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Linking with Child Focused Approaches when Preventing Sexual and Domestic Violence

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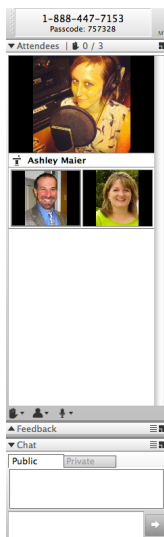
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- Domestic violence/intimate partner violence
- Sexual violence
- Violence across the lifespan
- Prevent before violence starts
- Connect to other forms of violence & oppression
- Connect to other prevention practitioners



Making Connections, Honoring Communities

February 26: Using Popular Education to Engage Communities in Sexual Violence Prevention

March 12: Supporting Community Culture as Norms Change Strategy for Preventing Sexual and Domestic Violence

March 26: The Role of Alcohol Policies to Prevent Intimate Partner Violence and Sexual Violence Perpetration

April 9: Men of Color and Community Trauma Prevention: What Do Sexual And Domestic Violence Efforts Offer to Support Well-Being?

May 7 & June 2: From Foundations to the Future: A Prevention Approach to Sexual and Domestic Violence

June 11: Linking with Child Focused Approaches when Preventing Sexual and Domestic Violence

July 9: Joint Strategies: How Does Sexual and Domestic Violence Better Leverage Local Health, Justice, Education, and Community Sectors?

August 13: Closing the Loop: Increasing Investment and Sustainability for Sexual and domestic violence prevention.



Linking with Child Focused Approaches when Preventing Sexual and Domestic Violence

June 11, 2015

11am-12:30pm PT; 2pm-3:30pm ET

Objectives

- Identify successful prevention strategies that link multiple forms of violence impacting children.
- Discuss benefits and considerations of partnering with agencies focused on other forms of violence and child focused approaches.
- Use toolkits to increase implementation and effectiveness of sexual and domestic violence prevention efforts that include child focused approaches.

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Linkages

Multiple forms of violence

- are experienced together
- share common underlying factors
- have common impacts for individuals, families and communities

Exposure to one form of violence increases risk of further victimization and engagement in violent behavior

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Children Exposed to Multiple Forms of Violence

National Survey of Children's Exposure to Violence

Up to **1 in 10 children** in the US
either witness or are victimized
by co-occurring forms of violence

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Children Exposed to Multiple Forms of Violence

- High risk of suffering chronic and severe symptoms of traumatic stress, including long-term psychiatric problems and lifelong limitations on health, well-being, relationships, and personal success.
- These risks are especially high when exposure to violence involves a fundamental loss of trust and security

Source:
National Task Force on Children Exposed to Violence

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Impacts of Violence: Developmental Aspects

Younger

Attachment
Emotional Regulation
Cognitive Development
Memory Storage & Processing
Social Withdrawal
Inhibition of Aggression
Moral Development
Friendship Formation & Acceptance
Attributional Biases
Academic Performance
Self-Esteem
Pessimism
Social Competence
Antisocial Behavior

Older

Adapted from a presentation by David Finkelhor

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Integrated Approach

Honoring the linkages between multiple forms of violence reduces potential shortcomings associated with addressing different forms of violence independently, including:

- underestimating true scope of victimization;
- limitations in identifying children who are poly-victims;
- unnecessary competition for scarce resources;
- reduced policy influence;
- reinforcing arbitrary distinctions and
- ignoring the perspective of the child and community.

Adapted from a presentation by Dr. D. Finkelhor, UNH, 2011

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A Prevention Approach is Needed

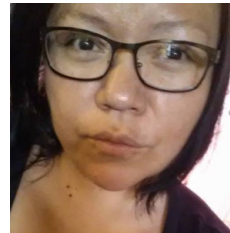
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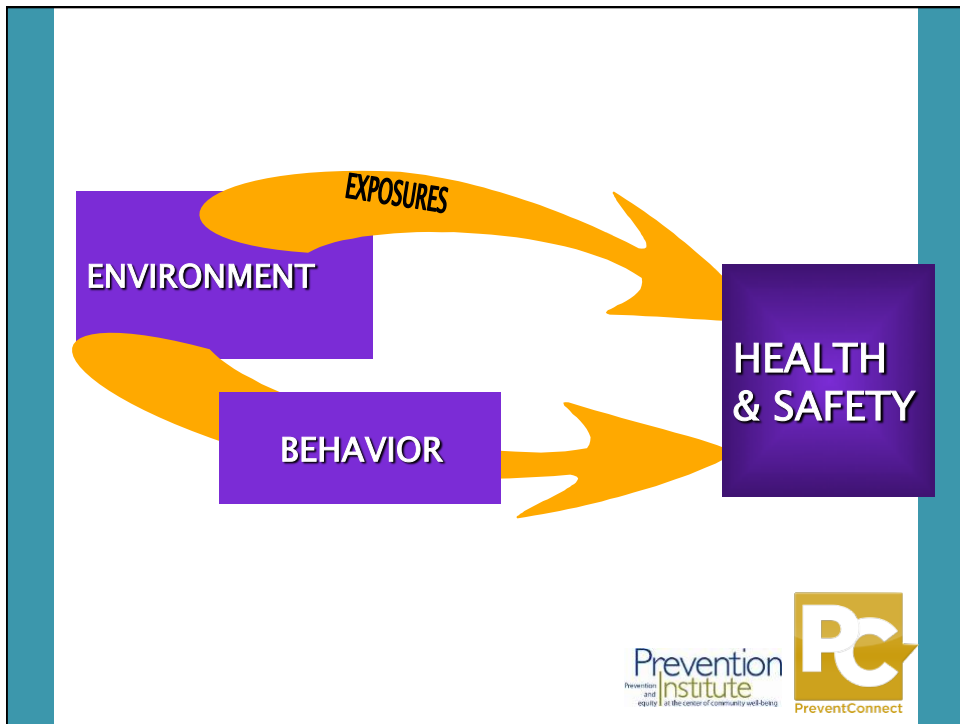
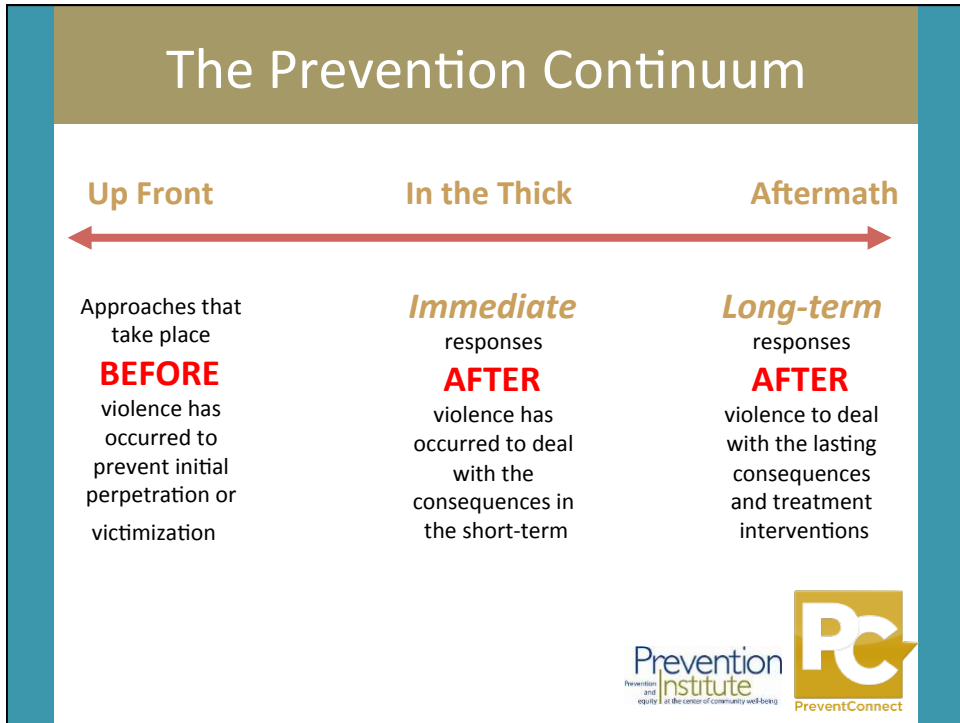
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Children Exposed to
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**What can be done to
prevent the problem
from occurring**

in the first place?





Implications from a Recent Analysis

DEFENDING CHILDHOOD

PROTECT HEALTHRIVE

- Prevent and reduce violence
- Fit community priorities and existing assets
- Develop comprehensive strategy to prevent children's exposure to violence through collaboration

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<http://www.justice.gov/defendingchildhood>

Implications from a Recent Analysis



- Success in addressing violence is more likely when **community, practitioners, and policymakers** work across disciplines and address **multiple risk and resilience factors**.

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PROTECT HEALTHRIVE

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Implications from a Recent Analysis

Defending Childhood Grantee	City, State
Chippewa Cree Tribe	Box Elder, Montana
City of Boston	Boston, Massachusetts
City of Grand Forks	Grand Forks, North Dakota
City of Portland	Portland, Maine
Cuyahoga County Board of Commissioners	Cleveland, Ohio
Multnomah County Department of Human Services	Portland, Oregon
Rosebud Sioux Tribe	Rosebud, South Dakota
Shelby County	Memphis, Tennessee

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How familiar are you with the Defending Childhood initiative?

- A. I am a grantee
- B. I partner with a grantee
- C. I am familiar with the initiative
- D. This is the first I am hearing of it.



Strengths

Advancing Comprehensive Approaches

Influencing Policy & Legislation



Changing Organizational Practices

Fostering Coalitions & Networks


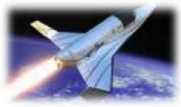

Educating Providers

Promoting Community Education

Strengthening Individual Knowledge & Skills

There Are Several Types of Problems

Simple	Complicated	Complex
<p><i>Baking a Cake</i></p>  <p>Right “recipe” essential Gives same results every time</p>	<p><i>Sending a Rocket to the Moon</i></p>  <p>“Formulas” needed Experience built over time and can be repeated with success</p>	<p><i>Raising a Child</i></p>  <p>No “right” recipes or protocols Outside factors influence Experience helps, but doesn't guarantees success</p>






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- Influencing Policy & Legislation
- Changing Organizational Practices
- Fostering Coalitions & Networks
- Educating Providers
- Promoting Community Education
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Coaching Boys into Men

Multnomah County, OR



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<http://www.pps.k12.or.us/news/10358.htm>

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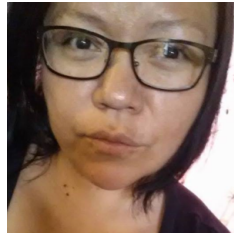
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Family Nights

Rosebud, SD



<http://flyovermevalentine.com/blog/>

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Cultural Celebrations

Rosebud Sioux and Chippewa Cree Tribes



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Educating Providers

Shelby County, TN

- Classes offered to childcare providers on:
 - Supervision
 - Discipline
 - Caring attachment

Boston, MA

- Youth serving staff trained in developmentally appropriate strategies for time spent out of school

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Interdisciplinary Coalitions

Grand Forks, ND



<http://www.issnd.org/children-families/safer-tomorrows.html>




Place Based Strategies

Shelby County, TN



Some NOVA partners gather after launch event. Photograph by Kelley Evans
<http://shelbycountynova.net/about.html>

- Apartments converted to resource centers and community hubs
- 9 housing complexes




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Reaching Men and Boys



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Wakanheza Project

Ramsey County, MN



<http://www.co.ramsey.mn.us/ph/cp/wakanheza.htm>

- Create family-friendly spaces, train museum staff to support parents
- Improve customer service and prevent family violence

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Supporting Parents in Public



The Wakanheza Project:

Keeping children safe by lending a hand to parents during difficult situations.

Minnesota
Children's
Museum
Inc.

<http://www.co.ramsey.mn.us/ph/cp/wakanheza.htm>

"Wakanheza literally means sacred being. It is the Dakota word for child, reflecting for all of us what children really are and should be considered to be: sacred beings."

Gabrielle Strong,
Grotto Foundation
Native Language Revitalization Initiative

<http://www.co.ramsey.mn.us/ph/cp/wakanheza.htm>



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The Family Transformation Model is built upon the belief that all people deserve and carry these components of core health within them.

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THE INITIATIVE FOR PEACEFUL FAMILIES AND COMMUNITIES IN RAMSEY COUNTY

What is Violence?
Violence is any words or actions where the intention or impact is to cause pain, fear or harm; it is a misuse of power and authority.
-The Initiative for Peaceful Families and Communities in Ramsey County

Why Do People Act Out Violently?
"Deeds of violence in our society are performed largely by those trying to establish their self-esteem, to defend their self-image, and to demonstrate that they, too, are significant... Violence arises not out of power, but out of powerlessness."
-Robb May
"A person will act out violently when they are overwhelmed by a sense of shame and humiliation"
-Dr. James Gilligan
"...[r]esearchers have now unequivocally confirmed that the roots of family violence can nearly always be traced to the abuser's family of origin... we can now identify four key conditions that, if present simultaneously, are very likely to turn an otherwise typical child into an angry and abusive adult."
-Linda Mills, 12, Ph.D. **Violent Partners**
"The Fundamental Attribution Error... is a fancy way of saying that when it comes to interpreting other people's behavior, we invariably make the mistake of overestimating the importance of fundamental character traits and underestimating the importance of situation and context."
-Malcolm Gladwell, **The Tipping Point**

Can Violence Be Prevented? If so, How?
"You must be the change that you seek in the world"
-Gandhi
"A liberation movement that is nonviolent sets the oppressor free as well as the oppressed"
-Barbara Deming
"The real problem of our existence lies in the fact that we ought to love one another, but do not."
-Reinhold Niebuhr
"All people have three fundamental needs: Stability, Security, and Affirmation"
-Dr. James Garbarino
"The ABC's of Communication": Provide clear and unambiguous awareness; Demonstrate the benefit to the person(s) you are trying to convince; and a clear and double call to action.
(Dea Wilson)

Welcome

We understand this may be a difficult time for you. We intend to help you through this.

- First, you'll be seen by a nurse to make sure you're okay
- Next, you'll be asked to change into pajamas
- Your valuables will be kept in our safe
- We will wash your clothes for you

the program

- getting settled**
 - You'll be assigned to a bed and you're encouraged to rest as much as you are able.
- finding your room**
 - We'll show you to your room and we'll monitor you throughout your stay to make sure you're safe.
- morning orientation**
 - A staff member will explain what detoxification is and what will happen while you are here.
- meals & snacks**
 - Breakfast 8 am
 - Lunch 1:30 pm
 - snack 2 pm
 - Dinner 4 pm
 - snack 6 pm
 - snacks offered in focus groups
- meet with your counselor**
 - Tell us what we can do to help you
- preparing for discharge**
 - A staff member will call your name when it is time for you to leave.
 - Staff will return your belongings and will ask you to change back into your clothing. Please collect your bedding and place it in a bin that will be provided.
- discharge times**
 - 4:00 am, 10:00 am, 1:30 pm, 4:00 pm, 7:00 pm, midnight
- activities**
 - TV, books, magazines, games, puzzles
 - Talking with staff
 - Art supplies
 - Various groups (focus groups, AA)

during your stay

Ramsey County Detoxification Center | 422 University Avenue SW | Saint Paul, Minnesota, 55103
Client Phone: 612-666-3027 | Client Fax: 612-666-3028

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Youth Commission

Multnomah County, Oregon



<https://multco.us/multnomah-youth-commission>

- Violence prevention subcommittee
- Advise on city strategy
- Serves as a steering committee for events



Standards for Evaluation

Portland, ME



<http://www.portlanddefendingchildhood.org/resources.php>





Strengths

**Addresses
Risk and Resilience Factors**



Risk Factors

<p>Structural and Community Level</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cultural norms that support aggression toward others • Societal inequities • Harmful norms around • masculinity and femininity • Failure of the school system • Unemployment • High alcohol outlet density • Poor neighborhood support and cohesion 	<p>Individual and Family Level</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poor parent/child relationship • Family conflict • Experiencing and witnessing violence • Substance use • Mental health problems • Academic failure
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When you start with needs, you get programs....

When you start with strengths you get possibilities.

Lupe Serrano

casa de esperanza

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Resilience Factors

Structural and Community Level

- Respect for diversity and an emphasis on equality
- Healthy norms and expectations
- Community connectedness
- Access to mental health and substance abuse services
- Employment and economic opportunities
- Positive school climate
- Adequate and affordable health care and access to health care services

Individual and Family Level

- Connection to a caring adult, positive relationships and attachments
- Family support/connectedness
- High expectations
- Opportunities for meaningful participation
- Skills in solving problems nonviolently

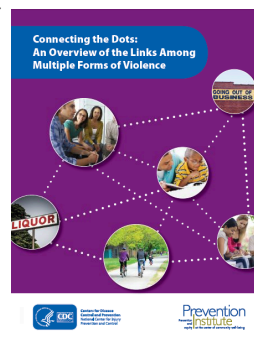
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Connecting the Dots


- **What it is:** Brief document that translates research about the connections between different forms of violence (e.g. shared risk and protective factors)
- **Audience:** Public health and violence prevention practitioners and their partners
- **Purpose:** Help violence prevention practitioners and their partners
 - 1) Better **understand** and **make the case** for the connections between multiple forms of violence,
 - 2) Think **strategically and creatively** about **ways to prevent** all types of violence from occurring in the first place



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Societal and Neighborhood Risk Factors




	CM	TDV	IPV	SV	YV	Bullying	Suicide	Elder Abuse
Norms supporting aggression*	X	X	X	X	X			X
Harmful gender norms*	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Community Violence	X			X	X	X		
Lack of economic opportunities	X		X	X	X		X	
Low Neighborhood Support/ Cohesion*	X	X	X		X		X	

NOTE: CM (Child Maltreatment), TDV (Teen Dating Violence), IPV (Intimate Partner Violence), SV (Sexual Violence), YV (Youth Violence)
 *Norms are generally measured at the individual level

Source: Wilkins, N., Tsao, B., Hertz, M., Davis, R., Klevens, J. (2014). *Connecting the Dots: An Overview of the Links Among Multiple Forms of Violence*. Atlanta, GA: National Center for Injury Prevention and Control, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Oakland, CA: Prevention Institute.




Neighborhood & Relationship Protective Factors



	CM	TDV	IPV	SV	YV	Bullying	Suicide	Elder Abuse
Coordination of services among community agencies	X		X				X	X
Social isolation	X	X	X		X	X	X	X
Community support and connectedness*	X		X	X	X		X	X

NOTE: CM (Child Maltreatment), TDV (Teen Dating Violence), IPV (Intimate Partner Violence), SV (Sexual Violence), YV (Youth Violence)
 *Community support and connectedness typically measured at the individual level

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Connecting the Dots?

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- B. I have read it.
- C. I am familiar with it.
- D. This is the first I am hearing of it.



Essentials for Parenting Toddlers and Preschoolers



Watch fun videos and "how-to's" for specific positive parenting skills.

Essentials for Parenting Toddlers and Preschoolers is a free, online resource developed by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

<http://www.cdc.gov/parents/essentials/index.html>



Playworks



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Building Community Resilience

- Restorative Justice
- Healing Circles
- Reclaim and Improve Public Spaces
- Shift Community Social Norms
- Enhance Social Connections and Networks
- Build Intergenerational Connections and Networks
- Organize and Promote Regular Positive Community Activity
- Providing more of a voice and element of power for community folks around shifting and changing environmental factors as well as the structural factors

MAKING THE CASE

Addressing and Preventing Trauma at the Community Level



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Connecting Neighbors



Long Beach, CA

WE LOVE LB CALENDAR 2015

Winter
Saturday, February 21, 2015
Citywide Breakfast
Join neighbors on your block for breakfast and some good fitness.

Spring
Saturday, April 11, 2015
Citywide Spring Clean
Team up with your block to co-host a neighborhood yard sale, or block and yard beautification.

Summer
Saturday, June 20, 2015
Citywide Ice Cream Social
Enjoy the blazing summer with neighbors and some yummy ice cream.

Fall
Saturday, October 24, 2015
Citywide Pumpkin Party
Gather your block with a pumpkin carving party and a delicious Fall potluck.

Mark Your Calendars for our Citywide Spring Clean Event.

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<https://www.facebook.com/welovebeach>



Stronghold Society

Rosebud, Montana



www.strongholdsociety.org



www.strongholdsociety.org



A Family Place Library

Chester, PA



<http://www.familyplacelibraries.org/aboutUs.html>



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Strengths:

Utilizing an Integrated Strategy for Action



<http://www.jvtuccfinancialservices.com/page.7.htm>

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What types of strategies would you like to see integrated?

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Universal SEL Curricula

Grand Forks County, ND



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- Reaches nearly every student in the county
- Addresses risk and resilience factors
- Accounts for age and context

<http://safertomorrow.com/resources/about/the-initiative/school-based-initiatives/>

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Restorative Justice in Schools

Grand Forks, ND



<http://safertomorrow.com/resources/about/the-initiative/school-based-initiatives/>

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Opportunities

**There is strong community support for
and resonance with prevention**

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Built Environment



Multnomah County, OR



<https://multco.us/multnomah-youth-commission/youth-against-violence>

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Opportunities

Sites recognize the relationship between multiple forms of violence and the need for multi-sector engagement

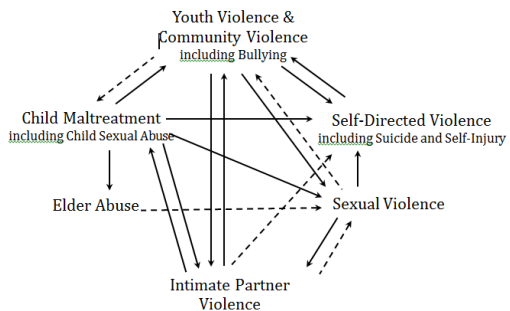


Figure 3. Correlations Between Different Forms of Violence.

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Challenges

Cross-sector collaboration

Diverse participants:

- Follow different mandates
- Advance diverse goals and priorities
- Speak different languages
- Rely on separate data systems
- View the world differently
- Participate in other collaboratives

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Joint/Shared Use

Pixley, CA



Ballet Folklorico students have a safe place to practice and be active.

<http://www.communitycommons.org/groups/salud-america/changes/pixley-elementary-shared-use-of-school-grounds/>

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Project ABC

Building Community Connections Workshop



<http://pacsla.org/project-abc-relationships-matter/>

- The roles your community can play in supporting families in enhancing relationships
- Steps you can take in joining a transformational initiative to create communities that care

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<http://projectabc-la.org/classes-trainings/service-providers/relationships-matter-about-building-connections/>

Challenges

- **Political Will**
- Moving beyond services to environment and systems change
- Measuring and communicating success

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Grandparents Park

Wichita, KS



<http://www.aarp.org/livable-communities/info-2014/grandparents-park-wichita-kansas.html>

- Fitness Station for 50+
- Playground & Paved Walking Paths
- Park Sponsored by: AARP Kansas, Mayor Parks and Recreation, & Local Businesses

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Barbershop Books

Harlem and the Bronx, NY



- Creates a child-friendly reading spaces in barbershops for boys ages 4-8
- Six barbershops set up in Harlem and Brooklyn – looking to expand to Twenty-five by September

<http://www.citylab.com/cityfixer/2015/04/getting-african-american-boys-to-read-with-barbershop-books/390405/>
<http://barbershopbooks.org/barbershopbooks/>

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Challenges

- Political Will
- Moving beyond services to environment and systems change
- **Measuring and communicating success**

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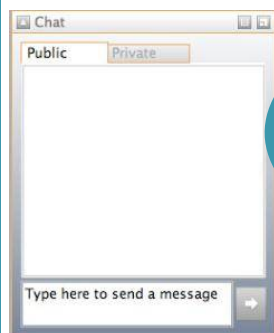
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- Los Angeles County Department of Public Health Injury & Violence Prevention Program Health Impact Evaluation Center

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Text Chat



How have you worked around these challenges?

- Cross Sector Collaboration
- Political Will
- Moving beyond services to environment and systems change
- Measuring and communicating success

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Sesame Workshop

Countering
sorrow and
sadness with
talk, time...and
love.



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Tools



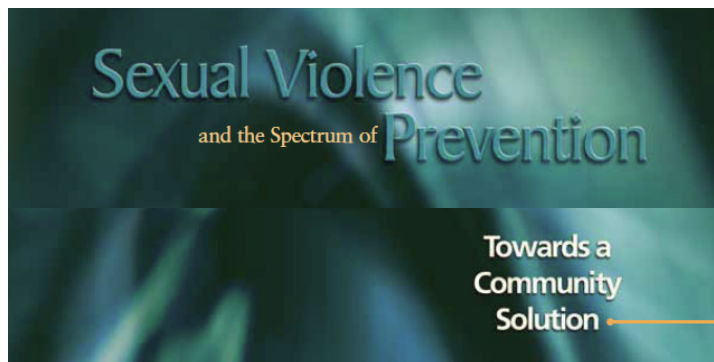
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Sexual Violence and the Spectrum of Prevention



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Preventing Intimate Partner and Sexual Assault Violence Against Women



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Taking action and generating evidence

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