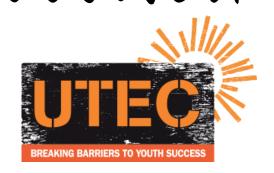






GUN VIOLENCE PREVENTIONPROGRAM





Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Health and Human Services

















SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE

8:30 AM	REGISTRATION + BREAKFAST
9:15	WELCOME
9:20	SPECIAL MESSAGE: Gregory Jackson, Jr.
9:25	NETWORKING ACTIVITIES & INNER / OUTER CIRCLE
10:20	BREAK
10:30	LEGACY AWARD: Talia Wright
10:50	BREAK
11:00	MORNING BREAKOUT SESSION
12:30 PM	LUNCH
1:15	GUEST SPEAKER: Senator Liz Miranda
1:45	AFTERNOON BREAKOUT SESSION
3:10	SPECIAL GUEST
3:20	HEAD TO THE FIELD + CLOSING CIRCLE

The conference schedule is subject to change. Please refer to event signage for most accurate schedule. 2024

Legacy

Award

The Legacy Award is given annually to an outreach worker who has dedicated their career to creating peaceful and healthy communities, and whose impact spans from the individuals they served directly to the broader community. This person is both a peacemaker and a social innovator, creating new programs where needed and collaborating across public and private sectors to advance systemic change. They are tireless advocates of the next generation, with the ultimate goal to break the cycle of violence and poverty and provide our youth with more equitable pathways to success.

Talia Wright



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Talia Wright (she/her), a Boston native, brings over 20 years of experience working with communities, non-profits, philanthropy, and government to advance solutions to social justice issues. She has worked on intergenerational poverty, community organizing, and gun and gang violence. Prior to joining the Fund for a Safer Future in September 2022, Talia served as Director of the City of Boston's gang intervention program, SOAR

(Street Outreach, Advocacy and Response) Boston. Talia has held positions at the Council on Foundations, Boston Rising, Eos Foundation, and the Boston TenPoint Coalition. Talia's experience has shown her what the power of listening and research combined with funding and action can do to transform lives and make our communities safer.



FEATURED SPEAKER
Senator Liz Miranda
Massachusetts
State Senator

SPECIAL MESSAGE
Gregory Jackson, Jr.
Deputy Director
White House Office of
Gun Violence
Prevention



WORKSHOPS & FACILITATORS



Influence and Impact: Social Media Mastery for Business

Facilitated by Iya Thomas Credible Social Worker, New York City

Learn how to leverage social media to design relevant and engaging content that will resonate with your audience now and in the future.

R17

R14

Sisters in Streetwork (SIS)

Facilitated by Lisa Pina-Warren Nonviolence Institute, Providence

Create a space for women engaged in the CVI field. Often defined to be a male-dominated workforce, this workshop provides space for women peacemakers to share their experiences.





Keys to the Streets: Culture, Credibility, and Chaos

Facilitated by Reality Allah CVI Leader, Chicago

As the causes of gun violence change in our communities, there are new and innovative ways to rethink strategies to combat gun violence. Explore some of the cultural competencies needed to be an effective Outreach Professional in this day and age.

B13

Understanding Violence Through a Public Health Lens

Facilitated by Mo Barbosa Health Resources in Action, Boston

Understand the historical and current context of racial disparities in health outcomes, including exposure to violence.



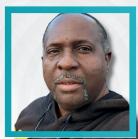
R21

Proactive Peacekeeping on the Frontlines

Facilitated by Claudia Bracho, Andre Christian, + Jasmin Desenclos Urban Peace Institute

Explore the role of Community Intervention Workers (CIWs) in proactive peacekeeping, importance of having a License to Operate (LTO) in the community, and navigating a "Professional Understanding" with law enforcement. Additionally, we'll highlight the crucial role women play in CVI work across Los Angeles.









Successful Advocacy in Passing Policy Through Storytelling

R22

Facilitated by Sam Lewis Anti-Recidivism Coalition

Learn how to use storytelling effectively to help advocate for policy.

B15

Unified Voices: Healing, Networking, and Leading as a Credible Messenger

Facilitated by Mallah-Divine Mallah Credible Messenger

Learn how to promote self-healing, personal growth, and build a strong network, develop community, and cultivate collaboration.



My Successful Blueprint: CEO Style Budgeting

R16

Facilitated by Mike Curry + Patrice Alves Life After Prison Organization, Boston

Equip yourself with the knowledge, skills, and resources necessary to build thriving businesses and achieve financial success.



B16



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