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## **Prevention Meets Harm Reduction: How Community Collaborations Work Across the Continuum Part Two**

Delivered by:

Prevention Technology Transfer Center Network  
Community Coalitions and Collaborations Workgroup

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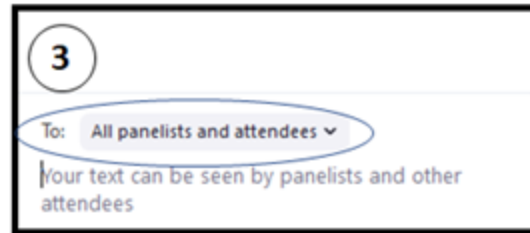
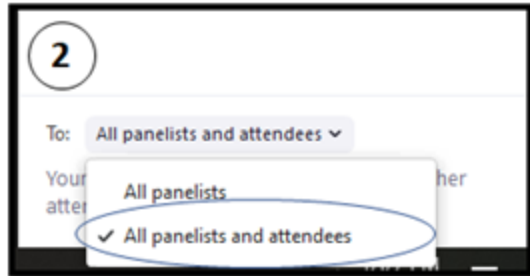
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The use of affirming language inspires hope.

LANGUAGE MATTERS.

**Words have power.**

PEOPLE FIRST.

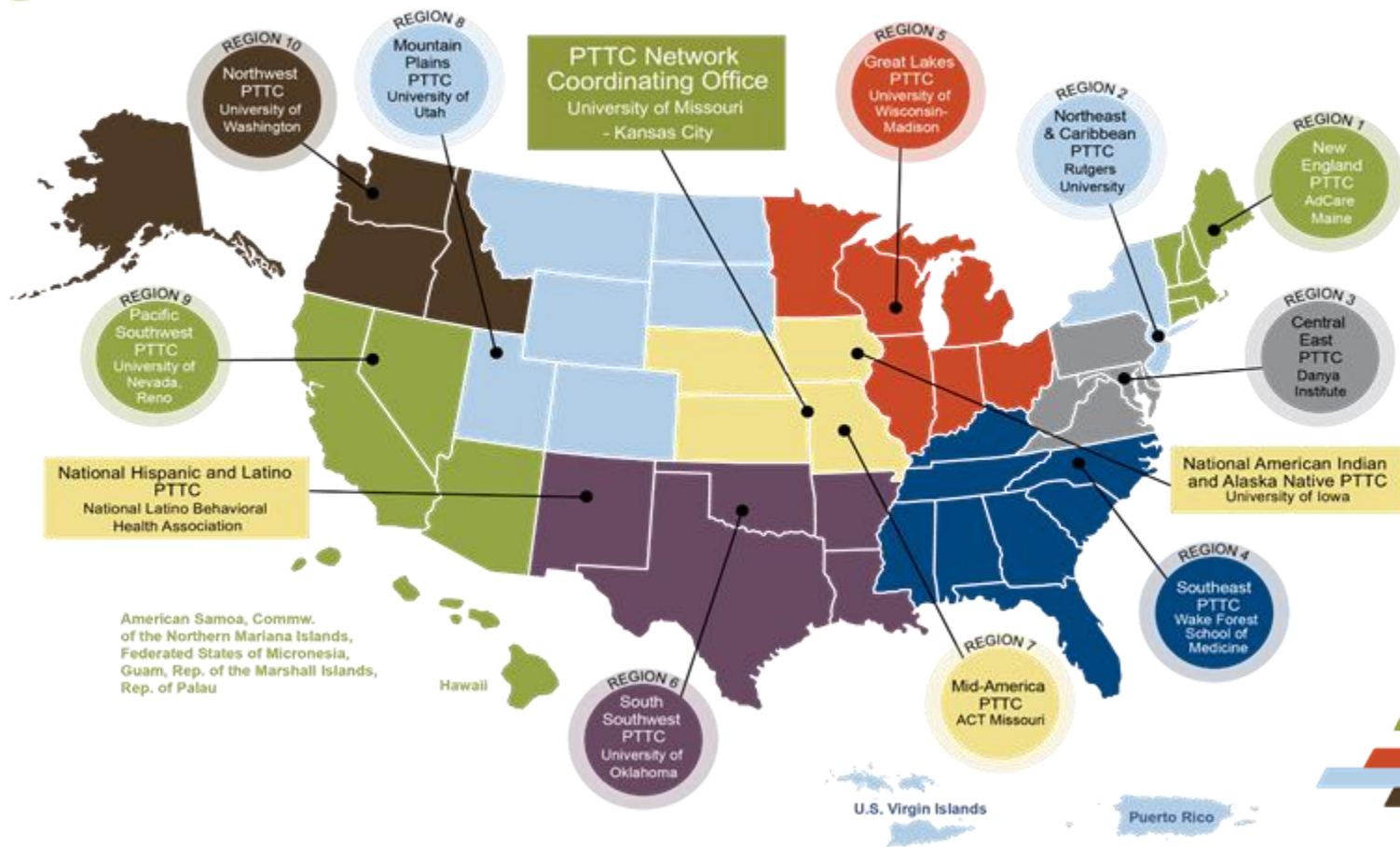
The P TTC Network uses affirming language to promote the application of evidence-based and culturally informed practices.



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# Community Coalitions and Collaborations Workgroup

- **Develop** training and technical assistance tools, products, and services on effective community coalitions and collaborations
- **Disseminate** these across the PTTC network
- **Increase the capacity** of prevention coalitions and collaborators to **prevent** substance misuse





# Today's Objectives

## Identify

Identify the history and pillars of harm reduction

## Explore

Explore how prevention efforts intersect with harm reduction efforts through overlapping goals and common values

## Learn

Learn how the knowledge of lived experience can enhance our strategies across the continuum of care

# Today's Presenters



**Dr. Orisha Bowers**



**Dr. Zili Sloboda**



**Jeff Hill**



**Jimmy McGill**



# Principles of the Prevention Think Tank Code of Ethical Conduct

Non-  
Discrimination

Competence

Integrity

Nature of  
Services

Confidentiality

Ethical  
Obligations for  
Community and  
Society

# Principles of Harm Reduction

Health and Dignity

Participant-  
Centered Services

Participant  
Involvement

Participant  
Autonomy

Recognize  
Inequalities and  
Injustices

Pragmatism/Realism

# Important Partners – Prevention Intersecting with Harm Reduction

- People who use drugs
- Pharmacies
- Professional first responders
- Public health
- Other state agencies
- Prescribers
- Recovery
- Treatment
- Higher education
- Youth serving agencies
- Bystanders
- Corrections
- Criminal justice
- Family members/friends of people who use drugs
- Government
- Harm reduction
- Health care
- Law enforcement
- Medical examiners
- Mental health



HHS.gov

<https://www.hhs.gov/overdose-prevention/>

# The Need for Harm Reduction

- Respond to disproportionate disease and fatality rates
- Reach vulnerable populations
- Keep individuals engaged if they relapse or are not abstinent from drugs or sex



# Panel Discussion

Question and Answers from the Audience





## In the chat...

What is one take-away from today's discussion that you will apply to your work in order to increase community collaborations across the continuum?





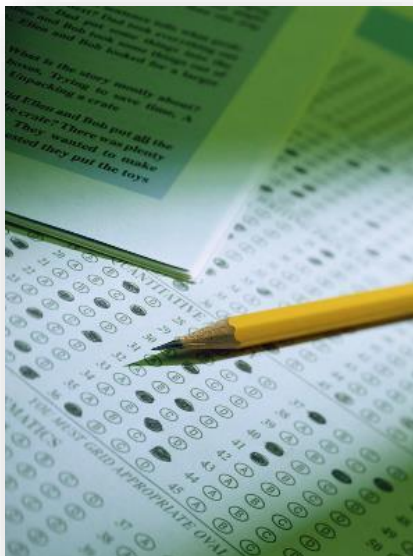
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