

Setting an Agenda to End Sexual Violence



















You are invited to turn on your camera



Feedback: What we're learning, what's missing, & what you might want to know next



## Drop in the chat!

What made you want to join this feedback session today?



### Feedback session goals

Us: Get your feedback, impressions; make a better report for ICASA

You: Review (some!) symposium highlights, see attendees again, keep thinking about prevention



Crash-course symposium review

What did you take with you?

What are you up to next?

What is going to make prevention possible? What is going to get in the way?

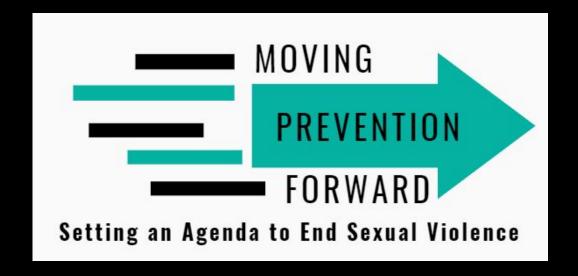
Within prevention, what principles are most important to you?

Who do we need to pull into prevention practice/thinking?

What format(s) might be useful to you?



# What happened over a month ago?





### Symposium purposes

Plan for ICASA, informed by you

Connections, education, inspiration for + between us all



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Implements teen dating violence prevention programming	Has targeted food insecurity or other economic and financial-related stressors	Implements risk assessments or screenings with clients	Focuses on engaging people who may notice abuse or signs of risk factors in others	Has partnered with a park district, local establishment, or other "third space"
Provides stable housing or support for securing stable housing	Interested in sexual autonomy and healthy sexual behaviors	Has delivered or supported the delivery of sexual health education	Has delivered train-the-trainer interventions	Explores power and privilege and how power and privilege "show up" in prevention
Offers technical assistance in how to deliver prevention	Has challenged a perspective that might be "blaming the victim"	MOVING PREVENTION FORWARD	Has included an emphasis on participant socio- political context	Has taken up workplace safety or workplace policies
Partners with local government	Loves partnering with other organizations and careholders to advocate for, select, adapt, and/or deliver prevention	Has worked with state-level agencies (e.g., IDPH, IDHS, ICJIA)	Attempts to engage men and boys as allies in prevention	Focuses on social norms (group-level beliefs and expectations of members' behavior)
Focuses on changing the context of peoples' lives (i.e., above and beyond individuals' behaviors)	Values diversity and inclusion in prevention staff/partners	Has tailored prevention programming for a specific community/ audience	Believes than an ounce of prevention is worth more than a pound of cure	Has formed a community advisory board/group

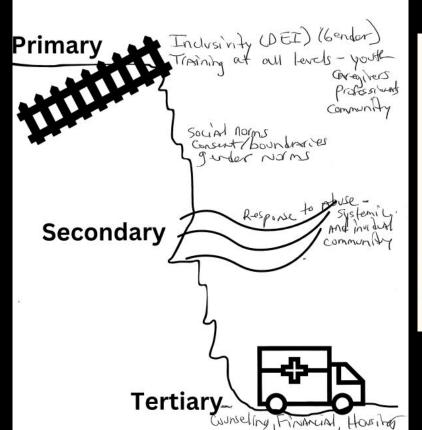


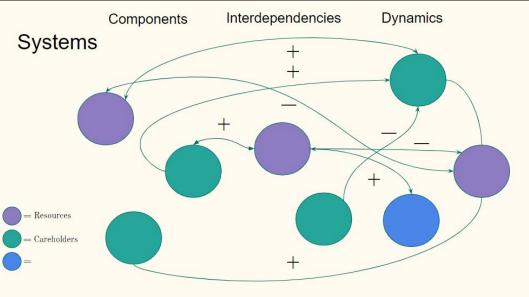


- 1. Read the strategy vignette together
- 2. Each identify and share one thing about this focus area that you're excited about, one barrier that could stall this focus area, and one way this focus area already connects to your work







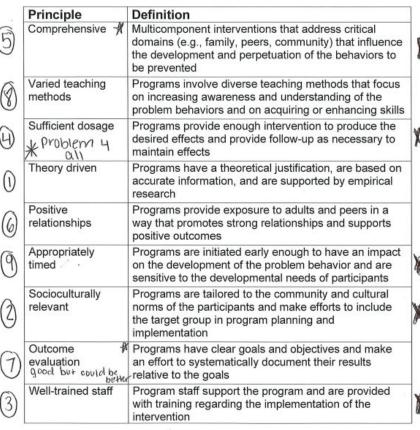


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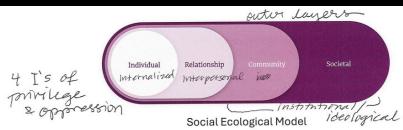
#### ~5 minutes per person

- 1. What got you interested in sexual violence prevention?
- 2. What about prevention makes you feel hopeful?
- 3. What are you most proud of, regarding yourself or your work?
- 4. Express gratitude for them sharing!

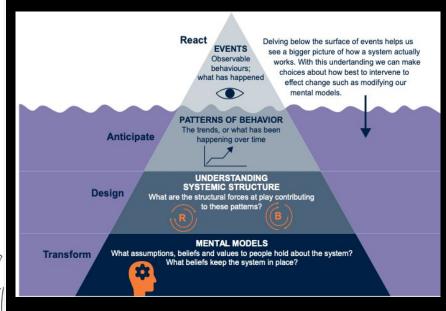
#### **Definitions of the Principles of Effective Programs**

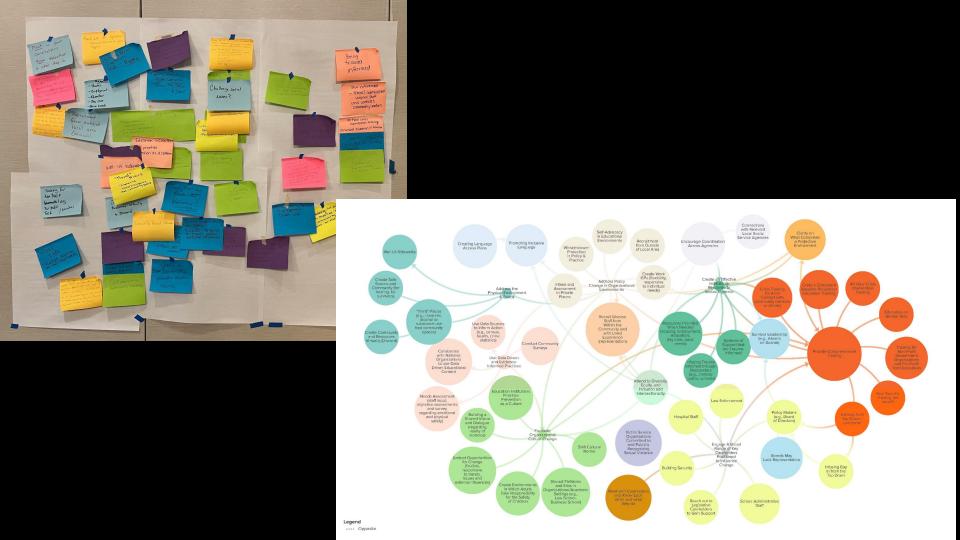


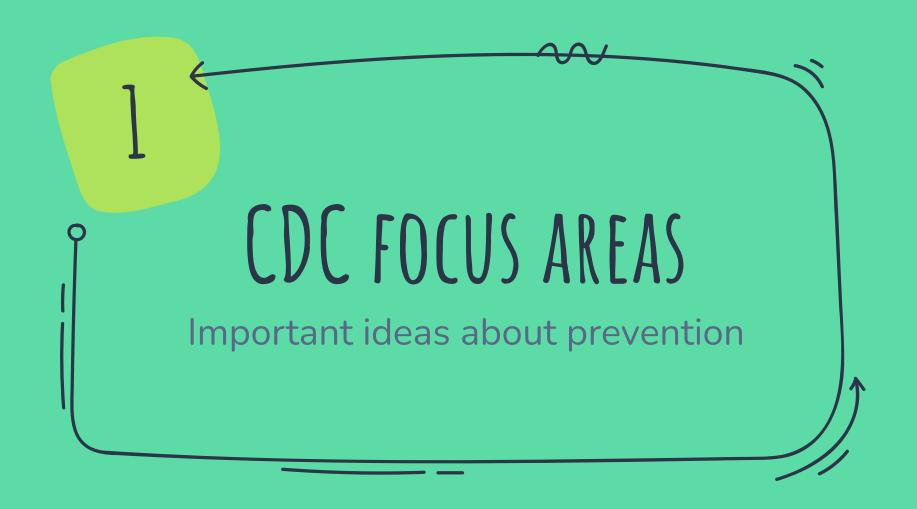
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### STRENGTHEN ECONOMIC SUPPORTS

- X Employment, stable housing, financial stability, and food security are important protective factors
- Improving financial stability = reducing risk factors associated with victimization

### CREATE PROTECTIVE ENVIRONMENTS

- X Change community characteristics
- X Community structures, social norms, environment, policies
- X Context of people's lives
- X Beyond any one individual

# PROMOTE SOCIAL NORMS THAT PROTECT AGAINST VIOLENCE

- X Group-level beliefs and expectations of members' behavior
- X Acceptance of violence, restrictive gender norms

CDC focus area	Level	Theme	Prevention activity ideas
Create protective environment	Primary	Daily/mundane organizational processes and	Integrated into other things – not just stand alone sexual harassment activities
CHVIOIMEN		environment	Setting expectations of sexual harassment in the workplace, shown in hiring process, job descriptions, within interview process, and onboarding
			Hiring process
			Onboarding
			Institutional onboarding plan
			Sexual Citizens (sexual geographies)
			Train the trainer
		Attention to organizational	Identifying organizational core values including DEI and anti-violence
		values and culture	Community values
		ountaire	Communicating community values
			Higher-ed institutional change
		Specific attention to	Inclusivity (DEI; gender)

...MPF attendees provided ICASA with a variety of prevention activity ideas that (a) attendees are excited about, (b) appropriately map onto primary, secondary, and tertiary prevention levels, and (c) largely reflect CDC example prevention activities. Initially, MPF attendees especially highlighted trainings/workshops (a focus that would expand as the symposium went on), integrating **GBV-specific content with allied topics,** population-specific attention in designing and implementing prevention activities, and frequently mentioned the importance of prioritizing/mandating/ integrating prevention across settings.





#### Top themes:

- Hope
- Partnership
  - Collaboration, new connections
- Prevention and systems thinking
  - Knowledge of prevention levels, SEM layers, systems mapping, prevention strategies, focus areas

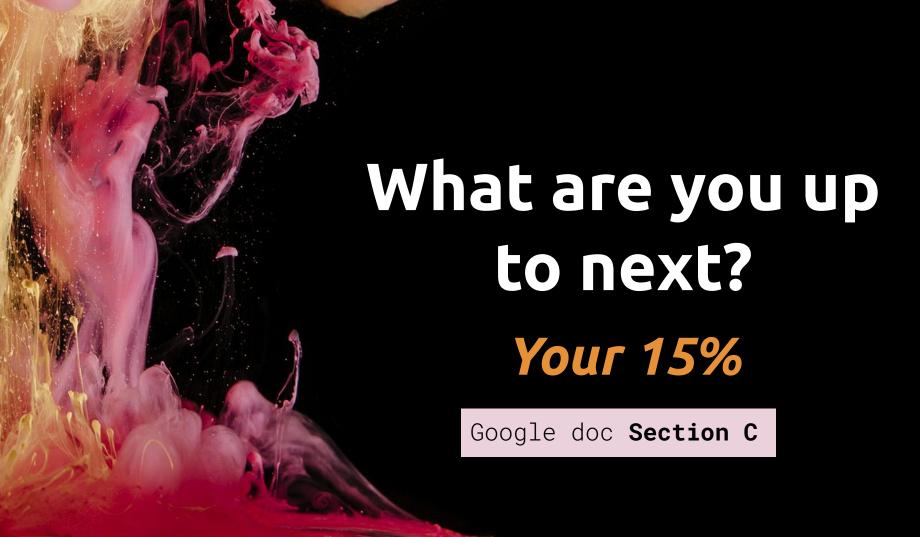
Less common, but salient:

Overwhelmed

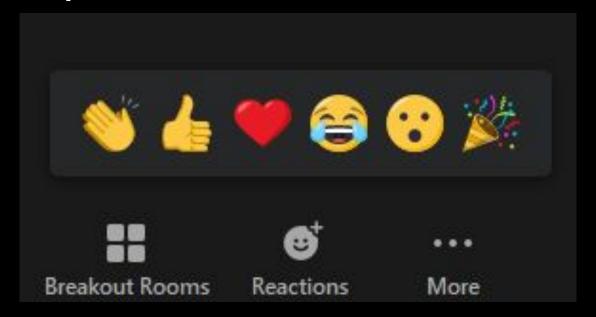
## Since the symposium, how have you felt, heard, seen, implemented these key group take-aways?

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Jamboard!



# I'll read the themes -- you share a thumbs up when this 15% is true for you.



Then, I'll ask: What's missing?

- Share knowledge gained at symposium with colleagues
- Promote or integrate sexual violence-specific services (including prevention and response) into your existing services/work
- Pursue partnerships (especially with fellow symposium attendees)
- Bring an attention to specific populations, diversity, and inclusion to services (including prevention)
- Continue to implement prevention or support (e.g., supervision) preventionists

## What's missing?

What else would you like to see local and statewide careholders (in addition to/beyond ICASA) taking up?

Please write in the Google doc!



### Attendees prioritize "socioculturally relevant" and "well-trained staff" principles.

Principle (from Nation et al., 2003)	Average ranking	Standard deviation
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Comprehensive	3.2	1.75
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In conclusion, we learned that MPF attendees especially value prevention implementation that is socioculturally relevant and delivered by well-trained staff. Attendees view these two principles as essential for facilitating other principles of effective prevention and for both (a) bringing about positive change, and (b) avoiding perpetrating harm in prevention implementation.



Critical priority	Crowd sourcing group score	Overall ranking place
Statewide collaboration to lift the priority of primary prevention higher than victim services post-violence	23	1
Remove opt-out for all groups	22	2
Intentional inclusion of diverse communities in SV prevention tables	22	2
A critical priority is funding for better services, paying workers, and getting materials for education. e.g., curriculum, condoms, Plan B, etc.	22	2
Training & professional development for client facing staff. Involve people from community in decision making efforts.	22	2
A critical priority in moving primary prevention forward in IL is a better understanding of where gaps lie in the state, so they can start to be filled. Who is getting what, where, by whom?	21	3
I think a critical priority would be to have primary prevention be something ICASA is willing to push as an agenda to all centers. The same way we do with advocacy and direct client service work. We can prioritize prevention legislation and lobby the same way other laws have been supported.	21	3
Wide spread education on healthy relationships that meets diverse needs, including in school settings	21	3
Creating community cohesion/prevention culture	21	3
Comprehensive + consistent staff trainings	21	3
Navigating the needs and capacity within community, county, state, then federal level to collab by the gaps w/ specified organizations and institutions	20	4

Critical priority theme	Average crowd-sourcing rating	Standard deviation	% of nominations coded under this theme
Use of data	21	0 (one nomination coded)	3.45%
Community engagement	20.67	2.31	10.34%
Staff support	20	3.37	13.79%
Prioritizing prevention	19.57	3.15	24.14%
Partnerships	19.25	2.49	27.59%
Education	19	4.08	24.14%
Attention to diversity	18.40	3.65	17.24%
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In conclusion, we learned that MPF attendees want ICASA to prioritize use of data, community engagement, staff support, partnerships, education, attention to diversity, funding, and outer layer intervention (including policy) going forward. These priorities frequently overlap.



Prevention activity	Individual	Relationship	Community	Societal
Educational	Students/	Students trusting	Gender expectations	Rape culture
workshop	participants' sleep	educator Family issues	SES status	Media
	Students/ participants'	Work relationships/	Knowing/being in same community	Systems of oppression
	past trauma	support	Recognizing/ relating to	Policy impacting where programs happen/ what
		Teacher help/support	lived experience	happens
		Burnout	Neighborhood issues	
			Overwhelming workload/ stretched too thin	
State mandated	New staff training	Coworkers	Partnerships with other organizations	Increase(?) norms
sexual	15.5	Interns		Increase(?) advocacy
violence/	All staff one(?)		The people we are working	
harassment	A 11	Volunteers	with in other programs	
prevention	Apathy	In person/virtual training	Lloing community to	
training for all	towards annual	In-person/ virtual training	Using community to increase(?) cultural norms	
businesses/	requirements		in society	

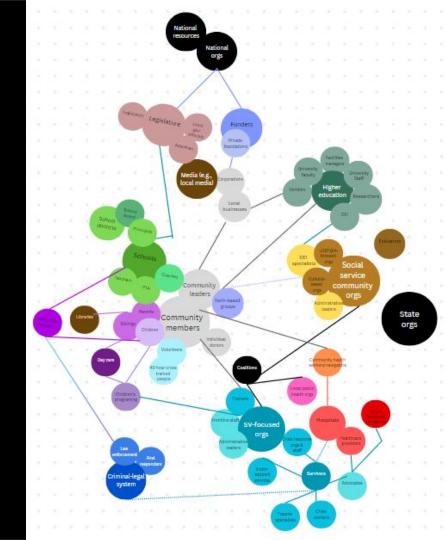
Across prevention strategies and CDC focus areas, participants highlighted:

- considering multiple organizational roles
- individual and community access
- cultural norms and individual perspectives that may lead to a lack of buy-in for prevention
- state/societal-level actions: policy/mandates for prevention, increased funding
- partnership/collaboration within strategies
- staff support

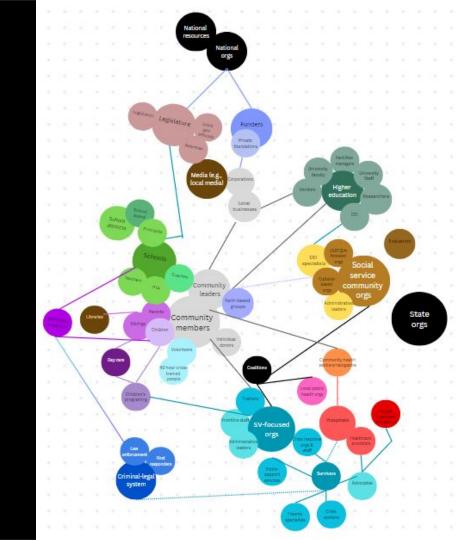
In conclusion, we learned that MPF attendees across CDC focus areas identify a lack of access, partnerships, buy-in, mandates/policies, and staff support/"bandwidth" as important barriers for implementing primary prevention of sexual violence. Participants frequently identified cultural norms and policies as being influential for what kinds of prevention activities may be implemented, and how much support they may receive when implemented. While education-based prevention was a commonly selected strategy for exploration, outer layer considerations such as norms, policies, and organizational context were frequently noted as important aspects of implementation.



# Think big categories: Who is missing?



- National resources, national orgs Legislature
- Media
- **Funders**
- Corporations, businesses
- Higher education
- Social service community orgs
- Criminal-legal system
- Family members
- Sexual violence-focused orgs
- Hospitals/healthcare
- Local public health orgs
- Community health workers
- State orgs
- **Evaluators**
- Community members





- Traditional text-driven tech report
- Visual-driven tech report/infographics
- Newsletter format/series
- Video presentation
- Website/dashboard reporting





## Thank you!

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