Through CONNECTION

Action Research

Co-Design

New Questions

Collect Data

Act together

Analyze

Root Causes

Project 1

Project 2

Do no Harm

Respect

Dignity

Long-term Trust
Sex Trading, Trafficking and Community Wellbeing Initiative

Youth and YPAR

GIFT Research Phase III Recidivism Outcomes

Final Report on GIFT Research

May 2015

Mapping the Demand

Sex Trafficking in the State of Minnesota

Early Intervention to Avoid Sex Trading and Trafficking of Minnesota’s Female Youth: A Benefit-Cost Analysis

Full Report

Structural Inequalities:

Race, Gender Bias, Poverty

Potential Supply of Young Girls

Operation

Recruitment & Captive

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Youth Culture in the Neighborhood (YPAR)

Two projects with agencies serving youth experiencing homelessness in the Northside.

- Learned about an informal market for sex (linked to formal markets) that is located in the same neighborhoods.
- Widespread youth-only conversation about sex trading, pervasive whether or not youth were exploited.
- Sexually graphic verbal abuse against youth and manipulative social relations drives the informal market.
- Sexual violence and exploitation occurs peer-to-peer.
People in MPD cases of juvenile sex trafficking

1. Project 1
2. Overcome Methodological challenges, Ethics & Trust
3. Relevance & Action
4. Responsibility

WHY?
Want more information?

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