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# TCFV and Family Violence Prevention Work

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# Introducing TCFV

- ▶ Brief History
- ▶ Three project teams

**Support to Service Providers**  
**Public Policy**  
**Prevention**

# Connecting to TCFV

- ▶ TCFV Membership
- ▶ Caucus Participation
- ▶ Honoring Texas Victims: Go Purple
- ▶ Texas State Plan- Underserved Communities
- ▶ Young Hearts Matter
- ▶ Connecting to Local Programs

# What do we already know?

- ▶ **What is Domestic Violence?**

*Domestic violence is a pattern of coercive, controlling behavior that can include physical abuse, emotional or psychological abuse, sexual abuse or financial abuse (National Network to End Domestic Violence)*

- ▶ **Domestic Violence is Pervasive!**

- ▶ **Black Women are disproportionately affected by domestic violence!**

- ▶ **Domestic Violence increases the risk of HIV**

# How do we think about Prevention?

***Moving Upstream***



***Social Change***

***Social Determinants of Health***

***Intersectionality***

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# What Can we do?

**Get to the roots**

**Prevention as Community Mobilization**

**Prevention as Collaboration**

***Let's Brainstorm together!!!***

# Let's Continue this Conversation

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## Additional Resources:

