S.E. Fund (Regaining One's Self Esteem) is a national non-profit, based in Boston MA, chartered to break the silence and the cycle of domestic violence (DV). Our programs increase DV awareness in the community and recognize, assist and empower women who have broken the cycle of domestic violence. The ROSE Fund enables women survivors to rebuild their lives by providing them with a wide range of medical and dental procedures, facial reconstructive surgeries, cash awards and scholarship monies.

Although the economic climate has been challenging and most of our 2009 scholarship dollars have dried up, The ROSE Medical Network and Reconstructive Surgery Program has expanded dramatically in 2009. The range of medical services we provide include:

- A full range of facial plastic and reconstructive surgeries including scar revisions (from cuts and burns) and rhinoplasty (i.e. nose jobs).
- Medical services and surgeries associated with the head, neck, ears, nose and throat (ENT) to include nasal, larynx/voice box, breathing/respiratory and hearing issues.
- Dental and orthodontic issues ranging from chipped and missing teeth, gum disorders and other more cosmetic dental issues.
- Oral/Maxillofacial procedures associated with injuries of the jaw and associated eating and chewing issues

Do you know of a woman who has been injured or disfigured as a result of domestic violence that would be a worthy recipient of these free medical services??

There are only a few eligibility criteria:

1. The injury must be a direct result of a DV incident,
2. We require proof of financial need,
3. The applicant must be in a safe place

APPLY NOW!

We're also looking for your help in nominating DV survivors for our 2009 ROSE Award (\$10,000.00).

This is an opportunity for a courageous woman to be recognized for her strength and resolve in breaking the cycle of domestic violence. The Award Winner, in addition to a \$10,000 cash award, will have a platform from which to tell the story of her journey into, through and out of domestic violence. Our well-attended Annual Awards Gala will be held on Tuesday October 13th from 5:30 to 9:00 at the Copley Fairmont Hotel in Boston.

Do you know of an inspirational woman who has survived domestic violence and has a powerful story to tell? Please nominate her for the 2009 ROSE Award.

NOMINATE NOW!

Thank you for your help and consideration in reaching these women, and your shared commitment to ending domestic violence.

Sincerely,
The R.O.S.E. Fund
Dan Walsh
Chairman and Executive Director

About R.O.S.E. Fund

Since its inception in 1992, ROSE has profoundly impacted the lives of hundreds of women by providing them with more than \$1 million in scholarships, awards and medical services. We invest in these women, their families (80% of our recipients are mothers) and their futures. As a result, these women have been able to re-build their lives, achieve self-sufficiency, and regain their self-esteem. Many of these courageous women have gone on to become vital voices in our communities, serving with us as powerful advocates in increasing DV awareness, education and prevention.

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