



BUILDING RELATIONSHIPS ACROSS DIFFERENCES

WITH

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Lane Equity Coalition Event Summary - January 22, 2020

Diversity, equity, and inclusion training hosted in partnership with Department of Human Services

Attendees: 40

Overview:

Relationship building is key to improving diversity, equity and inclusion. The purpose of this training was to intentionally move local conversations past awareness of differences and toward capacity and relationship-building within our local organizations and communities. The presentation included intellectual and experiential learning, as both are necessary to effectively change practice.

Dr. Lake is an international consultant, trainer and speaker certified in programs respecting leadership, diversity, community-building, cross-cultural communication and interactions skills, equity and ethics for youth and adults. Dr. Lake assists individuals, schools and traditional institutions to gain critical knowledge and skills, as well as developing effective methods and strategies to bring about growth and progress, and to build and support productive relationships.

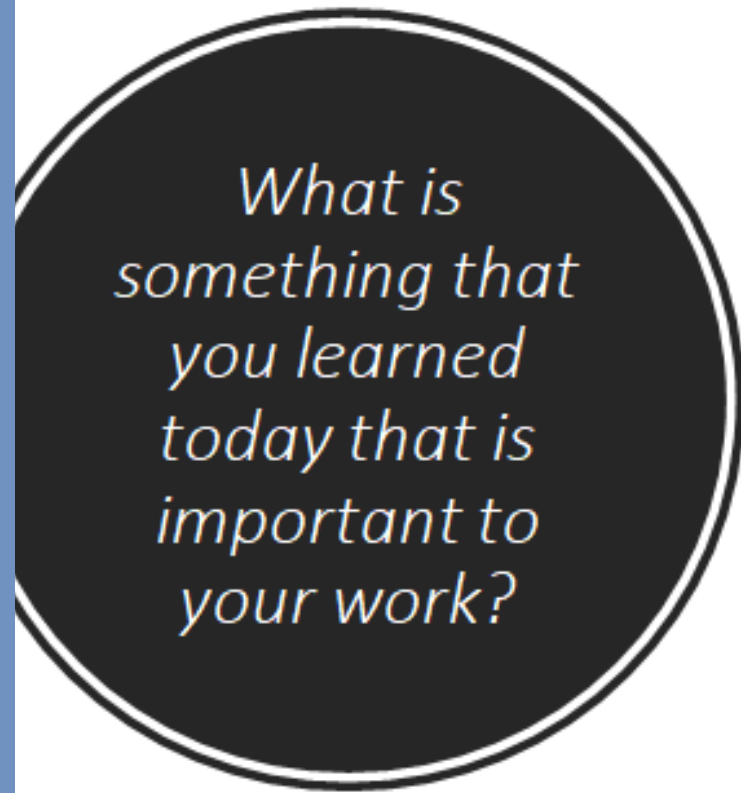
Organizations present:

Bethel School District
Department of Human Services
DevNW
Huerto de la Familia
Kids In Transition to School (KITS)
Lane Council of Governments
Lane County
Lane Transit District
Live Healthy Lane
Looking Glass

Ophelia's Place
Oregon Social Learning Center
- KITS
Parenting Now!
Relief Nursery
Siuslaw Vision
Springfield SSP
Trillium Community Health
Plan
United Way of Lane County



Reflections:



Evaluation & Comments:

Attendees of this training ranked it highly, reporting outcomes related to increased knowledge and a commitment to continued learning. Attendees overwhelmingly expressed the need for more time to unpack training concepts.

"Representation does not equal competence."

"I can practice curiosity when it comes to each other's experience."

"When you share your privileged it is enhanced- not diminished. Lovely! Thank you!"

"Sharing your privilege doesn't diminish your privilege it enhances it."

"We don't have to do this work alone- good reminder."

Together, we can do more than each of us can do alone.

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