

# Southwest Indigenous Women's Coalition Webinar Series

## The Impact of Sexual Violence on Men and Boys

Monday, October 22, 2018 | 12:00 pm MDT

Often men are the neglected victims of all forms of sexual violence including being abused as a boy. It is frightening to realize how widespread sexual abuse and violence is in our society and yet how strong the denial of it is. This webinar will discuss the impact of sexual abuse and violence against heterosexual and gay men as adults and as children. The presenter will discuss the mental health issues as well as define the issues that prevent an individual from having healthy relationships.

Participants will gain an understanding and awareness of:

- The impacts of sexual violence against men and boys
- The mental health issues that impact boys and men who experience sexual violence
- The potential for healing through the presenter's personal story of child sexual abuse

### To Register:

<https://bit.ly/2BXzWQP>

## Speaker



### Lenny Hayes, MA

Lenny is an enrolled member of the Sisseton-Wahpeton Oyate of the northeast corner of South Dakota. He is a mental and chemical health therapist and is the owner of Tate Topa Consulting.

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