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#### **STOP SV:**

A Technical Package to Prevent Sexual Violence

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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

## **Beyond Partnerships:**Shared Linkages for Prevention

February 3: From Foundations to the Future: A prevention approach to sexual and domestic violence March 9: Harmful Gender Norms: How can we build alliances with gueer (LGBTQ) movements to help prevent sexual and domestic violence? March 23: Harmful Gender Norms: Moving beyond binary and heteronormative approaches to preventing sexual and domestic violence May 4: Shared Roots: Sexual and domestic violence prevention strategies in support of social justice June 2: STOP SV: A Technical Package to Prevent Sexual Violence June 8: : Engaging Youth in Shaping Strategies and Solutions to Prevent Sexual and Domestic Violence July 13: What about Power and Patriarchy? Examining social cohesion strategies to prevent sexual and domestic violence August 3: Equity, Trauma and Preventing Sexual and Domestic Violence \_\_\_\_\_ August 17: Using Shared Risk and Protective Factors: Research into practice and policy to prevent sexual and domestic violence

September 7: Authentically Engaging Communities to Prevent Sexual and Domestic Violence



#### 2016 PreventConnect Campus Web Conferences

#### Wednesday, February 10

Comprehensive Prevention on Can



#### Tuesday, March 22

Intentional • Strategic • Comprehensive Selecting the Right Online Module for Interpersonal Violence Prevention

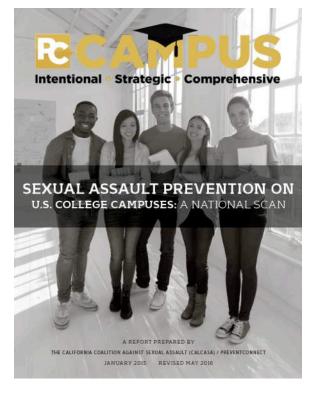
#### Tuesday, May 17

Campus Culture, Heteronormativity and Implications for Sexual Violence Prevention

#### Tuesday, June 7

The Role of Consent Education in Sexual Assault Prevention

More topics to be announced







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June 2, 2016

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

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#### Objectives

By the end of the web conference participants will be able to

- describe the five strategies highlighted in the technical package
- identify resources to support prevention decision-making
- identity potential sectors to involve in sexual violence prevention

#### About the Presenters



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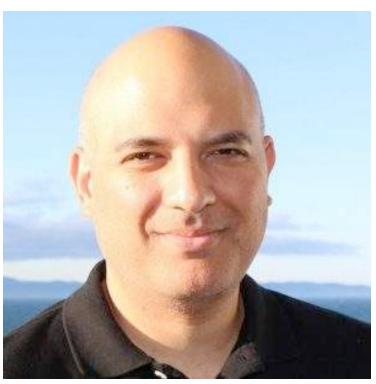
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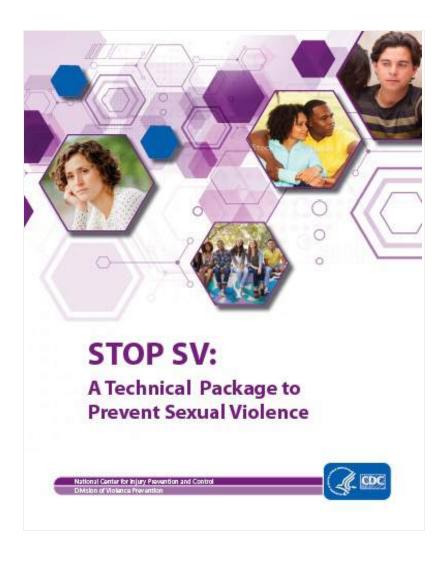


#### **NSVRC** Resource Page



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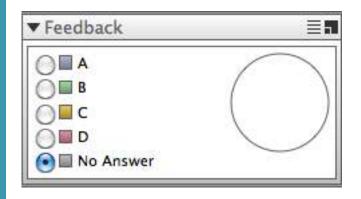






## How familiar are you with the STOP S V Technical Package?

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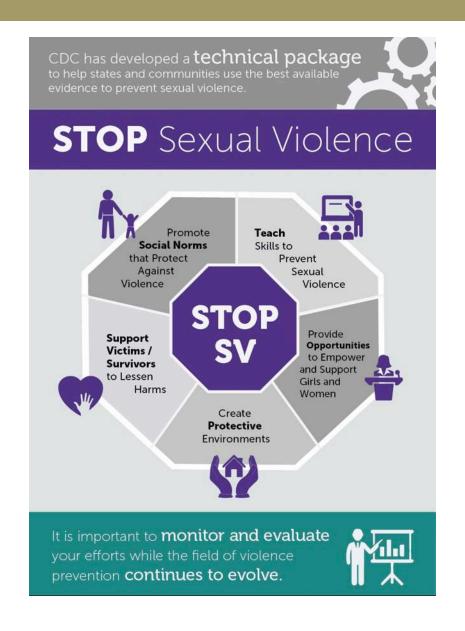


- A.I know about it
- B.I have skimmed it
- C.I have read the entire Technical Package
- D. I have used the Technical Packet in my work

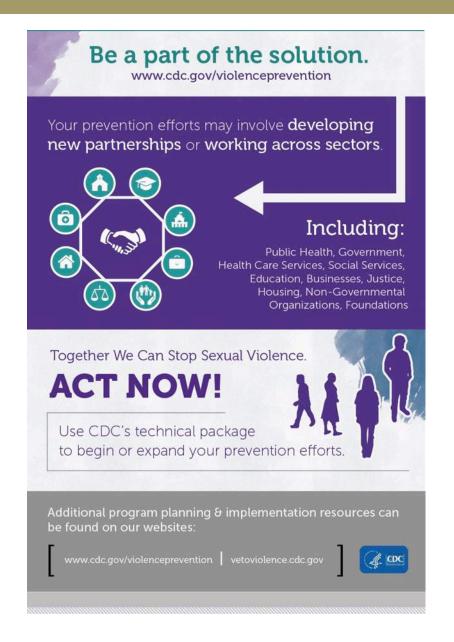






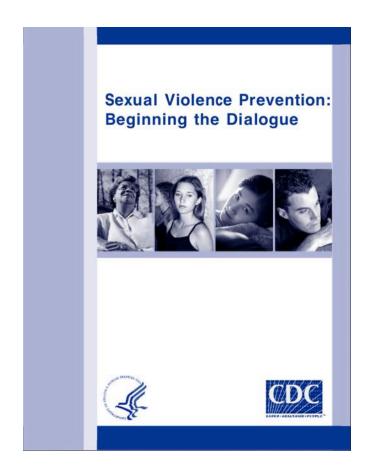


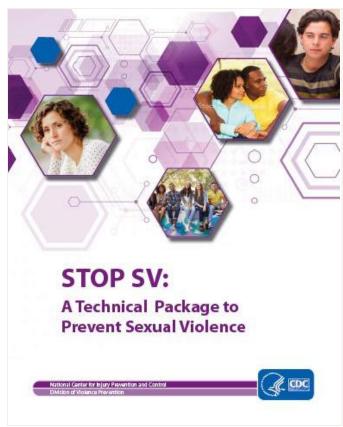






#### We know more about Sexual Violence Prevention







#### STOP Sexual Violence Technical Package



Division of Violence Prevention
National Center for Injury Prevention and
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#### What is a Technical Package?

...a select group of strategies based on the best available evidence to help communities and states sharpen their focus on priorities with the greatest potential to reduce sexual violence.



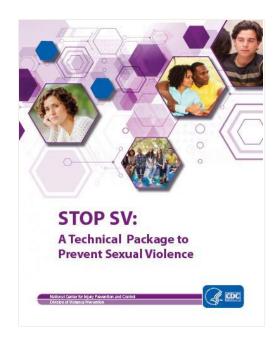


#### The Benefit of Technical Packages

- Technical packages are one of the six key components for effective public health program implementation because they
  - Sharpen and focus what otherwise might be vague commitments to "action" by encouraging implementation of specific interventions known to be effective.
  - Avoid a scattershot approach of using a large number of interventions, many of which have only a small impact.

#### Technical Package Development

- Review of literature
- Identification of strategies & approaches
- Written draft
- Review by partners
- Editing and formatting of final product





## Structure of STOP SV Technical Package

- A Technical Package has these components:
  - Strategies direction or actions to achieve the goal of preventing violence
    - Approaches specific ways to advance the strategy
      - Example programs, policies, or practices
        - Evidence impact on violence or its associated risk factors



## Considerations for Inclusion of Examples

- Example programs, policies, or practices were chosen based on the best available evidence:
  - Meta-analyses, systematic reviews or rigorous evaluation studies showing impacts on perpetration behaviors or established risk/ protective factors for SV
  - Empirical support or a strong theoretical rationale for changing one or more forms of violence or the conditions that give rise to violence
  - Likelihood of achieving beneficial effects on multiple forms of violence.
  - Likelihood of similar outcomes with different populations and/or in different settings.
  - No evidence of harmful effects on specific outcomes or with particular subgroups.
  - Feasibility in a U.S. context if the program or policy has been implemented in another country.



#### Narrative of the Technical Package

- Describes the strategies, corresponding approaches, and examples of programs, policies, and practices with evidence of impact
  - Implemented directly by health departments or in collaboration between public health and other sectors
  - Implemented by other sectors
- Includes a section on monitoring and evaluation



Strategy	Approach
<b>S</b> – Promote <i>social norms</i> that protect against violence	<ul><li>Bystander approaches</li><li>Mobilizing men and boys as allies</li></ul>
T – <i>Teach</i> skills to prevent sexual violence	<ul> <li>Social-emotional learning</li> <li>Teaching healthy, safe dating and intimate relationship skills to adolescents</li> <li>Promoting healthy sexuality</li> <li>Empowerment-based training</li> </ul>
O – Provide <i>opportunities</i> to empower and support girls and women	<ul> <li>Strengthening economic supports for women and families</li> <li>Strengthening leadership and opportunities for girls</li> </ul>
P – Create <i>protective</i> environments	<ul> <li>Improving safety and monitoring in schools</li> <li>Establishing and consistently applying workplace policies</li> <li>Addressing community-level risks through environmental approaches</li> </ul>
<b>SV</b> – Support victims/ survivors to lessen harms	<ul> <li>Victim-centered services</li> <li>Treatment for victims of SV</li> <li>Treatment for at-risk children and families to prevent problem behavior including sex offending</li> </ul>

#### **STOP** Sexual Violence







#### **STRATEGIES & APPROACHES**

## Promote Social Norms that Protect Against Violence

- Bystander approaches
  - Green Dot
  - Bringing in the Bystander
- Mobilizing men & boys as allies
  - Coaching Boys into Men





#### Promote Social Norms Resources

#### Engaging Bystanders

- elearning
- Information packet
- Technical Assistance Guides
- Online Collection
- xCHANGE Forum with Dr. Banyard







#### Promote Social Norms Resources

#### Mobilizing Men and Boys

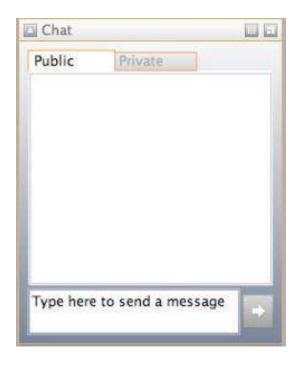


- Organizational Readiness
- Program Design, Community Engagement, and Adaptation





#### Text Chat Question



What resources are you familiar with using this strategy and approaches?



#### Teach Skills to Prevent SV

- Social-emotional learning approaches
  - Second Step
- Teaching healthy, safe dating and intimate relationships
  - Safe Dates





#### Teach Skills to Prevent SV (cont.)

- Promoting healthy sexuality
  - Strong AfricanAmerican Families(SAAF)
  - Safer Choices
- Empowermentbased training
  - Enhanced Assess,
     Acknowledge, Act





#### Teach Skills Resources

Healthy Sexuality

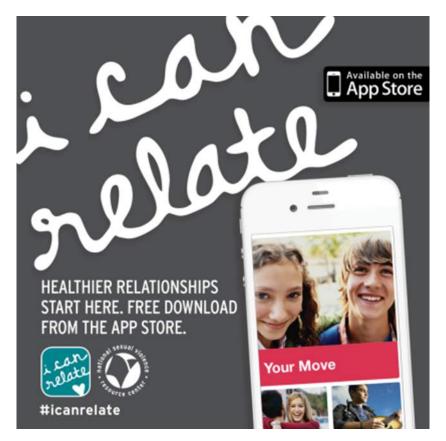






#### Teach Skills Resources

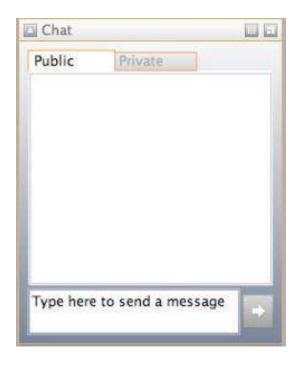
Healthy Sexuality Mobile App to be released Summer 2016







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# Provide Opportunities to Empower and Support Girls and Women

- Strengthening economic supports for women and families
  - Comparable worth policies
  - Adequate work supports (e.g., child care, paid leave)
  - Microfinance
- Strengthening leadership and opportunities for adolescent girls
  - Powerful Voices





#### Provide Opportunities Resources

Table 2: Sample Economic Advocacy Strategy, using the Spectrum of Violence Prevention as a model

Level 1	Working with individuals to implement strategies for expanding economic resources as a way to reduce the stress of poverty in their lives. Developing peer education programs to mobilize civic engagement and activism, thus changing social norms and increasing economic resources.
Level 2	Developing a mass media campaign that addresses the root causes of sexual violence and promotes alternatives to violence and ways to get involved in the community. Such media campaigns are reinforced by training and technical assistance in the community.
Level 3	Cross-training housing, substance abuse, mental health, public assistance, education, and other providers to help them identify and respond to sexual violence and promote violence-free norms within their respective workplaces and organizations.
Level 4	Establishing a community-based task force of multidisciplinary partners to foster systemic changes that sustain economic justice and violence-free norms.
Level 5	Contracting with a local school district to develop and implement school-wide sexual violence prevention policies and programs that are comprehensive in focus, culturally competent, and responsive to the link between sexual violence and various forms of oppression.
Level 6	Building support around legislation that reduces the multiple stressors of poverty and sexual violence, such as time off from work for victims and survivors of violence, expanded housing and shelter, minimum wage increases, increased access to affordable childcare, etc.





#### Provide Opportunities Resources

#### White House Council on Women and Girls

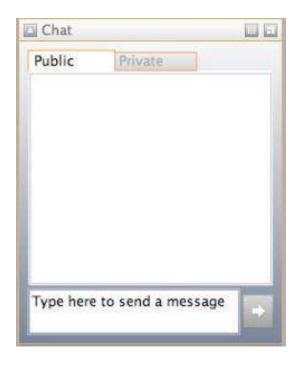


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#### Create Protective Environments

- Improving safety and monitoring in schools
  - Shifting Boundaries Building-level Intervention
- Establishing and consistently applying workplace policies
  - Proactive sexual harassment prevention policies and procedures
- Addressing community-level risks through environmental approaches
  - Alcohol policies (outlet density, pricing)



#### Protective Environments Resources





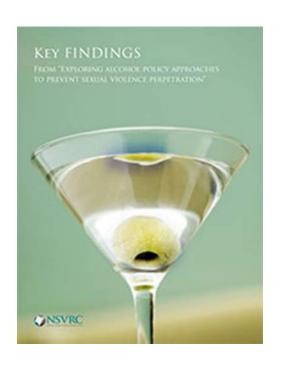
NSVRC.org workplace collection





#### Protective Environments Resources

Policies and Situational Prevention

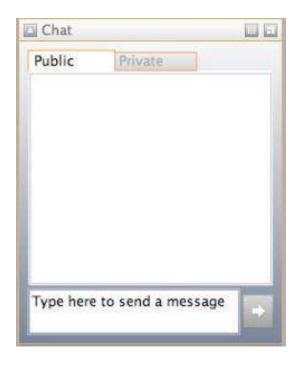








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# Support Victims/Survivors to Lessen Harms

- Victim-centered services
  - Crisis intervention, medical and legal advocacy, access to community resources
- Treatment for victims of SV
  - Trauma-focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (TF-CBT)
  - Cognitive Processing Therapy (CPT)
  - Prolonged Exposure Therapy (PET)





# Support Victims/Survivors to Lessen Harms (cont.)

- Treatment for at-risk children and families to prevent problem behavior, including sex offending
  - Multisystemic Therapy–
     Problem Sexual Behavior
     (MST–PSB)
  - Children with Problematic Sexual Behavior Cognitive-Behavioral Treatment Program: School-Age Program (PSB-CBT)





## Support Victims/Survivors Resources

Building Cultures of Care







#### Support Victims/Survivors Resources

Coordinated Response



Sexual violence affects many aspects of a victim's life—including safety and health, family and work situations, and finances—and often leads to perplexing legal questions. To receive basic assistance, victims often must navigate a complicated maze of governmental and community agencies.

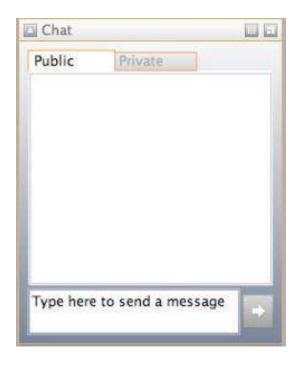
SARTs, or sexual assault response teams, help victims through the maze.

The SART Toolkit is a resource both for communities considering a SART response and communities that already have a coordinated response but want to make it better. Use it. Share it. Make it your own.





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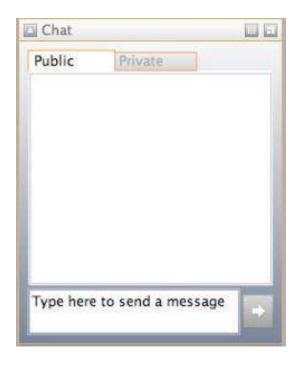
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#### **SECTOR INVOLVEMENT**

#### Sectoral Involvement



What sectors can use the Technical Package to engage in sexual violence prevention?



#### Sector Involvement

- Public health
- Education
- Government (local, state, federal)
- Social services
- Business/labor
- Health services
- Justice
- Housing
- Media
- Non-governmental organizations such as rape crisis centers, SV coalitions



# Monitoring and Evaluation

- Necessary to monitor extent of problem and evaluate impact of prevention efforts
- Should occur on a regular, ongoing basis
- Alignment across federal, state-level, and local partners & agencies



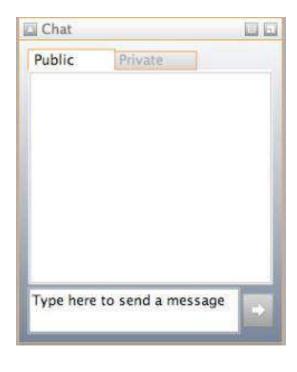


# Using STOP SV

- Already engaged in SV prevention
  - Do your current efforts align with information included in the technical package?
  - Are there ways the technical package can advance your work?
- Not yet engaged in SV prevention
  - You can use the package to plan and prioritize your efforts
- Program planning and implementation resources can be found at <u>vetoviolence.cdc.gov</u>.



## Text Chat Question



How do you plan to use the SV Technical Package in your sexual violence prevention work?



## Prevent Sexual Violence

states and communities take advantage of the best available evidence to inform and guide prevention decision-making.

Join us!





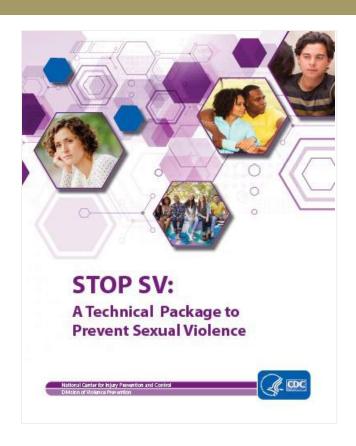
#### STOP SV Resources

 STOP SV: A Technical Package to Prevent Sexual Violence

www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/pdf/sv-prevention-technical-package.pdf

- STOP SV Infographic COMING SOON
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