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Coordinated Community Response:
Expanding the Circle/Context

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Battle Creek Barbara Hart

Assume the truth of this statement:

Informal processes of social control may work better than formal processes.

Escort Service at Job

**Faith Community
Compels
& Transports**

Mother-in-law offers Safe Haven

Teacher identifies potential child maltreatment.
Reaches out to law enforcement.

Implications:
Inclusion of Ers & Ees
Inclusion of Laiety
Inclusion of Family
Inclusion of Allies

Resistance:

- Management Nightmare
- Dilute the Focus of CCR
- Emotions vs. Deliberation
- Trivializes our Work
- Short-term Solutions

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Precinct Leadership Teams

- Age Cohorts
- Annual Marches against VAW
- Public Event Messaging
- Assisting Law Enforcement

Social Messaging/Networking

vawnet.org/category/Documents.php?docid=2263

facebook.com/pages/VAWnet-The-National-Online-Resource-Center-on-Violence-Against-Women/46375435699

twitter.com/VAWnet

Assume the truth of this statement:

No order is self-implementing.

Strategies 2 Implement

- Probation Orientation
- Judicial Monitoring
- BIPs
- Advocates and Civil Attorneys

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- DOC/Jail workers (men/women)*
- Sponsors/Mentors (abusers)*
- Fathers, Friends, Co-workers*

Order Implementation for Survivors:

- Enforcement Strategies
- Risk Assessment & Safety Planning (ongoing)
- Community of Care/Allies of Power*
- Economic Security*

Male Peer Support

Cultural Cornerstone promoting & interrupting Domestic Violence

Research: Rural, Police, Post-Secondary Education, Poor Urban Youth, Unemployed
Bowker, Schwartz, DeKeseredy, Godenzi

Research on MPS

Abusers:

- Significant time w/ male friends; gossip, sex, control, degradation**
- Frequent drinking w/ male friends**
- Informational support/messaging**
- Attachment to abusive peers**
Chicken/Egg

Soldiers:

Male Peer Support 4 VAW

- Hallway, Ticket Counter, Baggage
- Confrontation, Celebration, Collusion

Expanding the CCR:

- Formally
- Informally
- Engaging Men and Women Allies
