Unlocking the Power of ACE, Trauma and Resilience Networks: Lessons from the Field

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Community Meeting

What is your name?
How are you feeling?
Who here can you ask for help?
What is your goal for this workshop?

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What is an ACE Trauma & Resilience (ATR) Network?

- Has an ATR Framework
- Represents a specific geography
- Multi-sector and inclusive
- In-person meetings and communication
The mission of All Children Excel (A.C.E.) Nashville is to prevent and mitigate the lifelong impact of childhood adversity to improve the safety, health, and prosperity of our community. We envision Nashville as a safe, stable, and nurturing community for all.
The Greater Richmond (VA) Trauma-Informed Community Network (TICN) is a diverse group of professionals from a cross sector of organizations and government agencies and community members who are dedicated to supporting and advocating for continuous trauma-informed care for all children and families in the City of Richmond and surrounding counties.
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How do ATR Networks help build resilient communities

- **Grow**
  - Awareness
  - Training
  - Common language

- **Translate**
  - Sector-specific
  - Community context

- **Connect**
  - Relationships
  - Culture of wellness
  - Individual self-care

- **Transform**
  - Public narrative
  - SDoH|HE
  - Policy & advocacy

- **Scaffold**
  - Community partnerships
  - Cross-sector collaboration

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You feel alone doing this work, like you’re starting from scratch. But here, I felt like I had some reinforcement — people who really want to understand and share this information.

Isabel Lopez
Founder
Raizes Art Collective
I could never have accomplished what I have accomplished without the support of the network.

Mary Crnobori, PhD, BCBA
Trauma Informed Schools Coordinator
Metro Nashville Public Schools
“This moving and profoundly important film offers critical insights into one of the most widespread educational and health challenges in American society.” — David Bornstein, The New York Times writer

PAPER TIGERS
One high school’s unlikely success story

COMMUNITY RESILIENCE INITIATIVE

SCAFFOLD
Trauma-informed policing makes us more effective, it helps us form meaningful relationships with the community.

Illinois ACEs Response Collaborative

Vince Acevez
Commander, Gangs and Narcotics Unit
Cicero, IL, Police Department
I call ACEs the secular gospel… It opened a door for us to name how people face trauma and adversity…

Elevate Montana

Reverend Tyler Amundson
St. Paul’s Methodist Church
Helena, MT
We are glad you made it to school today 😊
Have a great day!
What Can ATR Networks Accomplish

Practice (77)  Relationships (13)  Public Policy/Public Agency (12)  Organizational Policy (10)  Funding (4)
Resources for Building Cross Sector Networks

- Mobilizing Action for Resilient Communities website
  - mac.healthfederation.org
- Community Resilience Cookbook
  - communityresiliencecookbook.org
- ACEs Connection
  - www.acesconnection.com.aceswconnection.com
- Philadelphia ACE Task Force website
  - www.philadelphiaaces.com
- Self-healing Communities
  - https://www.rwjf.org/content/dam/farm/reports/reports/2016/rwjf430225
- Trauma Informed Guide to Philanthropy
[YOUR COMMUNITY HERE]
ACE & RESILIENCE NETWORK
Welcomes You!
We are proud to be a
Trauma informed & Resilient
Community