

SOCIOMETRICS PROJECT No. 216

MAKE AN IMPACT: A CULTURALLY SENSITIVE INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE PREVENTION TOOL PHASE I

The aim of this project is to develop easy-to-use, customizable training modules and resources that will simultaneously provide: (1) information about the evidence-based factors of effective IPV prevention; and (2) methods for tailoring or adapting prevention efforts employing an approach that accounts for variation in experiences, norms and mores by reframing the focus to issues (e.g. immigration status, mistrust of law enforcement or the medical system as a whole, poverty, and discrimination) instead of group-based (race/ethnicity) and individual-based differences. This resource will also allow for increasing practitioner capacity to implement prevention efforts that come from a strength-based perspective, widening cultural adaptation to recognize the importance of de-emphasizing racial difference as the basis of violent perpetration or victimization.

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