## THE RESTORATIVE SYSTEM

Restorative Circles is a process for addressing conflict between people within the context of their community.

Restorative Circles is a series of meetings amongst those involved in a conflict, either directly, indirectly or structurally.

Restorative Circles rely on reflective listening to offer everyone an opportunity to speak and be heard.

CIRC

- 1. What happened? observable & specific
- 2. Listen for the meaning it has
  - 3. Describe RC process
  - 4. Who needs to be there?
  - 5. Voluntary Participation

AUTHOR PECEIVER

- Identify fixed ideas that diminish ability to stay present
- 2. Identify sources of support
  - 3. Confirm willingness to participate

CIRCLE(S)

## MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING

What do you want to say and to whom about how you are right now in relation to the act and its consequences?

## SELF RESPONSIBILITY

What do you want to say and to whom about what you were looking for when you chose to act?

Listening for deeper meaning...

What did you hear him/her say?

- . Is that it?
- Is there anything else you would like to say?

Restorative Circles is a process that discovers the underlying unmet needs or concerns that trigger conflict

and

facilitates holistic, transparent solutions torwards meeting needs and restoring community.

## ACTION AGREEMENTS

to meet needs, restore & re-integrate

What would you like to see happen next?

What would you like to offer?

What would you like to request?

POST-CIA

- 1. What happened? observable & specific
- 2. Listen for the meaning it has
  - 3. How satisfied are we with the consequences of our actions? Do we need more action items?

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