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COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT FOR PREVENTION PART 2
AUTHENTICITY IN PRACTICE

Monday, May 23, 2022
11 AM-12:30 PM PT/2 PM-3:30 PM ET

prevent connect
A ValorUS' PROJECT
Meet the PreventConnect Team

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How to use Zoom

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Polling Question
PreventConnect

- Domestic violence/intimate partner violence
- Sexual violence
- Violence across the lifespan, including child sexual abuse
- Prevent before violence starts
- Connect to other forms of violence and oppression
- Connect to other prevention practitioners
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Objectives

- Describe how shared leadership models can be utilized within public health departments to engage communities and advance health equity
- Identify opportunities to collaborate and share power with communities to achieve project outcomes
- Strengthen implementation skills within shared-leadership models of sexual and intimate partner violence prevention
Meet our Guests

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Community Engagement Series

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Part 1 | Monday, May 16, 2022
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Community Engagement Series Part 1 Key Themes

‣ Understanding and confronting power is central to Community Engagement
  ‣ Internal and external structural power inequities
  ‣ Power sharing

“Power is the ability to achieve a purpose. Whether or not it is good or bad depends on the purpose.”

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.
Community Engagement Series Part 1 Key Themes

- No “one-size-fits-all” approach to authentic Community Engagement
- Community members must be involved at every level
  - Program design
  - Implementation
  - Evaluation
Community Engagement Series Part 1 Key Themes

- Requires framework shift
  - Emphasis on *listening* and *collaborating*
  - Honesty and trust building

Some quick tips:
- Build upon existing networks
- Center those who are impacted
- Invest in relationships
- Walk with humility
- Share appreciations early and often
How are you assessing community engagement?

[Image of a diagram depicting the spectrum of community engagement]

1. **Inform**: Provide the community with relevant information.
2. **Consult**: Gather input from the community.
3. **Involve**: Ensure community capacity to play a leadership role in implementation of decisions.
4. **Collaborate**: Foster democratic participation and equity by bridging the divide between community and governance, through community-driven decision-making.
5. **Defer To**: Ensure community needs and assets are integrated into process and inform planning.

Reference: Modified by the authors from the International Association for Public Participation.

[Link to PDF for more information]


What challenges or barriers have come up when you have tried to take on Community Engagement work?
New Jersey RPE

Creating Protective Environments for LGBTQ+ people

Developing Leadership Opportunities for Girls

Engaging Men and Boys as Allies

Strategies and Populations of Focus
Panel Discussion

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What is one commitment you want to make toward incorporating authentic Community Engagement in your work?