

# **OVW STEP Conference Takeaway Points From Days 1-2**

## **Administrators**

### **Sexual Violence**

- Making information easily available to students regarding the process of reporting and resources
- Bystander training for “Student Responders”

### **Stalking**

- FREE! Stalking Prevention and Response Workshop From SRC

### **Technology**

- Organize parent and staff training on technology used by teens
- Engage in the process of embedding into culture

## **DV/SV Staff and Community Educators**

### **Sexual Assault**

- Monthly Prevention Campaigns
- Involving parents through teen interns and businesses
- Community organizing
- Community forums/ University training

### **Technology**

- Respect, Equality, Safety

### **Stalking**

- Rubric

## **Mental Health/ Public Health/ Counselors**

### **Sexual Assault**

- Making sure all staff are given the necessary tools based on their roles

### **Technology**

- Add education on technology in regards to healthy relationships
- Education in regards to cultural sensitivities surround sexual assault and violence

### **Stalking**

- This generation has created ethics of technology use that “normalizes” some stalking behaviors  
– no previous comparison of what is healthy vs. unhealthy use of technology

## **STEP Project Directors**

### **Sexual Assault**

- Survivor Leadership
- Responsibilities of education systems ( making access easy and talking about adolescent sexuality)
- Integrating survivor stories
- Activities
- Mention of the higher statistics surrounding LGBT youth

### **Technology**

- Fear/embrace technology
- Not taking technology away from youth

### **Stalking**

- Overlapping of stalking and sexual violence
- Emphasize context of stalking to the responder
- Parent/Caregiver education on stalking

## **Youth Activists**

### **Sexual Assault**

- Be a friend
- Don't ask why
- Speak out/do something
- Be supportive
- Create a supportive environment

### **Technology**

- Gives adolescents "too" much connection
- Everything is made public

### **Stalking**

- Be careful with technology
- Do not give out your number
- Gendered aspects of stalking ( Males more likely to stalk)