

Panel Discussion

- TO ALIGN CONVERSATIONS, PROMOTE COMMON PURPOSE, AND INSPIRE ACTION TO REDUCE GUN VIOLENCE
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$ TO DEMONSTRATE HOW AND WHAT WORKS.
- TO GIVE PARTICIPANTS AN OVERVIEW OF T3 MENTORING PROGRAM





Our Experiences Matter

SECTION.

T3 MENTORING

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About T3 Triple Threat Mentoring

Established in April 2020 Triple Threat Mentoring is a program that offers one-on-one and group mentoring to primarily Black and Brown girls living in North or Northeast Portland. Our program focuses on three areas: Attitude, Academics, & Athletics.



Preventing Youth Violence is a **T3 Priority**

Youth violence is a significant public health problem that affects thousands of young people each day, and in turn, their families, schools, and communities.

 Youth violence occurs when young people between the ages of 10 and 24 years intentionally use physical force or power to threaten or harm others.

 A young person can be involved The impact/harm of Violence include physical, medical, psychological, property, relationship, financial, and more...

 Youth violence can take different forms. Examples include fights, bullying, threats with weapons, and gang-related violence.

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Gun violence is a leading cause of premature death in the U.S. guns kill more than 38,000 people and cause nearly 85,000 injuries each year.

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This is a classic Public Health Approach with primary prevention meaning preventing violence before it happens, secondary prevention being an immediate response to instances of violence, and tertiary prevention focusing on long term care and rehabilitation.

IS PREVENTIVE: BY TACKLING 'UPSTREAM' RISK FACTORS, IT AIMS TO LESSEN 'DOWNSTREAM' CONSEQUENCES

PRIMARY Before violence or behavior occurs; work on changing attitudes and norms that support it

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Prevention Continuum

SECONDARY

Intervene to prevent violence from happening again; deal with short-term consequences

Treat after violence occurs; support victims to heal; provide

TERTIARY

treatment to offenders

Primary prevention does not replace intervention, it complements it.

IT TAKES A VILLAGE

Our Approach seeks to reduce the immediate and long-term harms of youth violence, to prevent future violence. Preventing youth violence requires multiple, complementary strategies, and those that reflect how to strengthen individual's skills and relationships to prevent youth violence



OUR PANEL OF SUCCESS







Moderator T3 Founder Nike Greene





Your Story is Essential



Your experience with Triple Threat Mentoring



Creating safe spaces to Heal, Grow, and Achieve



The Power of a Nentor

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Your impact

Matters







Thank You!



