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ASCADSV’s ultimate vision is to build and weave existing supports and infrastructures to further create a safe and healthy island community as stated in its vision. ASCADSV continues to fulfill this through numerous and simultaneous processes: strengthening itself as an organization; continuing to advocate for the development of services for victims of sexual and family violence and by providing support to other struggling organizational members; and offering services to victims of violence through these organizations. The consistency of being able to continue activities in the community ‘big or small’ are building blocks to a larger vision of providing and building on existing cultural, faith based and community infrastructures to sustain effective and accessible services and support systems for victims and survivors of family and sexual violence.

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VARO is a grassroots organization that provides immediate crisis intervention services to victims of violent crime and trauma. It provides a 24-hour hotline, emotional support, emergency transportation & temporary shelter, information & referrals, personal advocacy, and safety planning. It has two paid staff and is run by volunteers (currently 39).

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Founded in 2001, Guma’ Esperansa (women’s shelter) provides sanctuary, counseling, and advocacy to meet the needs of victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, and human trafficking in the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands. All shelter service are free and confidential and are available to victims and their children regardless of citizenship, ethnicity, or immigration status.
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The FVTF Office is based on a one-stop shop concept that allows victims to access social workers, law enforcement officers and prosecutors in one place. The unified relationship of service providers helps to keep the victims from falling through the cracks in the system. Various services are provided, including assistance to restraining orders, access to counseling, shelter and advocacy.

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