Foundations to the Future a Prevention Approach to Sexual and domestic Violence

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Ashley: Welcome! We will begin at the top of the hour.

Ashley: As you join, please say where you are calling had or plan to have for lunch!

Marissa: Good morning Ashley,

Hannah: Hello everyone. We are calling in from Oakland, CA. Not too sure about lunch yet ;)

Marissa: I would like know if we will be able to print out the power point

Ashley: Yes indeed. Slides are posted in .pdf format at preventconnect.org.

Abby: I'm in not so sunny Pasadena. I am having a kale salad with pecans, dried apricots, and avocado.

Marissa: Hello Everyone, We are calling from Stockton CA, lunch sounds good right now, I will have a salad

Ashley: I will be having a nice vegan gyro bowl.

Daniel: testing.

Ashley: Hello, Dan.

Laura: Hello, I am from Dallas, TX and just had some chipotle!!

Sara: Hello, I am calling from Fort Dodge, Iowa. Not sure about lunch...my co-worker is going to surprise me :)

JoAnne: Joining from St. Paul, Minnesota. Today's menu is yogurt with granola and berries.

Amat: Hi! We're calling from Santa Cruz, CA. leftover meatloaf and mashed potatoes for lunch! :)

Tanya: I am having a quinoa salad with salmon for today's lunch.Welcome everyone!

Callie: Grasston, MN here. chicken tacos and stuffed jalapenos

Andrea: Good afternoon. Calling from Ontario, Canada. It's 2:00pm and I already ate lunch :-)

Mallory: 46 cloudy and windy in Bismarck, ND - had reheated stir fry for lunch

Diane: Diane calling from Camrose, Alberta

Sharon:Frpm West Palm Beach. enjoyed my own cooking: ginger sesame chicken

Gloria: Gloria from Wilmington North Carolina, Great afternoon to all!

Katie: Katie from Dillon, CO. still on coffee but lunch after this webinar!

Chinwe: Chinwe calling in from Atlanta, GA. Greetings everyone!

Joe: Joe with Breakthrough, lifetime New Yorker living noww in Bloomington Indiana, had chix sandwich and potato salad!

Janet: Janet, Charlotte, NC - good afternoon!

Matthew: Matt Tyler from West Palm Bch, FL. green tea and meal bar...healthy advocate month!

Joahn: Hello all from Georgia!

Annie: Greetings from Long Beach, CA. Looking forward to the conversation.

Rhonda: Listening from Oregon City, near Portland, Oregon.

Dawn McKee: Hi, Joining from State College, PA. Salad for lunch!

Prevention Institute: Hello from the Prevention Institute staff in Oakland, CA!

Hannah G: Hello from snowy South Lake Tahoe

Nan: Nan: Monticello FL

Connie: is there sound yet?

Abby: Joe, I'm also a lifetime New Yorker and was going to be named Joseph if I had been born a boy!

Lisa:Lisa Weisz, Beulah ND

Chinwe: No

NANCY: Listening from Maryland.

Jen Rice: Listening from Iowa

Joe: Abby - that is crazy!

Joe: I wonder if I was almost Abby...

LaMorris: I plan to have Buffalo Wings, Collard Greens and Fried Okra.

Dana: Sound?

Chinwe: No sound yet

Fai: Calling from Hokah, MN

Diane: I can not hear anything

Fern: Hello from PCADV!!

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Jazmin: Hello from Center Against Sexual Assault in gloomy San Jacinto, CA

Chinwe: see it

Callie: MNCASA mass e-mail

Heather: Forwarded from a colleague

Rhonda: From my colleague, Randy Ellison.

Nancy: PC

Tara: Forwarded from a colleague

Kerry: Forwarded from Wyoming coalition

Elena: Forwarded from a colleague

Marcos: was encouraged by our director to do it. i assume he is on one of your email groups

Chinwe: from NSVRC website

Audrey: CA Partnership Newlsetter

Alexis: Forwarded from boss

Andrea: colleague

Nancy B: No sound-saw the notification-thank you!

Candy: I think it was another email group, but I honestly don't remember!

Karen McElhaney: Hello, Karen....having tuna salad in Punta Gorda, Fl

Gloria: Prevention Institute's email alert

Marissa: Hi Ashley, I was not able to print out the slides, they are not coming out. They have words on top of words. can you send me a link? or send me the slides?

Nancy B: PI email alert

Daniel: Met Annie at a DC Defending Childhood Conference

NANCY: Co-worker e-mailed me information.

Nancy B: PC email announcement-both

Paula: PreventConnect email

James: PC email was forwarded to me - i signed up for this since it seemed relevant to my work

Bonnie: I have just told people about these webinar opportunities in our Newsletter - I listed PreventConnect as a potential resource. Our newsletter goes out to about 400 people as an electronic document.

Tara: Email forwarded to me was from the Prevention Institute

NANCY: My 1st, I so like it!!

Nancy B: yes- 3 or more classes

Tanya: Thank you Bonnie for sharing Prevent Connect in your newsletter!

Gloria: Yes, I have attended 1-2 PreventConnect web conferences

Joe: Indiana State Dept of Health email with conferences and webinar resources listed

Candy: Oh, I have found where I got it -- an email list for homeless youth providers in Illinois.

Gabriela: Hi! Yes, I have attended 1-2

Daniel: My 1st also. Thrilled to be included

Prevention Institute: If you are having trouble viewing the webinar slides, they are posted here: <http://preventioninstitute.org/press/calendar/event/598.html>

NANCY: Domestic Violence Unit

Heather: local health department (county)

Nancy B: Rape Crisis Center

Karen Swanson: County Public Health Department

Gloria: Sexual Violence Agency/Human Trafficking Rapid Response Team

Rhonda: Ecumenical/Interfaitih campaign against sexual and gender-based violence. wewillspeakout.us

Christina: Columbia University

Robin Christianson: Supervised Visitation

Rita Smith: Private consultant, previously worked in a national organization

Pat: Domestic Violence Agency or Coalition

Joe: Global human rights org focus on VAW prevention

Annell: Dual DV, Rape crisis Center

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Daniel: The Center for the Study of Sport in Society at Northeastern is a university-affiliated social justice organization

Ashley: Slides are available today in .pdf format via preventconnect.org. Click on "conferences."

Nancy B: Lorain County Rape Crisis/NORD Center, Innovative Solutions-First Responder Rape Crisis, Guardian ad Litem (State of Ohio and Lorain County, OH-Mediator and Life Coach w/emphasis on Trauma Related Issues, OH

Brandi: Brandi: Refuge House Sexual Trauma Assault Response Team Coordinator Taylor County Florida

Callie: I'm founding "Students Abroad Sexual Assault Resource Initiative" SASARI

Ashley: Thank you all for joining us today! It's great to be joined by such wonderful organizations and practitioners.

Melita: Hello, I was wondering if we will have the slides sent to us?

Pamela: Have you seen the documentary film "The Mask You Live In" about society and media promotion of hypermasculinity and its relationship to violence ond other negative outocmes?

Sara: I could not locate the slides on the website

Melita: Also, will this be recorded so we can listen to it again?

Deena: I like to say that we're trying to change the environment so that the healthy choice is the easy choice

Ashley: <http://www.preventconnect.org/2015/04/from-foundations-to-the-future-a-prevention-approach-to-sexual-and-domestic-violence/> for the slides.

Pamela: Objectification of women !

Joahn: objectifying women

Bonnie: women are not people, they are objects

Amanda: Awful image of a woman!

Kathy: Sexual objectification of women

Annell: Hypersexuaizes women, causing them to be seen as sexual objects

Katie: no consideration of consent

Prevention Institute: What does this have to do with sexual and domestic violence?

Ashleigh: It makes women in objects. When you view someone as an object, it becomes easier to abuse them

Megann B: Reinforces the idea that women's bodies are objects to be bought/sold/used

Paula: Objectification and consumption of women

Chinwe: women seen as sex object

Christina: It promotes the idea that women's bodies are available for anyone.

Dana: woman looks ambivalent about sex, not enthusiastic

Candy:  Makes women look like they invite it

Joe: OMG it is horrible!!! stereotypes of women as always wanting sex. only being useful for sex, etc etc

Hannah: women as submissive

Rick: Assumes consent is always there

Dana: Women's role mainly being for sexual gratification

Hannah G: perpetuates women as sex objects

Patti: Normalizes Objectification of women

Deena: sex as a commodity

Bonnie: the pose is very submissive and powerless

Sanja: women are just objects that should be open and available to men at any time for sex

Brandi: This slide normalizes objectification of women. Our children are learning that a womans body is made just for the pleasure of men.

Vanita: women are things, do what you want with me

Marcos: implies that passive availalitilty to womesn sexuality is welcome and normal

Laura: pure disgust. they clearly aren't selling clothes in this ad

Hannah: objectifying women

Morgan: it causes youth to see this as the norm when they see it all the time

Fai: Its ponography and normalizes this for perpatrators

Morgan: normalizes the behavior

Hannah G: Man box

Pamela: Girls are stupid

Annell: focuses girls' value on looks

Christina: Girls aren't smart and aren't supposed to be.

Tara: women are for worth nothing more than their sexuality

Brandi: That to me is just as glarring

Amanda: It shows that men are smart and women are not.

Paula: Only value is looks, not brains. Need men to think for women

Hannah: devalues female intellect

Candy:  Message: girls aren't as smart as boys

Casey: Girls can't be both pretty and smart

Bonnie: Girls are not smart, girls are dependent on men

Laura: girls aren't as smart as boys

Fai: girls are only to be looked at

Amat: disempowers young girls and women

Rick: Reinforces stereotypical gender roles and binary gender structure

Tara: emphasis on looks

Curley: Paints picture that women are only concerned with image

Annell: Assumes boys are smarter

Megann B: Emphasizes a girl's looks over brain.

Joahn: That women are dumb

Patti: Value/worth is based on beauty

Shannon: Shows stereotype that if a woman is considered pretty they don't have to work as hard

Ashleigh: this reenforces the idea that women are just there for sexual and beauty purposes.

Amanda: women are valued for beauty not brains

Joe: Another stereotype reinforcement: only thing that matters is looks. doen't inspire girls to reach for goals.

Hannah G: intelligence doesn't matter for success in life for women

Kathy: Men are intellectually superior to women

Hannah: men have to take control

Megann: a womans worth is based on her looks rather than her smarts

Chinwe: women not intellectual

Daniel: The hyper-sexualization of women create an framework of objectivication and degradationn

Pat: Men have to think for women

Sanja: the idea that girls don't need to be smart/independent

Alycia: supports damaging gender socialization

Joahn: this is awful

Dana: Reinforces male gender being valued higher than females

Heather: women need to depend on women

Rhonda: Anti-intellectualism is the issue here: saw it as a teacher for 30 years: girls aren't attractive if they are too smart (and boys aren't cool if they study; they need to be jocks not nerds)

Robin Christianson: females depend on males

Vanitacontinues sterotype - that women/girl are just pretty

NANCY: it's disturbing, almost giving the impression girls need a male figure to think and do for them because they are not able to on their own

Pamela: The only thing of value for girls is HOW THE LOOK

Megann B: Girls can use their body/looks to get out of homework (again, using bodies to barter)

Bonnie: looks are more important than smarts for girls

Ruben Garcia: Promotes gender stereoptypes and roles

Melita: women/girls are not capable and need men/boys to do things for them. We are too stupid - the ouside is better than the insdid

Gloria: No brains just a sexual object

Charles: Promotes the idea that women are "open" to sexual advances

Paula: Reinforces gender roles

Tara: gender roles

Annell: Reinforces gender roles

Katie: gender norms

Pat: Cleaning is a womans job only

Megann B: Reinforces gender stereotypes

Hannah: your place belongs in the house

Joahn: gender roles

Vanitacontinues gender sterotyping

Joe: reinforces traditional gender roles.

Haleigh Harrold: Reinforces strict gender norms

Sanja: further's the excepectation that domestic work is women's work

Sara: Re-enforces gender roles

Ashleigh: reenforces "women's work" ideas

Laura: that only women can clean the house

Christina: this is what a women is supposed to do

Robin Christianson: only mom's vacuum

Hannah: only women girls clean

SueAnn Schierloh Schierloh: Reinforces gender stereotypes

Morgan: girls belong in the house

Marcos: women place = home little girls toys = train them for Home work

Rick: Reinforces the binary system of gender roles

Charles: Communicates that females are illequip to think logically

Chinwe: girla meant for house chores

Julia: gender and racial stereotypes about who does housework

Brandi: I think if boys and girls are able to play with these tows and it be normal then it would be a wonderful toy.

Melita: Uggh. Women belong in the house - as well as their daugters

Bonnie: "women's work"

Charles: Demostic work is best suited for women

Amanda: do they have a version for boys?

Abby: Women need to clean up other peoplws' messes

Gwendolyn: that black women are 'dirty' devils!

Morgan: Also gender and racial

Sara: No women in the boardroom

Joahn: no women at the board room table

Paula: Men hold the power and make the decisions

Laura: only men are successful in the business world

Patti: all men around the table.

Joahn: glass ceiling

Sanja: it's a man's world....women are not welcome

Chinwe: women not in the circle of professionala

Brandi: Only men have power

Christina: Only men can be sucessful and powerful

Sara: women do not make decisions

Hannah: men dominate

Charles: Leaders, business people are men, men represent power, influence and authority

Joe: only men are leaders. women cannot be leaders.

Pamela: All men in the Borad Roon mo room for Women in th "G" suite

Sharon:the boy's club

Candy: all white men

Melita: boy's Club - men are those in power - women have no place in the board room " Men on top" sexual innuendo

Megann B: Women do not belong in corporate America

Dana: men are the decision makers

Annell: Reinforces men are natural leaders and innovators, and powerful

Pat: Only men are successful and powerful

Bonnie: all white men

Tara: Men are powerful and successful

Hannah: men are leaders

James: Men are in charge

Elena: Inter-sectionality of privilege- race and gender

Ashleigh: men are the only people in powerful positions. Women are left out of major decision making roles

Marcos: professionalism is masculine

Vanita: white men are leaders

Hannah: it looks like they are all white

Curley: Race also plays role, no men of color

Marcos: femininity is not professional

Medina: only men will reach the top

Pamela: Man are in the Board Room and women are not in the C-SUITE

Morgan: only white men belong and are successful in business..

Candy: men = power over

Gwendolyn: only white men can be on top

Rhonda: Just decided - Going to wear a man's suit to the Battered Women's Custody Conference! :)

Heather: normalizes systemic barriers that prevent women and other gender non-conforming ppl from becoming CEOs,

Brandi: Rhonda that is great. Love the idea.

Pamela: See the documentary THE MASK YOU LIVE IN

Ashleigh: I love this

Melita: "Pimp hats" for boys at Halloween also reinforces both domestic and sexual violence

Pamela: Do they have them in Women’s sizes!?

Sarah: What is this company called?

Abby: Those are great shirts! People other than girls and women can wear the shirts.

Gloria: Looks like parents play an important part in forming conscience, self-esteem and validation!

Bonnie: love the shirts

Lisa: Will you be sending out slides?

Pamela: Rape Culture on college campus see THE HUNTING GROUND

Schaim : You can download them on preventconnect.org, Lisa Weisz. Go to "conferences"

Lisa: Thank you.

Heather: The socialization of girls is also teaching boys about masculinity too. This feels just as important to this conversation.

Ashley: Heather - this is definitely addressed today!

Tanya: Pamela, thank you for bring up the issue on college campus!

Pamela: Yes I am co hosting a screening of THE HUNTING GROUND at UCR on May 12

Shannon : the audio is cutting out

Brandi: I saw The Hunting Ground in Tallahassee and it was great.

Jazmin: our agency got it screened at MT San Jacinto College, it was a great turn out, with discussion after. awesome to have people come out to those events

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Julia: LOVE Roxane Gay!!!!!!

Tanya: Julia, so glad you are familiar with Roxane!

Casey: "If you lighten up anymore, you'll float away" I love that quote, and can relate!

Schaim : & white

Prevention Institute: Where else do you see these norms playing out?

Cynthia: Toys for girls very limited

Heather: sports marketing

Brandi: Football

Amanda: music

Katie: television

Sara: In the church

Amanda: movies

Annie: video games

JoAnne: school dress codes

Amanda C: Some churches/faith-based groups

Joe: Girls in high school thinking its ok for their boyfriends to tell them what to wear if they are "dressing like a slut"

Mallory: marketing of toys - pink vs blue

Kristin: street harassment

Amanda: video games

Bonnie: colors for toys, bikes, etc

Marcos: in classroom spaces – man-terrupting, talking over women

Heather: political debates

Marissa: media

Claudia: sports, music, video games

Fai: who get good jobs and paid well

Chinwe: TV shows and ads

Elena: schools

April: cigarette ads

Ashleigh: Is "everywhere" an ok response?

Joe: In my family

Melita: music/music videos, newspaper articles, jokes and stories (5 shades of grey!!)

Annie: cartoons

Rick: You can even find these in subcultures: LGBTQ community

Hannah: focus on the First Lady

Susan: fast food marketing

Daniel: Workplace pay inequity

Megann B: In social relationships (reactions of friends/family)

Hannah: youth lit

Nancy: sports - cheerleaders

Pamela: Media all over internet PORNOGRAPHY is a huge issue

Marcos: meeting situations - disregard for women’s participation, interrupting

Bonnie: definitely in churches unfortunately

Rhonda: Fundamentalist religious expressions

Brandi: Reality TV

Elena: politics

Sharon: medicine-based on male studies

Amanda: toys

Nancy: showing up in the presidential campaigning

Fai: makes violence a norm

Amanda: books

Medina: Hard to avoid

Sharon: car sales

Bonnie: in politics and sports - the way women are treated in the media

Marcos: within music scenes, most bands, promoters, movers and shakers are men

Sharon: gamers

Amanda: TV commercials

Deena: US lack of paid maternity leave

Kathy: mansplaning

Helen: college majors - nurses are girls, doctors are boys

Melita: Women doing commercials for sexual dysfunction drugs......

Alycia: see a lot in marketing and advertisements

Brandi: Commercials...yes yes yes Amanda. Especially Hardee's

Kristin: interpersonally

Sanja: makes me think of the Pantene commercial "Sorry Not Sorry"

Vanitalanguage, memes in general

Pamela: If 70% of youth are learning about sex via Internet Porn -- and how to relate to one another using this as a norm---this has to be addressed-- This is a major influence on sexual violence

Ashley: This is a great, quick video about porn sex vs. real sex <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q64hTNEj6KQ>

Amanda: Just watched The Hunting Ground - great documentary

Candy: Interesting to me to hear people identify this as an issue "these days". I am in my mid-50s, and I remember talking about this a LOT in the late '70s/early '80s when I was in college -- and when I worked in a domestic violence shelter. This is certainly not a new problem -- what is new in my mind is the mainstream awareness of it, which leads to language such as "mansplaining" -- back then, it was kind of a radical awareness, how much images in the media contributed to violence against women

Annell: Another powerful documentary about gender norms and affects on female leadership is Misinformation. It is available on Netflix streaming.

Marina: The Hunting Ground and the producer Amy Ziering who came to our campus, Cal Poly Pomona, were basically arguing that perpetrator accountability was the key to deterring rape. What it felt like to me was it wanted to expel rapists and didn't really point to rape culture or prevention as an important piece of the puzzle.

Ashley: @Candy - I was referring specifically to the linguistic relativity hypothesis. That's why I said "these days." I was only talking about how language adapts, not that these issues are new.

Amat: The documentary "Tough Guise" examines the effects of hyper masculinity on boys and men. A great complement to Miss Information.

Ashleigh: @Marina-I agree that a big focus from The Hunting Ground was perp accountability and believe it plays a part in the conversation but also a focus on addressing rape culture needs to be added in

Matthew: is it "miss representation" or miss information?

Abby: The US could CEDAW.

Candy: Oh, yes. I think the language adapting in those kinds of ways is actually a sign that we now have more mainstream awareness of these issues. Although I do think the explicit images of violence toward women in music, for example, is kind of new in this era. I wasn't just referring to what you said; I have been hearing that lately from younger people who are trying to address these issues. Which is so wonderful! As the speaker now is saying...

Pamela: I think the film is Miss Representation and the other is The Mask You Live in---Both directed by Jennifer Seibel Newson See "The Representation Project " web site

Ashley: I agree - I've noticed a huge change in my college students. Even just the words and concepts they are using without me prompting them.

Prevention Institute: <http://www.msnbc.com/node/555266>

Ashley: "Show me your budget." - Good line to use when working on organizational change.

Ashley: Annie's daughter is fabulous!

Joe: I question the top stat. Aren’t these just according to police arrests? We know most DV goes unreported.

Melita: What are the actual numbers for the stats in the second bullet? I am very wary of numbers presented in this way.....

Annie: the actual numbers are in the report sited. they are law enforcement reports

Pamela: How is DOMESTIC VIOLENCE defined?

Melita: Yes, because violence against women does not only happen in the "DOMICILE" - does this language neutralize the level of violence against women?

Pamela: Sex trafficking is the fastest growing criminal enterprise in the WORLD second to drug trafficking---what is going on that is happening? It is very violent and most are women---Can you talk about how this relates? I

Alice Connors: I agree these stat's are definitely a misrepresenting of the facts.

Prevention Institute: <http://www.preventioninstitute.org/component/jlibrary/article/id-97/127.html>

Ashley: The norms that will be explicitly explained definitely apply to multiple forms of violence and exploitation. Stay tuned!

Melita: We need a collaborative effort to address viloence against women ()and children) instead of silo-ing the violence and the experience of women and children

Ashley: We have a number of resources addressing just that, Melita. I'll post some links...

Tanya: Yes, Melita, we can't work in silos. We need to reach out to other partners in order to maximize resources and efforts

Ashley: Here is a web conference we did with CDC about addressing the links between multiple forms of violence <http://www.preventconnect.org/2014/10/connecting-the-dots-understanding-and-addressing-the-links-between-multiple-forms-of-violence/>

Melita: Thanks Ashley

Ashley: And here's a 2-part podcast on human trafficking preventionhttp://www.preventconnect.org/2015/02/preventing-human-trafficking-a-conversation/

Gloria: When do the parents or responsible adults get involve?

Casey: I wonder what the programs look like for high school students?

Kim: What curriculum is being used? Is the curriculum publically available? Has it been evaluated?

Megan: I am so interested to know if any of this work is done by volunteers?

Annie: thanks for the questions, give me a sec and I'll ask.

Chinwe: Need a lot of work on massaging the words so schools can allow preventionist to work with the children

Prevention Institute: A few more links related to Janell's work: <http://safertomorrows.com/resources/about/safer-tomorrows/> <http://www.defendingchildhood.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/02/FA-Safer-Tomorrows-OnePager-2.pdf> <http://safertomorrows.com/resources/about/the-initiative/school-based-initiatives/>

Pamela: When we see someone in crisis it is quite natural and compassionate to direct resources there ---and necessary---yet we must move out of that mode and PREVENT the problem as we know intervention is costly and hard to impact once patterns/behaviors are established . Thanks for pointing this out and highlighting prevention programs that work

Melita: Hear hear Pamela!!

Candy: Are you saying that the link to list of curricula will be on your website? So many resources being named in this chat; would be good to capture all of it to be able to save.

Joe: The link above doesn’t seem to work for me. Anyone else?

Candy: Doesn't work for me either

Ashley: We always post text chat transcripts on preventconnect.org!

Prevention Institute: We have provided three links above.

Candy: Great; thanks!

Joe: LOL thanks and my bad. Cut and pasted them all together :)

Annie: This worked for me: <http://safertomorrows.com/resources/about/the-initiative/school-based-initiatives/>

Joe: none of the links work. And I cannot concentrate on webinar and trying to read chat and try links all at once!!!

Prevention Institute: Not to worry, the text chat will be posted on preventconnect.org!

Tanya: Camille, there will be a recording of this webinar available for viewing.

Ashley: Materials, a recording, and text chat transcript will all be posted <http://www.preventconnect.org/2015/04/from-foundations-to-the-future-a-prevention-approach-to-sexual-and-domestic-violence/>

Prevention Institute: <http://www.northeastern.edu/sportinsociety/>

Pamela: MVP I recommend you recruit Basketball Paul Hewitt to be one of your spokesperson---he is fantastic with the young men and a mentor and model

NANCY: how about women violence against men, men also have walked in my office seeking help, guidance and direction. Many times Domestic violence against men go un reported and under reported.

Danielle: Do they have support group or classes for the men?

Janell: Some of the approaches and curriculums we use in SaferTomorrows include: Olweus Bullying Prevention; Fourth R, AL’s Pals, Coaching Boys Into Men, Friendships that Work, and Lessons In Literature.

Chinwe: wondering if it has been evaluated? Sounds very much like coaching boys into men!

Janell: The website for Safer Tomorrows can be found at www.safertomorrows.com

Amanda: We brought MVP here to our college and trained a core group of student leaders, some athletes, and we also used MVP for a targeted group of male athletes. The program is great! Good discussions about gender norms and gender violence, also great discussions on safe options for bystanders.

Pamela: What are the top evidence-based programs to use with youth?

Ashleigh: It's so important to get that "buy in" from groups. When they feel like they can relate to the person giving the message it resonates so much more

B. Gardner: The MVP program has been evaluated: there is a link on this page if you click "evidence based strategies" to the report

Amanda: Personalize it - yes! then work from there. This works.

Charles: Is that the goal for this program to turn all men into Feminists?

B. Gardner: <http://www.northeastern.edu/sportinsociety/mentors-in-violence-prevention/mentors-in-violence-prevention/>

Chinwe: Pamela, safe Dates is great!

Pamela: Thanks Chinwe

Charles: Am I not able to love and respect women and want a safe future for my wife and daughter without having to be a "feminist". I think that is one of the big issues with this issue is that it is too often presented as a woman's issue. DV SA is a human issue

Amanda: Agree - human issue

Casey: I agree with Annie and Jarrod, it's great that MVP's leaders and educators are reflective of their audience, but also so important to bring in the coaches and providers working with folks on a daily basis so that the norms can shift long term

Morgan: Agreed

Andrea: in Canada we have a campaign. [www.draw-the-line-ca](http://www.draw-the-line-ca)

NANCY: yes indeed.

Janell: re: the question of whether we use volunteers in our school based programs: Most of our school based primary prevention efforts are carried out by school personnel or personnel from our agencies and in some cases by school resource officers.

Tanya: Andrea, thank you for sharing what is taking place in Canada

Candy: "Feminist" is not the same as "feminine". To me, "feminism" is the belief that people should be treated equally and well regardless of gender -- and that both males and females can be hurt by pressure to fit into stereotypical gender roles. Therefore, no reason a male cannot be a feminist.

Abby: This is a good resource about selecting prevention programs. <http://www.preventconnect.org/2014/06/moving-beyond-prevention-programs-in-a-box/>

Megann: Candy, I agree. Thank you for sharing.

Ashley: Yes - a larger construct! How does the context, the environment allow and even promote this type of violence and exploitation?

VanitaI agree Candy. "Feminism is for Everybody" is a easy read about that

Abby: I like men and women when talking about gender. Male and female speaks to biological sex.

Ashley: "Much of the world moves by identity." Yes! So much psychological research shows that. Also social branding work.

Tara: There is no denying that SV and DV occurs with both men and women but I think we can all agree that women are the majority of the victims and wanting to impact people and educate on this in terms of prevention, I dont see how that is seen as feminism.

Janell: Websites for checking out evidenced based or promising programs: www.nrepp.samhsa.gov; www.nctsn.org; www.ojjdp.gov/mpg; www.safestartcenter.org/research

Megann B: My partner - who is a man - proudly identifies as a feminist because he believes women should not be seen as second class citizens and should be treated equal in all respects. It is not a reflection of his masculinity/femininity (such a false binary!). It is a reflection of his commitment to social justice.

Morgan: Thank you Janell

Pamela: It is not about emasculating men and masculizing women ---it is about letting people be who they are and desire to be with respect to others to do the same---boys and girls do have notable differences and I think we ought to embrace that. We really complement one another and yet different Viva la difference. Forcing someone into a a role via violence is not OK. Period.

Deena: My partner - who is also a man - proudly identifies as a feminist because he sees and understands how women do not have the same access to opportunity in our society as men.

Ashley: Here is a great research overview from our own Deena on engaging men and boys <http://www.preventconnect.org/2015/01/research-overview-of-engaging-men-and-boys/>

Charles: Candy Malina my statement is not about whether or not "feminism" is something men should embrace, my comment is more about recognizing that I care a great deal about both men and women's right to live free of fear that they will be assaulted - without have to prescribe to a particular political ideal and feminism is absolutely a political ideology

Ashley: And for those of you interested in college settings, a podcast about engaging men on campus <http://www.preventconnect.org/2013/06/j_gates_podcast/>

Amanda C: I'd love for these men to talk about how they address extreme homophobia amoung young males. I'm in a rural area that is very conservative and we have a difficult time engaging young men in this dialogue.

Ashley: Here's a 2-part podcast on feminism and the movement to prevent violence against women <http://www.preventconnect.org/2014/10/feminism-and-the-movement-to-prevent-violence-interview-with-max-greenberg-part-1/>

Tanya: Powerful dialogue taking place on this issue!

Abby: On masculinities

Abby: <http://www.preventconnect.org/2014/05/the-public-narrative-of-masculinityies/>

Candy: Charles, I don't think you have to ascribe to a particular ideology or to identify as a feminist to care about people living free of fear of violence. But I am curious what is is about feminism that you object to?

Heather: You may have answered this, but can we reuse these slides?

Prevention Institute: the webinar slides are posted here in PDF form: http://preventioninstitute.org/press/calendar/event/598.html

Ashley: I'll leave the text chat open until 12:35 PST.

Tara: I just don’t see how the issue of dv and sv has anything to do with feminism. It doesn’t and it doesn’t pressure anyone to conform to it. Its just about everyone being free of fear and violence. It’s just that the overwhelming majority of victims are females.

Prevention Institute:  <http://www.npr.org/blogs/thetwo-way/2015/04/29/403030019/bud-light-pulls-label-with-message-that-sparkedbacklash?utm_source=facebook.com&utm_medium=social&utm_campaign=thirteenseven&utm_term=artsculture&utm_content=20150429>

NANCY: wow.

Amanda: I was shocked to see the bud light label! So proud that so many came out against this!

Annie: heather, email me. annie@preventioninstitute.org the answer is yes and there are some parameters

Pamela: Check out the app #notbuying it that calls out inappropriate media practices

Sanja: Thank you!

Charles: Candy - As an ideology feminism tends espouse pro-choice, same sex marriage and other social issues with which that I may or may not agree, I am layered and I want to be able to stand in solidarity with all people that embrace a stance against DV/SA without compromising my views on other issues

Sara: Thank you all

Pamela: see the app #notbuyingit

Bonnie: Thank you!

Nancy B: I would love to contact someone about The White Ribbon Campaign. They are a very dedicated group of men of all ages, in the greater Cleveland area.

Ashley: Thank you all!

Charles: Thanks for dialogue Candy, rigorous dialogue helps to move these issues along and increase the level of awareness and influence

Nancy B: THANK YOU!!

Fern: Can you please put links in chat into email when you send the pptx? Thank you!

Charles: THANKS PREVENTCONNECT

Saltanat Childress: Thank you! You mentioned we could download the slides. Could you guide how to do it?

Pamela: FABUJLOUS and active chat---this is a HOT topic!

Candy: Tara, what is your understanding about why the majority of victims are women? I would say it is because we have longstanding cultural norms which say that men should be able to control women, physically if needed. So to me, that is totally related to feminism. But I do think that it is fine for people who don't identify as feminists to still care about and address these issues.

Sheri: Thank you..GREAT information!!!

Candy: Thanks, Charles!

Candy: people

Nancy B: Got bounced out of the class several times but always got back in!

Nancy B: Ashley Maijer-could Dan Lebowitz get in contact with me about The White Ribbon Campaign??

Nancy B: shellsandshore@hotmail.com

Ashley: Please email me at iinfo@preventconnect.org.

Nancy B: 419-976-0560

Nancy B: Alright-I'll do that! THANKS so much Ashley!

Tara: It is related to feminism but in the way that Charles appeared offended that someone would have to put him in a feminist category to have to care about the sv/dv issue, that I did not agree about being pro feminist has anything to do with this issue. It’s about pro equality.

Nancy B: I enjoyed Dan speaking about how to handle potentially sexual assault/rape issues and trying to remain non-violent yourself-