



MEDIA ADVISORY

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Pittsburgh Summit Addresses Domestic & Sexual Violence Prevention

- *National Experts Lead Sessions for Professionals Who Work With Young Men* -

WHAT: Nationally recognized researchers and practitioners will present the latest insights into breaking cycles of violence at the **Prevention Summit: Working with Young Men to End Domestic & Sexual Violence**. This one-day conference for prevention-focused professionals, educators and individuals who work with youth will provide an opportunity to share knowledge across disciplines and discover ways to more effectively work with young men to prevent domestic and sexual violence.

AGENDA:

8:30 a.m.	Registration, networking and breakfast
9:00 a.m.	Welcoming remarks
9:30 a.m.	Emerging research on helping boys think differently about masculinity <i>Dr. Liz Miller, chief of adolescent medicine, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC</i>
11:00 a.m.	What we can learn from adult batterers to prevent abusive behaviors <i>Judy Chang, associate professor in the department of medicine, University of Pittsburgh, and Dr. Penelope Morrison, assistant professor of biobehavioral health, Penn State New Kensington</i>
12:00 p.m.	Lunch
12:30 p.m.	Building a community of men to end violence against women <i>Special guest Tracy DeTomas, vice president at the YWCA Nashville and leader of MEND</i>
2:20 p.m.	Panel discussion
3:15 p.m.	Opportunities for action
4:00 p.m.	Program ends

WHEN: Thursday, Dec. 15, 2016, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

WHERE: **Rodef Shalom Congregation**

4905 Fifth Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15213

COST: Registration costs \$40 per person through Thursday, Dec. 8 and \$50 per person after. For students, registration is \$15 per person. Parking is free and lunch is included.

RSVP: For information and to register, click [here](#).

INTERVIEWS

& PHOTOS: Speakers and attendees

Note to editors & reporters: Media are invited to attend. To arrange interviews or for more information, please contact Olivia Lammel at 412-642-7700, olivia.lammel@elias-savion.com.

About Southwest PA Says NO MORE: Southwest PA Says NO MORE is a growing community of organizations and individuals who are working to end domestic and sexual violence. FISA Foundation, in partnership with The Heinz Endowments and United Way of Southwestern Pennsylvania developed Southwest PA Says No More to showcase important prevention-focused work happening in this region, and to make it easier for individuals and organizations to take action to stop gender-based violence. More than 20 organizations across the region have partnered with Southwest PA Says No More, including the Jewish Community Center of Greater Pittsburgh, YMCA of Greater Pittsburgh, and Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh. For information, visit southwestpasaysnomore.org.

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