



## Culture-Change for Prevention: Advancing Prevention within and Beyond the Sexual and Domestic Violence Field

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11:00 AM-12:30 PM PT/2:00 PM-3:30 PM ET

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AKJ: Hi Everyone! We are going to be getting started in about 10 minutes.

TV: You can download the PowerPoint slides for this session here: [http://www.preventconnect.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/10/Culture-change-for-prevention\\_11.19.19\\_final.pdf](http://www.preventconnect.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/10/Culture-change-for-prevention_11.19.19_final.pdf)

TV: For audio over the phone, please call 866-866-2244, passcode 9053509#.

TV: Contact Adobe Connect support at <https://helpx.adobe.com/adobe-connect/connect-support.html>

TV: <http://www.preventconnect.org/2019/11/web-conference-written-profiles-exploring-community-level-prevention-approaches/>

TV: Submit a workshop proposal for the 2020 National Sexual Assault Conference: <http://www.nationalsexualassaultconference.org/proposals/>

TV: Text Chat Question: What does culture change mean to you? Why is it important for sexual and domestic violence prevention?

AC: It is important to change cultures because violence is culturally accepted

AY: Changing societal norms/values that are no longer contributing positively to society

WD: Changing from a Hate culture to an inclusive Culture. Fighting Racism, Sexism and all the other isms that perpetuate the Dominant Hateful Culture.

TV: An Expanded Strategy for Breaking the Cycle of Domestic Violence: <https://www.healthaffairs.org/doi/10.1377/hblog20190313.556887/full/>

TV: CDC Continuing the Dialogue: <https://www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/pdf/sv/Continuing-The-Dialogue-508.pdf>

APNM: Culture change means building multilingual spaces where individuals from different language communities can share their vision and connect in a dv prevention strategy

NJ: For some people it means leaving an environment that they are comfortable with and developing new cultural traditions

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TV: Text Chat Question: What cultural norms/practices in your community contribute to safety? Which ones contribute to a culture of violence in relationships?

NJ: The use of technology in general has increased the exposure of violence and decreased safety in young people. Gang violence and human trafficking is also increased in our community.

AS: Natalie - that would be an interesting webinar topic!

WD: Empowerment Self Defense is a very important Prevention tool. It grew out of the anti-violence against women movement starting in the 70s. It's a very important tool for both girls and women.