In Remembrance

RE: HL16.2
Progress in Implementing the Intimate Partner Violence Action Plan, 2016-2019

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TPH Action Plan on Intimate Partner Violence, 2016-2019

- Prevention
- Early Identification
- Response
Progress in Prevention

PREVENTION

1. Expand parenting education and support

2. Expand education on healthy relationships from middle childhood to adolescence

3. Address the social and cultural norms that perpetuate intimate partner violence (IPV) and other forms of gender-based violence
Progress in Early Identification

EARLY IDENTIFICATION

4. Increase staff capacity to identify and respond to clients affected by IPV

5. Ensure equitable access to TPH and City programs and services

6. Increase our capacity to address IPV in the workplace

7. Increase the public’s capacity to identify and respond to IPV
Progress in Response

**RESPONSE**

8. Increase access to resources & services that protect, support, and empower women

9. Foster coordination and collaboration with community stakeholders

10. Improve surveillance and research
Linking with Other City Initiatives Focused on Gender-based Violence

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Human Trafficking

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Comprehensive corporate awareness-raising & education campaign being developed:

- Updated resource list
- Intranet page
- Poster campaign
- E-learning module
- Long-term corporate training strategy
Explicitly address unique issues faced by vulnerable groups, beginning with:

- Indigenous
- LGBTQ2S
Indigenous Communities:

• Partner with Indigenous communities to establish a process to address IPV which honours the principle of self-determination
Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans, Queer, 2 Spirit communities:

- Ensure all City programs & services are culturally appropriate and safe
- Incorporate anti-oppression, anti-racism, intersectional framework in all relevant staff training
- Advocate for increased availability of appropriate legal services, police responses, and other needed supports
• Continue to work with other City divisions & agencies, community organizations, & governments to advance implementation

• Annual review of progress to identify:
  - Emerging issues
  - Gaps & opportunities to fill gaps
  - Opportunities for coordination & collaboration